

KEITHCOT FARM PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Caregivers,

After a process of discussion with parents, staff and students, Governing Council has approved the following policies to be enforced;

HOT WEATHER

1. Hot weather constitutes a forecast of 36 degrees or greater prior to either recess or lunch.
2. A double bell will sound to signify that students are to stay inside.
3. All lunches and recess should be stored inside the classroom.
4. In line with our SunSmart Policy, no PE/Fitness lessons are to be outside after recess.

On days when the temperature is forecast to be 36 degrees, but it hasn't reached 36 (according to the BOM Wynn Vale temperature), the oval will be out of bounds at lunch time due to lack of shade available.

NB – On hot days when students play outside (just under 36 degrees) teachers should encourage students to play in the shade and limit ball games in full sun.

DOGS ON SCHOOL GROUNDS

For the safety and protection of our students, no dog is permitted on site during school hours, including before and after school. Toby, our Wellbeing dog, who has had a risk assessment and been approved by Governing Council, and dogs brought in by a parent for class sharing with prior approval from the class teacher, will be the only dogs permitted on school grounds. Thank you for your support with ensuring that all students feel safe at school.

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