

15th July 2022

Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s)

Re: Extreme warm weather arrangements

As you may be aware the Met Office have issued a 'red' extreme heat warning for parts of England on Monday and Tuesday (18th & 19th July). In anticipation of this unprecedented weather, we have planned the following adjustments for the health and safety of our students and staff.

School Day

- School will start at its normal time at 8:40 am but will finish at 12:35 pm.
- We will have an extended morning break when the temperature is lower. The canteen will
 not be serving any hot food to avoid ovens being on and increasing the heat flow in the
 building. However, we will be providing all children a free cold packed lunch to eat in school
 during this extended break.
- Please encourage your child to bring water. They will have access to water throughout the day.
- PE lessons will be adapted due to the extreme weather conditions.

School uniform

- Students can come to school in Yardleys PE kit including trainers or school uniform without a tie or blazer.
- Hats and caps will be allowed for outside use only.

Can I take this opportunity to remind you of the last day arrangements on **Wednesday 20th July 2022.** School will finish for all students at 12:10 pm for the summer break. School will reopen to new Year 7 on Tuesday 6th September and all other year groups on Wednesday 8th September 2022.

Thank you for your support in our amended arrangements and apologies for any inconvenience this may cause. Please do have a relaxing summer break.

Yours sincerely

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