



**Ark Bentworth Primary Academy**  
**SUN CREAM POLICY**



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Children at Ark Bentworth Primary Academy will have the opportunity to play outdoors throughout the year (unless there are poor weather conditions) and therefore in the summer months it is important that all children have an application of sun cream before they go outdoors.

It is the policy of Ark Bentworth Primary Academy to gain parent/carer permission before allowing a child to apply sun cream by means of a consent form.

### **Staff at ARK Bentworth Primary Academy are aware that:**

- Parents/Carers must be given a sun cream consent form.
- If a Parent/Carer does not sign a form then the child must be kept inside until the school can contact the parents to gain permission.
- If a Parent/Carer does not want their child to apply the sun cream, then the parent/carer must apply this themselves before their child dresses for school.
- Children will be encouraged to wear the **official school uniform sun hat** (these can be purchased from the school office).
- The sun has damaging effects on the skin and even if it is not an extremely warm day there is still a risk of being burnt, even with cloud cover.

### **POLICY STATEMENT**

**The Management will ensure that all Staff, Parents/ Carers, Voluntary Workers and others, are aware of the policy. This policy will be reviewed annually.**

***Policy to be reviewed: September 2019***

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