



Park House School

15 June 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

I write to you today as school has been advised by the Local Authority that a heatwave level 2 warning has been issued from 00:00 Friday 17 to 00:00 Sunday 19 June 2022. This means that temperatures are likely to rise to levels that increase the risk of ill health among vulnerable people.

The Met Office, in conjunction with UKHSA, is issuing the following heatwave warning for our area:

"Heatwaves can be dangerous, especially for the very young or very old or those with chronic disease. Advice on how to reduce the risk either for yourself or somebody you know can be obtained from the NHS website at <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/healthy-body/heatwave-how-to-cope-in-hot-weather/> NHS 111 or from your local chemist."

Children's susceptibility to high temperatures varies; those under four years of age, who are overweight, or who are taking certain medication may be at increased risk of adverse effects. Some children with disabilities or complex health needs may be more susceptible to high temperatures.

Please ensure that your child has taken suitable precautions for this weather, such as bringing a water bottle, sunscreen, etc. As I have already indicated this week, a blazer is not required at school during this hot weather, however we will almost certainly revert to our normal uniform when things cool down on Monday, I will advise if we need to continue with our summer uniform amendment.

Yours faithfully

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