



STREATHAM & CLAPHAM PREP SCHOOL

SUN SAFETY POLICY Streatham & Clapham High School Foundation Stage

Person(s) responsible for this policy		Head of EYFS	
Last review by	S Dowler	Review date	September 2024
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- All children are to have sunscreen on before coming to school. If sun cream is brought into school then the children are supervised whilst they apply it to themselves.
 - Shaded areas are provided in the playground.
 - All the children wear protective sun hats. Foundation Stage children may wear a sun hat from home.
 - The children's activities are organised in shaded areas and children are encouraged to play within these areas.
 - Staff ensure all children are given drinks frequently throughout the session.
- At SCPS we want all staff and children to enjoy the sun safely. We will work with staff, parents, and carers to achieve this through.

Education-

All children will be involved in a discussion, appropriate for their age and understanding, at the start of summer about sun protection and the risks

All staff will be educated in the importance of sun protection and the risks involved in not protecting both themselves and others

Parents and carers will be informed about our policy

Protection-

The EYFS playground has shade provided with outdoor shelter and trees

Children will be encouraged to use the shaded areas during playtimes during sunny days

Clothing-

The children will be encouraged to wear clothes that provide good sun protection (sun hats etc)

Parents/carers will be duly informed of the importance to provide appropriate clothing/headwear

Girls are encouraged to increase their water intake in hot weather and are also encouraged to do so in outdoor areas.

Water will always be available to children throughout the day

Sunscreen-

Parents should apply sun cream to their child at home before the school day.

Parents are asked to give written permission for sun cream to be applied to their children.

Parents are required to provide appropriate sun cream for their children

- Outdoor sessions are kept to a limited time in very hot weather.

- On sports day special care is taken and a risk assesment is completed