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## Dear families

As you will be aware there has been a Met office *amber* warning for extreme heat issued for Monday 18 and Tuesday 19 July 2022.

School is open as normal and we will be taking the following precautionary steps:

- Students are not required to wear their blazer, jumper or tie as part of their uniform
- PE lessons will not take place in outside spaces
- Additional water will be made available for students
- We will advise students that they should not be outside at break or lunch for extended periods of time
- Students are already able to purchase ice creams during break and lunch times. The kitchen staff will ensure they have plenty of stock during these days

Please can we request that you also ensure that your child brings a refillable water bottle, sun hat and sun cream with them to school.

Please also follow these links for support and guidance you may find useful during this extreme weather.

Gov.uk - Heatwave plan Gov.uk - Heatwave advice and guidance Gov.uk - Beat the heat

NHS - Heat exhaustion and heatstroke

We thank you in advance for your support on this matter, please do get in touch should you require any further information.

Yours sincerely

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