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Dear Parents,  
Warm greetings!

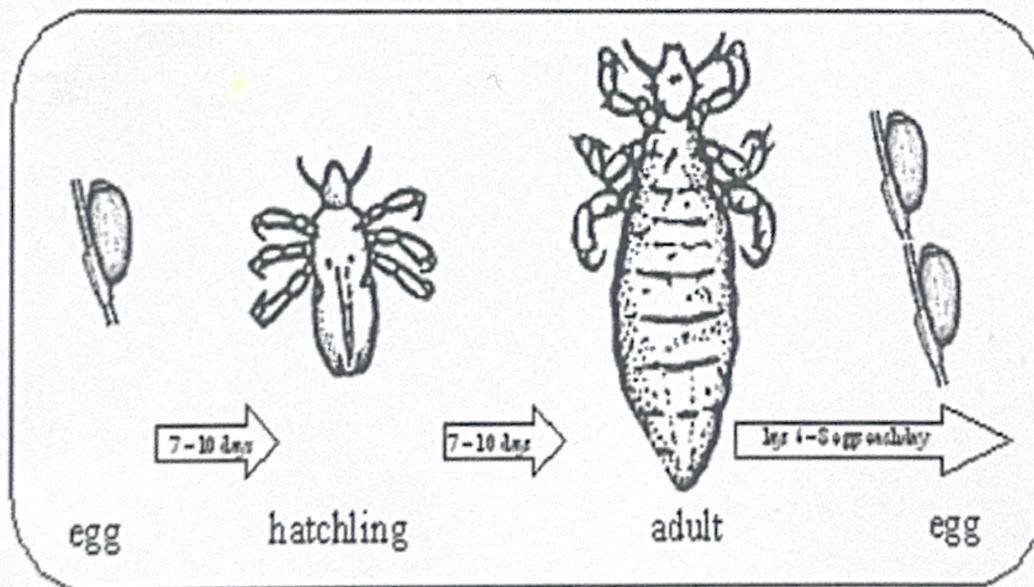
We would like to bring to your attention an important matter that occasionally arises in schools — **head lice**. While this is a common issue among children, it's important to address it promptly and correctly to prevent it from spreading.

If you suspect your child is infected with head lice, please notify the school nurse **do not panic; it is not a sign of lack of cleanliness or a health issue**. To prevent further spread of head lice to other students, this condition should be treated immediately. Your child may not be allowed to return to class until the parents indicated to the office the first treatment has been completed. It requires patience, diligence, and hard work to get rid of.

### What to do if your child has head lice?

Your help in inspecting your child at least weekly throughout the school year for the presence of head lice would be greatly appreciated. Please follow the procedures:

1. Under bright light begin looking at the back of the head just above the neck area.
2. Part the hair section by section and look closely for head lice or nits (eggs). Eggs will usually be located near the scalp.



3. Depending on the length and thickness of the hair, it should take between 5 and 15 minutes to properly inspect a child's head.
4. Check the heads of all family members for lice and nits.
5. Immediately treat the scalp of all infested family members at the time.
6. Wash in hot water, all bedding, towels and clothes used in the past 2-3 days including those worn during treatment. Only items that have had direct contact with the affected person(s) need to be washed.
7. Wash hair brushes, combs, and hair accessories with hot soapy water

8. Anything that cannot be washed i.e. stuffed toys, pillows, blankets can be treated by placing in a closed bag for 10 days; or putting in a hot dryer for 20 minutes or putting in the freezer for 48 hours or ironing the items.
9. Continue to check and pull nits every day and repeat hair treatment 7-10 days after initial treatment. This is essential in quickly getting the head lice under control.
10. In addition you may consult your family physician, or local pharmacist for proper medication.

As part of school policy, our **school nurse will also conduct inspections** when necessary.

Thank you for your cooperation and support in keeping our school community healthy. Together, we can manage this issue smoothly and with care.

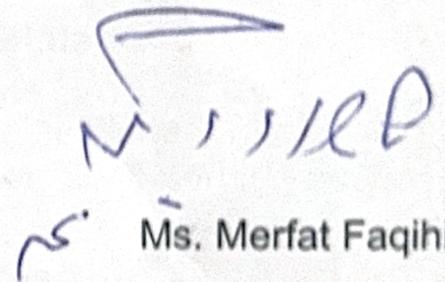
**Wishing you and your family good health and happiness.**

Warm regards,

Ms. Anitha Jeas



School Nurse



Ms. Merfat Faqihi

Principal