



Summer Guidelines

For 2023

When (and if ...a big IF) the weather increases in temperature (eg exceeds 20°C) parents and carers may choose to send their children into school wearing ' summer uniform ' options . We will always ask pupils to bring a light anorak (even on a sunny day) as our weather is so unpredictable and heavy showers can often break out.

- Summer dresses (must be full gingham - culottes or playsuits) in navy blue or emerald green (school colours).
- Shorts must be tailored and not 'cargo' style shorts.
- (KS1 & KS2) No polo shirts – smart uniform shirts only which may be short sleeved but tailored.
- Polo shirts can be worn as part of the PE kit obviously and we will be encouraging our children to come to school in PE kit for whole days as often as possible to avoid getting changed.

If you do not choose the summer options then please continue to wear our normal school uniform as the summer choices are optional.

On really hot days (eg 20C plus) children may be asked not to wear their ties , cardigans or jumpers so it is really important to have all clothing clearly labelled.

Games lessons will take place outside whenever possible. We shall take the children out as much as possible for good mental health , physical activity and the great benefits of fresh air and space.

Please provide your child with a clear labelled water bottle (capacity no more than 500ml). Water bottles should be taken home at night and washed out. Water bottles should be clear (transparent) so staff can clearly see that the liquid is water and not juice. Children can top up bottles at school during the day. Please use a water bottle that can survive being dropped to the floor without breaking as we have had many accidents which prove to be hazardous and time consuming to clean up following a drop to a hard floor.

Please send in hats (clearly labelled) on hot days.

Sun cream may be sent in for your child to apply to themselves (not to be shared with other children).

In extreme hot weather we will apply our 'indoor (wet) play' strategies and keep the children indoors for longer periods in the shade.

Please remember that for the safety of all children and adults, football must not be played in the playgrounds before or after school, bikes and scooters must be pushed, not ridden on the school site.