

Gosfield School Sun Protection for EYFS Pupils

At Gosfield School, we want staff and pupils to enjoy the sun safely; consequently, we follow the SunSmart Sun Protection Guidelines. The measures we have in place are as follows:

EDUCATION

We talk about how to be SunSmart in assemblies, at the start to the summer term.

PROTECTION

The Early Years outdoor areas have canopies to provide shade.

The Reception class outside area has a small group of trees, which provides natural shade.

When using the school field during the summer term, shade is provided by trees.

On Sports Day, canopies are provided to shade the children during this event.

CLOTHING

The school uniform list specifies that a sun hat must be kept in school during the summer term.

SUNCREAM

During the summer months we request that all parents apply suncream to their child before school/nursery, to provide their child with a full days' protection from the sun.

We obtain permission from parents/guardians to apply additional suncream to their child during the school/nursery day and require parents to provide a bottle of suncream for this purpose.

We ask that parents avoid using Nivea Kids Protect & Care 5 in 1 50+ suncream on their child as it contains Almond Oil (we have pupils and members of staff with nut allergies and need to ensure they are kept safe from harm).

Principal's Signature: Date: 0109124

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