



Singlewell School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Sun Safety and Sun Cream Use at School

As we approach the warmer summer months, we want to take this opportunity to remind everyone of the importance of sun safety for all our children during the school day and on school trips.

We strongly encourage all parents to apply a high factor, long lasting sun cream to their child before they come to school, especially on sunny days. Teaching children how to apply sun cream properly is a helpful life skill, and we would encourage you to help your child learn how to do this as independently as possible.

We understand, however, that there may be occasions where sun cream has not been applied before school. In such cases, or where a reapplication is necessary (e.g. during a school trip or extended time outdoors), we propose to keep a small supply of sun cream in the school office for emergency use.

To ensure we do this safely and with your permission, we ask that you provide consent ([click here](#)), allowing staff to apply school sun cream to your child only when necessary and if they are unable to apply it themselves safely with appropriate coverage.

We kindly ask that children do not bring their own bottles of sun cream into school unless they have a medical condition supported by a doctor's note. This is to avoid issues such as:

- Sharing products with other children, which may cause allergic reactions.
- Incorrect application without supervision.
- Lost or leaking bottles in school bags, which may damage belongings.

By keeping a small, controlled supply in school and using it only when needed, we can better manage safety and ensure all children are protected appropriately.

LIST OF INGREDIENTS ⓘ

Does not include Oxybenzone, Octinoxate, Octocrylene, Microplastics

Included:

Aqua, Alcohol Denat, C12-15 Alkyl Benzoate, Isopropyl Palmitate, Glycerin, Butyl Methoxydibenzoylmethane, Ethylhexyl Triazone, Bis-Ethylhexyloxyphenol Methoxyphenyl Triazine, Dibutyl Adipate, Butylene Glycol Dicaprylate-Dicaprate, Copernicia Cerifera Cera, Diethylamino Hydroxybenzoyl Hexyl Benzoate, Glyceryl Stearate, Microcrystalline Cellulose, Hydrogenated Rapeseed Oil, Phenylbenzimidazole Sulfonic Acid, Cetyl Palmitate, Phenoxyethanol, Sodium Stearoyl Glutamate, Diisostearyl Polyglyceryl-3 Dimer Dilinoleate, Trisodium EDTA, Xanthan Gum, Cellulose Gum, Caprylyl Glycol, Tocopheryl Acetate, Sodium Hydroxide, Sodium Chloride, Parfum

Active Ingredient: Glycerine

This product does not contain Almond Oil – for more details please visit nivea.co.uk/allergy



We will be using a widely available, child appropriate, hypoallergenic brand (as above), but please let us know if your child has any known allergies or sensitivities to sun cream or specific ingredients.

We will not routinely apply sun cream to children, but this emergency provision will help us to ensure your child remains protected during school activities in the sun.

Key information:

- Parents are expected to apply sun cream before school each morning.
- The school will provide sun cream for **emergency** use or reapplication during trips.
- Only children with parental consent will receive school supplied sun cream.
- Children with allergies must have clearly communicated details on their records.

Thank you for your support in helping us keep children safe and comfortable during sunny weather. Please do not hesitate to contact the school office if you have any questions or concerns.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Catt
Headteacher