



Sunsmart & Hot/Inclement Weather Policy

Houghton Preschool, Lower North East Rd., Houghton

Preschool: 8380 5701

School: 8380 5216



The purpose of this policy is to ensure that all children and educators are protected from skin damage caused by the harmful ultraviolet rays of the sun.

Sun Smart

Houghton Preschool is committed to providing and maintaining a safe and healthy working and learning environment for educators, children and volunteers to preschool. All children and adults must wear a hat outside in terms 1 and 4. Children will not be allowed to play outside without a hat.

Parents will be responsible for applying sunscreen to children before they arrive for preschool. Sunscreen will be provided for reapplication when required during the day for children. If your child has sensitive skin to provide their own sun screen.

Educators and volunteers will be expected to wear sun protection and be responsible for their own skin protection.

Hot weather

On days of hot weather, educators will decide whether it is safe to play outside. On days of extreme heat, children will be kept inside. Water is available to refill their water bottles.

If any person at preschool suffers from heat related illness (heat stress or heat exhaustion) they will be required to complete an ED155m and this will be forwarded WHS, DECD.

Extreme Fire Danger

Principal.....

Governing council.....

Date ratified.....

Next review date.....



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