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Hot Weather Update

Dear Parents and Carers,

As you are aware, we have been monitoring the conditions in school closely and following guidance from Worcestershire County Council regarding our response to the expected weather over the next two days. The message remains clear that schools should stay open and, as a local authority school, we will be following this direction.

However, we are aware that parents and carers are concerned about the increasing heat and have therefore made the decision that parents and carers may collect their children following afternoon registration if they wish to do so, both today and Thursday, from 1.10pm. Children will need to be collected from the school office.

If you do not wish to collect your child, or are unable to do so, we would like to reassure you that school will remain open as normal, including after-school care and clubs. We understand that many parents and carers have work commitments and may be unable to make alternative arrangements.

As you will appreciate, this is an unusual weather event and our priority remains the health, safety and wellbeing of all children and staff. We hope you understand that we are seeking to balance the needs of families with our responsibility to provide education and care for all pupils.

Throughout the day, we will continue to take appropriate measures to keep children as comfortable as possible, including ensuring regular access to drinking water, encouraging children to remain in shaded areas and adapting activities as necessary.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Kirsty Shaw

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'K. Shaw'.

Headteacher