



# Winterton Community Academy

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Dear Parents / Carers,

I am conscious that the weather forecast states it is going to be a much warmer day on Friday.

There are steps that our students can take to help ensure that they remain cool and comfortable throughout the day.

- Students in years 9-11 can wear their polo shirt as part of the standard uniform
- Students who wear blazers are permitted to leave their blazers at home for the remainder of the summer term
- Students have always been allowed to wear tailored shorts as a part of the school uniform if they are the correct colour and are appropriate as uniform.
- Students will be allowed to wear a sun-hat or cap, outside the building during break and lunch.

In addition, if it is a warm day, I would encourage students to seek shade and relax during lunchtime rather than running around playing football etc.

If students are going to sit out in the sunshine, please remind them to wear sun cream.

Finally, it is really important at all times of the year, but particularly when the weather is a little warmer, to remain hydrated and I would encourage all students to have a water bottle that can be sealed to help ensure they drink regularly throughout the day. It is student's responsibility to ensure that they fill their water bottle up during their own time at break and lunchtime, and they should not be late for lessons as a result of queuing for the water fountain. Students must be careful not to spill water on the corridors, is going this is also a polite reminder that anyone deliberately squirting / throwing water will receive a detention for their disruptive behaviour.

Kind regards,

Mr Rowlands