



NAFFERTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers

Head Lice

Due to ongoing issues with head lice in school the full Governing Body have decided the school policy is now for all children with long hair to wear it tied up. If any children with long hair do not have their hair tied up they will be given a hair bobble in school. This is an important issue for the whole Nafferton School family and can affect adults as well as children; together we can hopefully solve the current situation if we remain vigilant with regular checks and treat as soon as possible.

Problems with Head Lice occur quite easily however clean the hair may be. They can be caught quite simply by coming into contact with someone who is infected. If you find any evidence of Head Lice it is important to get treatment as soon as possible, not only for the person infected but for the whole family. It is also important to continue to check regularly and repeat treatments as needed. Try not to be embarrassed about the situation (it really can happen to anyone) and let your child's teacher know and other contacts too, such as your friends so that they can also be checked and treated.

We are doing as much as we can in school; we all need to work together. We will contact parents directly to discuss any individual issues.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Johnson
Headteacher

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