



# Meersbrook Bank Primary School

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Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Many thanks to everyone who collected their children earlier than normal today at short notice. The classrooms were bearable this morning but after lunch the temperatures sky-rocketed and became very uncomfortable indeed despite our best efforts to keep them cool.

The residual heat in classrooms is still high and is likely to remain so overnight with temperatures not forecast to drop, therefore we have made the difficult decision to close the school tomorrow (Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July). We will re-open again on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July. If you do have work commitments which make it impossible for your child to stay at home, please let the office know as soon as possible so we can plan on accommodating them as best as possible. The kitchen will not be operational so children would need to bring a packed lunch with them. (We will still provide packed lunches for free school meal children who are in school.)

We appreciate that home learning will be the last thing on many parent's minds but if you do require activities, class teachers will post them via class dojo tomorrow morning. These will be simple tasks and will not need to be brought into school on Wednesday.

This has not been an easy decision to make and is a shame when we're so close to the end of the school year but the safety of your children is paramount.

Many thanks for your support,

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs G. Harvey

