



Ivington Church of England (VA) Primary and Pre-School

Tuesday 23rd June

Dear Parents and Carers,

Due to the current extreme heat alert, although **Ivington will remain open**, we are offering families the option to collect their children early at 1.00pm on Wednesday and Thursday.

Please note that this is entirely optional and the school will remain fully open for those children who stay for the full day.

We will continue to closely monitor the situation and will provide an update regarding arrangements for Friday in due course.

To help ensure the wellbeing of all pupils during the hot weather, we will maintain the measures already in place, including:

- Encouraging children to drink water regularly throughout the day
- Ventilating classrooms as effectively as possible
- Keeping children indoors during the hottest parts of the day to minimise heat exposure

For those choosing early collection, the school gate will open at 1.00pm and close at 1.10pm. Children remaining in school for the afternoon may be collected at the usual time of 3.30pm.

We kindly ask that you make the decision that best meets your child's individual needs and your family's circumstances.

Please also note that there will be no after-school clubs, including Chill Club, on Wednesday and Thursday.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

Yours faithfully

Mrs M Smith
Headteacher