



Eczema Foundation

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ATOPIC ECZEMA: FACT SHEET FOR TEACHERS

The most frequently asked questions about eczema

IS ECZEMA A CONTAGIOUS DISEASE? *No*

ARE VACCINES CONTRAINDICATED? *No*

CAN ATOPIC CHILDREN PLAY SPORTS? *Yes*

DO ALL ATOPIC CHILDREN HAVE FOOD ALLERGIES? *No*
(Only a small number of them: the school must be notified)

Atopic eczema: precautions to take at school



HEAT CAN BE A PROBLEM FOR ECZEMA:

- At school, the child should be given a seat away from radiators
- The classroom and/or dormitory should be ventilated morning and evening
- Wool directly on the skin and turtleneck sweaters that irritate the skin should be avoided



CERTAIN SOAPS CAN AGGRAVATE ECZEMA:

- Allow the child to bring their own suitable soap



SPORTS ARE ALLOWED, OF COURSE:

- If possible, children should take a quick shower after swimming or sweating

