



Beechwood Primary School

Sun Protection Policy

At Beechwood Primary School we acknowledge the importance of sun protection and want staff and pupils to enjoy the sun safely. We will work with staff, pupils and parents to achieve this through:

Education

The following measures are in place:

- All pupils will have at least one Sun Smart lesson per year.
- We will talk about how to be Sun Smart in assemblies at the start of the summer term and before summer break.
- Parents and guardians will be sent a letter explaining what the school is doing about sun protection and how they can help at the beginning of the summer term.

Protection

This is an ongoing process:

Shade - We will encourage students to sit/play in the shade where it is available.

Clothing - Children are encouraged to wear hats that cover the ears, face and neck

Sunscreen - Parents are advised to apply sunscreen to children before school

Hydration - All children encouraged to have water bottles in school every day

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Next Review: April 2017