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Tuesday 29th April

Dear Parents and Carers,

RE: Warm Weather

The weather is forecast to be warm later this week and I am writing to you to outline uniform expectations so that all students are comfortable in school:

1. Students must bring their blazers to school as these items enable them to be clearly identified as QE students. Blazers are also useful for holding essential equipment for exams and assessments.
2. At break and lunch, blazers may be removed. Students may remove blazers in lessons with their teachers' permission.
3. Students may wear the short-sleeve shirt that is part of our uniform.

If we experience warmer weather later in the term, we will move to 'short sleeve order', with students allowed to remove ties and roll up their sleeves. Despite the warm sun this week, we are expecting a breeze which will keep temperatures relatively comfortable and humidity low.

We encourage students to bring water bottles to school and they do have access to an air-conditioned space during lunch or break if they are at risk of overheating. However, there is plenty of shade available around the school site if students are too hot. We also suggest that students wear sunscreen if they are spending long periods of time in the sun.

I hope this provides reassurance that we will respond to warmer weather with adjustments to our uniform expectations.

Yours sincerely,



Mr Thomas Neill
Headteacher