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Dear Parent/Carer,

## **HEAD LICE ISSUE**

Due to a reported cases of head lice within your child's class can we please now ask **ALL** parents/carers to check your child's hair thoroughly as a precaution.

The following three simple steps should successfully treat this problem.

Step 1: Detection: The only sure way to check for lice or nits (the empty white egg cases left behind when head lice hatch) is with a special detection comb. By wet combing regularly, infestation can be spotted early – and finding a live head louse confirms it.

Step 2: Treatment: An effective way to get rid of head lice is to use a head lice treatment. Pharmacists have a range of high quality medicated and natural head lice treatments.

Step 3: Making sure: The best way to clear head lice is with two applications, to remove lice from unhatched eggs missed at the first application.

## IT IS IN THE INTERESTS OF ALL THE CHILDREN TO CHECK YOUR CHILD'S HEAD EACH WEEK.

Please help us to eradicate these unwelcome visitors!

Thank you for your help in this matter.

Yours sincerely

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