



Headlice

Dear Parents/Carers,

There have been a few cases of head lice recently in school. Of course it's nothing to be alarmed about, but it is a nuisance, so we would just like to remind you of the regular three step routine you need to follow for detecting, treating and removing them:

- Detection: Once a week, perhaps on a Sunday evening after a bath, use a special removal comb to hunt for head lice.
 If you find a live one...don't panic!
- 2. Treatment: Take the dead lice on some Sellotape to ROWLANDS PHARMACY ON WAKEFIELD ROAD, EARLSHEATON OR ASDA PHARMACY AT DEWSBURY ASDA. They will give you a product which will get rid of head lice quickly and effectively... ABSOLUTELY FREE.



3. Removal: After you have treated the head lice according to the instructions, apply enough hair conditioner to thoroughly cover the hair. Brush the hair from root to tip with a special removal comb and use a tissue to wipe the comb after each brush.

As there has been an outbreak of head lice in school, we suggest that you check your child's head as soon as possible. We also suggest that you continue checking your child's head on a weekly basis (It may also be a good idea to keep long hair tied back). This will help to prevent head lice returning.

Help get rid of head lice in our school together!!