



St Elphege's Catholic Schools

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Hot Weather Update

Dear Parents and Carers,

Firstly, thank you for your support during this week.

I have looked at the forecast for Friday and the expected temperature has risen to 36 degrees Celsius, bringing it in line with today and Thursday.

With this in mind, I will be extending the option for early collection to Friday.

If you wish to collect your child at 1:30pm on Friday you may.

I will need you to complete this additional [Friday Early Collection Form](#) so that we know who will be leaving site at the earlier time. Parents are also welcome to keep their child at school until 2.30pm, if they wish to.

Please note, that the school will not allow a child to walk home alone; the child must be collected by an adult. One submission per child.

The main Mollison Drive gate will be opened at 1:25pm.

- **Infant children** will be brought to the **Infant Playground** by their teacher or teaching assistant for collection.
- **Junior children** will be brought to the **Junior Playground** by their teacher or teaching assistant for collection.

If you do wish to collect at 1:30pm, please ensure you are punctual so that children are not waiting for extended periods of time outside.

Please also note that the Mass scheduled for Year 5 and 6 on Friday has been cancelled.

The temperatures will be returning to normal June readings over the weekend. Please ensure you send your child to school on Monday in full school uniform and note that Monday is also Class Photo Day.

Yours sincerely,

Mr L Hawkes

Headteacher