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Monday July 18th 2022

Dear Parents/ Carers,

### **Warm Weather Update**

The current warm weather warning is in place until Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July. We are continuing to monitor the impact of this on the school environment and are also mindful of the weather forecast for the rest of the week.

Also attached to this email is information from Public Health Wales regarding hot weather advice.

#### School uniform

Pupils are encouraged to wear cool clothes on Tuesday as it will be very hot. We are happy for pupils to wear a PE kit but loose, cotton clothes are sometimes cooler in this weather. To avoid sunburn no exposed shoulder tops please.

#### Additional adjustments

The school has a number of electric fans / air conditioning units which we will continue to use. We will continue to keep rooms ventilated.

Pupils are advised to keep hydrated and we will ensure that they have access to water whenever they need it. Please could they come to school with a full water bottle and they can replace it when required.

#### Break times/ Lunch times

To avoid our pupils being outside in the direct sunlight for any length of time on Tuesday we will organise the day as if it were wet play. Pupils will be supervised inside with the usual activities such as drawing / colouring. We will monitor this as the week continues.

#### Other information

Please can pupils continue to bring suitable hats/ caps to wear outdoors in order to protect themselves from the sun. Pupils should also apply sunscreen before they arrive at school and top it up when needed.

## Covid-19

It is evident that the number of Covid-19 positive cases has been increasing recently. Some symptoms, for example having a high temperature, suffering from a headache, feeling tired or lethargic can be mistaken for the effects of warm weather. We would ask all parents/ carers to remain vigilant for Covid-19 symptoms. Pupils exhibiting these symptoms should of course not attend school.

Thanks so much for your continued support and co-operation.

Have a great last week before we finish for the end of another year! Keep safe and cool!

Kind regards,

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