



13th July 2022

Dear Parents, Guardians and Carers

Re: Hot Weather

As extreme hot weather is forecast over the next two weeks we are allowing students to remove their ties and have their top buttons undone, however we do expect shirts to be tucked in. Students will be allowed to wear a hat of college colours if outside but hats must be removed when inside the building. Students are encouraged to use the canteen and hall during break and lunch time instead of being outside to avoid the heat in the middle of the day.

Students must bring their water bottles and ensure these are filled at break and lunch. Students will not be allowed out of class to fill their bottles during lesson time. Please note, they will be issued with a late mark if they are late to any class after break or lunch due to filling water bottles.

Due to the hot weather forecast we are adapting the uniform expectations for students. Students will therefore have the option to either wear:

- Their full college PE kit or
- Normal college uniform with no tie and blazer for the whole of this week.

There will be water and shade available for students. Please ensure your child has plenty of water, sun cream and a sun hat with them.

Sports Day (commencing 1st August 2022)

This year we have split the sports day over several days allowing for less students to be congregated together at once. The following adjustments have been made to sports days:

- Students will only take part in the athletics events once the temperature and risk has been assessed
- Gazebos will be used to ensure that some additional shelter is available for students.
- All students to be wearing sun screen and have a water bottle with them.

When not taking part in the multi-sport events, students will be in normal lessons and will therefore need to bring books for these lessons. Once the weather warning has ceased usual uniform expectations should again be adhered to.

Thank you for your support in maintaining our high standards in the run up to the end of term.

Yours faithfully

Heidi Faure
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