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'One school, learning together'

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Dear Parents/Carers

Hot Weather



During this period of prolonged hot and stuffy weather, can we remind you to ensure the children have a sun hat and a refillable drinks bottle in school. All our classrooms have cold water taps so any empty bottles can be filled throughout the day, we also have two outside drink points and are supplying additional cups of water on the field at lunch time.



It was lovely to hear so many fantastic recounts of the weekend involving time at the beach and in gardens in swimming pools. We haven't seen many sets of red shoulders/arms so it was good to see our children covering up and clearly using appropriate sun cream.



Can we also encourage you to apply sun cream before the children come to school. Over the last few days we have shortened their time outside and we have encouraged them to use the shady areas of the field and playground. The advice we have received from both County and from the Cancer Research website also suggests reapplying sun cream at regular intervals – if you feel your child is able to reapply their own sun lotion they may wish to bring a small named travel sized bottle which they should keep in their bag to use themselves at lunch times (due to potential allergies, children will only be able to apply their own sun cream).

Many thanks for your support and long may these sunny days continue!

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Parker
Assistant Head Teacher

