

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School SunSmart Sun Protection Advice

At school we want staff and pupils to enjoy the sun safely. We will work with staff, pupils and parents to achieve this through:

EDUCATION

- All pupils will have at least one SunSmart lesson per year
- We will talk about how to be SunSmart in assemblies at the start of the summer term

PROTECTION

Shade:

- We have four playground shelters already in place
- We have bought picnic tables and these are located in shady areas of the playground
- There are canopies for the children to shelter under

Clothing:

- We have school sun hats that are available from School Togs, Nailsea. We would encourage children to wear wide brimmed sun hats if you provide your own
- The PTFA provide Reception children with a school sun hat at the beginning of the school year

Sunscreen:

- We cannot currently supply or apply sunscreen to pupils on a daily basis because of cost, allergies and intolerances
- Please apply a high factor sunscreen before your child comes to school in the morning
- If your child is old enough to apply their own sunscreen they may bring it to school (labelled with their name) in their bag, they may only apply it to themselves

This policy was developed with the help of staff, pupils and parents.