

## Spalding Parish Church of England Day School

12th May 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

## Sun Safety – Hat, Drink and Sun Cream

As we have seen the arrival of the sunshine and significantly warmer weather, I would like to remind you of the following:

- Send a **hat** in with your child, named, to keep the sun off their head during the times of the day that they will be outside.
- Apply sun cream before your child comes to school. It would also be appreciated if a named bottle of sun cream is brought into school for your child to apply another layer later in the day. If your child struggles with applying sun cream please would you support them at home by letting them 'have a go'.
  - If you are concerned about your child not being able to apply the sun cream please speak to your child's Teacher. As long as you gave your consent on the 'Permission to Apply Sunscreen' form, staff will be able to help your child. I believe, as a parent, the common sense approach of supporting the children to apply sun cream is much better than allowing them to potentially get sun burn.
- A drinks bottle filled with fresh water daily is also essential to ensure your child is hydrated.

Please ensure you apply sun cream and send a hat with your child whenever the forecast is for sun.

## A drinks bottle should be brought in every day, whether the sun is shining or not.

Let's hope the sun continues to shine and we can all get outside and enjoy it.

Yours sincerely

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