

Dear parent/carers,

Monday and Tuesday will be subject to very hot weather. As a school we remain committed to keeping the school open whenever possible and therefore school will be open as usual. Our building is relatively new and was built to respond to the weather so many parts are very cool and we will move learning to these areas. In addition, we will be taking the following measures:

- Opening the bottom floor Birch classrooms for break and lunch
- Extra water fountains and checking that student fill up water bottles
- Using cooler rooms in Birch and Ash block and on the bottom floor
- Only line up first thing (not break and lunch)
- Students can wear shirts without ties or blazers/jumpers
- Students can wear their PE T shirts only and PE shorts (no other kit eg tracksuits or jumpers which are hotter than uniform)

Please send students in with a bottle of water, preferably iced in the freezer

With sun-cream on (although we will be indoors mostly).

Finally, please note that we may send students early if room temperatures get too high, this is likely to be at lunchtime and we will contact families if this takes place.

I thank you for your support, this is a first and we will evaluate all actions for future extreme weather dates.

Yours Sincerely

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