



# Tomlinscote School

Dear Parents and Carers,

As you will be aware the forecast for the week ahead has significantly changed over the weekend, with temperatures now set to rise on Tuesday - Thursday to 39 degrees and feeling even hotter, particularly in classrooms where there is limited ventilation and no air conditioning. A red warning has now been issued which states that physical activity should not take place between 11am and 3pm and that adjustments should be made to working practices.

Therefore, very sadly, we have determined that for the safety of all students and staff that the following changes will be made to arrangements for the week ahead. The situation is changing every hour so I will confirm the arrangements each day.

## **School Day timings**

School will begin at 08.30am and end at 12.00pm. Students will follow their normal Periods 1-3 and then go to their tutor room. They will then leave the site to go home at 12.00pm. Additional work will be set on Google Classroom for periods 4-6 and that can be completed at home. The Beehive canteen will be open at 12.00pm if students wish to collect some "grab and go food" for lunch. For those students who are unable to get home at that time, they will be supervised in computer rooms which have air conditioning until the end of the usual school day.

Please email [office@tomlinscoteschool.com](mailto:office@tomlinscoteschool.com) if you wish your child to stay on site after 12.00pm on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday.

## **Year 6 Transition Evening**

This evening has been postponed and will now occur on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2026.

## **Creative Arts Awards Evening**

This event has been postponed and will now occur on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2026.

## **Drama Theatre trip**

This event has been cancelled. We will rearrange the trip for another time.

## **Art & Photography exhibition**

This event has been cancelled.

## **Keeping safe at school**

As stated in my message last Friday, please could you ensure your child comes to school with plenty of water, sunscreen and a hat to ensure they can cope with the increased temperatures.

We fully expect to return to the usual school day on Friday, but I will confirm that later in the week.

We greatly appreciate your support throughout this disrupted week and I will communicate with you as soon as possible if I need to make further changes.

Yours Sincerely

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