							1	2	3	4	5	Risk Rating
Hazardous Event	1	2	3	4	5	1	1	2	3	4	5	Low – monitor the situation
Likelihood	Very unlikely	Unlikely	Possible (heard of it happening)	Likely	Very Likely	2 3	2 3	4 6	6 9	8 12	10 15	Medium – identify improvements, draw up action plan and monitor
Severity	None or trivial injury / illness or 1 person at risk	Minor injury or illness / Only minor first aid required or up to 5 persons at risk	Injury or illness that could result in lost time or up to 10 persons at risk	Specified major injury / severe incapacity, fractures, loss of consciousness or up to 25 persons at risk	Fatality / widespread loss – 25 or more persons involved	<u>4</u> 5	4	8 1 0	12 1 5	16 2 0	20 2 5	High – urgent action required to reduce exposure and re-access

School Name:	Wanstead High School										
Activity Description:	Adverse weather conditions – extreme heat										
Person Completing:	Emma Hillman/Sarah Williams/Helise Martin/Donna Cini										
Hazards	Who is at risk?	L	S	Risk (L*S)	Current Control Measures - in place and activated when temperature goes over 25C	L	S	Risk (L*S)	Additional Requirements from 23/6/25	Timescale	
Individuals over- heating and subsequent medical impact eg. dehydration, sunburn and fainting	Staff Pupils Visitors	3	3	9	 Use of portable thermometers to measure temperatures. If classrooms measure over 30 degrees, teachers will be given further advice/options eg. moving classrooms if temperatures reach 33 degrees inside, further measures will be considered such as closing classrooms, moving staff or if this affects the safe running of the school and the weather is extreme, liaising with the LA re closing all or part of the school for a period of time. Opening windows to increase ventilation - all staff advised to do via briefings and Staff Bulletin. Closing blinds - as above. Using as few lights as possible - as above. Using fans & portable air 	2	2	4	 Staff reminded that they can request fans via School Business Manager and asked to report extreme conditions. Pupils advised to move to shaded areas on field while on lunch. At present, we cannot increase shaded areas with canopies etc due to building works. PE kit been considered but impact on behaviour and safeguarding outweighs benefits – Director of Sport to ensure all pupils have perfect PE kit next year to be able to reconsider this and also to review the PE kit fabric and colours. 	From 23/6/25 and consideration about ties if temperature increases	

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conditioners - School Business	Tie to be relaxed at some
Manager has an asset register.	point during w/b 23 rd
Staying in the shade where possible	June 2025 if necessary
Wearing light, loose fitting clothing	but rule reversed
 Pupils are informed about the 	immediately if any
relaxing of uniform rules at certain	additional safeguarding
times	concerns or impact on
School has introduced tailored	behaviour. School have
shorts	the right to return to this
Ensuring that there is an adequate	at any time – only top
supply of drinking water	button undone and ties
Pupils and parents/carers informed	to be rolled up in bag.
about hats and sun cream.	SLT and Governors to
	consider summer
	uniform before end of
	school year. Lanyards to
	be introduced in Sept
	2025 to ensure uniform
	can be introduced or ties
	relaxed in future.
	 Pupils encouraged to get
	water in between lessons
	and reminded about
	water fountain etiquette.
	• PowerPoint to all pupils.
	PE or other practical
	activities as per direction
	of PE or other staff.
	 Advising teachers of
	practical subjects where
	ovens, computers or
	other machines may
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			increase heat to consider
			theory lessons to ensure
			these remain turned off.
			Letter sent to
			parents/carers with copy
			of risk assessment and
			put on website.
			Risk assessments
			necessary for all school
			trips that include
			measures for extreme
			heat and events
			cancelled if concerns.
			 There must be a robust
			plan B for Sports Day –
			pupils and parents/carers
			need to be aware that
			this is the school's
			decision.

Initial Assessment Review Date	Risk Assessment assessed, reviewed by the following competent person:	Tasks and control measures reviewed by the Governing Body:
Name (PRINT)	Emma Hillman	Name (PRINT): Ellen Lake
Signature:	Emma Hillman	Signature: E Lake Date: 01 07 25
Next Review Date: Friday 4 th July	 Your workplace will change over time. You are likely to bring in new equal may have an accident or a case of ill health. You should review your risk assessment: if it is no longer valid if there has been a significant change 	quipment, substances and procedures. There may be advances in technology. You