

17.07.22

Dear parents / carers,

Arrangements for Monday (18.07.22 and Tuesday 19.07.22)

Over the past few days I have been carefully monitoring the guidance and advice from the various key organisations (DfE, Local Authority, public health and Transport for London).

The following arrangements will be implemented in response to the red alert warning that is issued for Monday and Tuesday :

- School will remain open for all children, however parents can decide if they wish to send their child or children in. If your child is absent due to the hot weather it will be authorised absence.
- **Parents can collect their child/children from 1p.m. from their classes directly via. the outside doors.** Please sign your child out with the class teacher. If your child has permission to walk home alone and you would like for your child to leave school at 1p.m. you must call us to inform us or send a letter to school with your child.
- **Year 6 trip to Canvey Island for Monday 18th July will still go ahead,** however my staff will continuously evaluate our risk assessments and will bring our year 6 children back early if it gets too hot. The children will be transported via. an air conditioned coach. At the seaside, gazebos will be set up and each child will be given a bottle of chilled water, an ice lolly and an ice-cream.
- **Nursery Fun Day planned for Tuesday 19th July will still go ahead.** The paddling pools will be set up under gazebos and activities will take place indoors or in shaded areas.
- Children in the classes upstairs will be downstairs all day as the rooms upstairs does get very hot. Year 3 will use 2 year 6 classrooms, one year 4 class will use a year 6 classroom and year 2 will use both halls – all areas will be sign posted for collection from 1p.m.
- All children must bring a bottle water to school. To help keep children cool, each child will be given a bottle of chilled water and an ice lolly. Staff will remind children to drink water regularly throughout the day and to wear sun hats and sunscreen. Children will not participate in rigorous physical activities.
- Children can wear non uniform clothing to school: cool light shades please, shorts and a t shirt will be ideal. No open-toed shoes. Please ensure they have sun cream and a hat)
- As it is the last week of term there will be no after school clubs or booster classes. After school care till 7p.m. will still continue. Children will not be participating in any physical activities indoors and outdoors.

Please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions etc.

Many thanks,

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