KCS Cools Off By Evelyn Martinez, Keira Masongo

Did you know that about 658 people die from extreme heat each year? For years students and staff at KCS have sat in hot classrooms, but that shall happen no more. Dr. Savoia decided that students deserved better. New air conditioning was installed over the summer. The new air conditioning will also help some students and staff who have certain illnesses who can't stand the heat. Although the new air conditioning had a lot of great effects, it had some downfalls as well. A bad thing about the air conditioning is teachers weren't able to set up their classrooms as soon as they possibly could. Truly the air conditioning had some really big effects.

The air conditioning has a lot of health benefits as well. According to Miss Pento, KCS health teacher, "The air conditioning helps a lot of my students in gym not become as exhausted, Heat has a really bad physical effect on the human body, especially with hygiene." Besides the physical effects of air conditioning, being colder has been proven to help with tasks performance (school, jobs etc.) Although the air conditioning has a lot of health benefits, the staff members have to clean the air conditioning often so that we don't get as sick. A dirty air conditioning can cause more colds than a clean one. So based off of this anyone can conclude that the new air conditioning has some great and bad side effects.