

Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School

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Joyfully, unique in Jesus' family, we learn to use our special gifts to love, serve and make the world a better place.



Wednesday 24th June 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

School Closure Notice for Pre-School, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 – Thursday 25th June

As you are aware, there is currently a **Red Heat Health Alert** in effect. We have noticed that our youngest pupils find it challenging to self-regulate in these unprecedented temperatures and have particularly struggled in the heat today.

To ensure the safety and wellbeing of our youngest pupils, **Pre-School, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 will be closed on Thursday 25th June**, as we are unable to provide air conditioned classrooms for these year groups.

School will remain open to pupils in **Key Stage 2 (Year 3–6)**. These year groups will spend the majority of the day in fully air-conditioned classrooms to help keep them comfortable during the high temperatures.

If you are a **key worker** and have a child in Pre-School, Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 (including NHS staff, police officers, emergency services personnel or teachers), your child is welcome to attend school on Thursday 25th June, if required. Please email the school office to let us know if your child will be attending. On arrival, please report to the school hall. Breakfast Club and After-School Club will operate as normal.

If you feel that your child may struggle to cope in the extreme heat and would prefer to keep them at home on **Thursday 25th June**, please do so. Please follow the usual absence reporting procedures, and the absence will be authorised.

We appreciate your cooperation and understanding as we strive to keep your children comfortable and safe during this challenging weather.

An update will follow tomorrow afternoon regarding Friday 26th June.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Simon Lennon
Headteacher