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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

Paul Beveridge