

Head Lice

Date

Dear Parents:

We found what appeared to be a case of Head Lice in your child's class today. We are asking for your cooperation in controlling the situation. Please keep a close eye on your child and if you find your child may have symptoms of head lice, please call your physician or Health Department for treatment instructions if needed.

Look for tiny white eggs (nits) on hair shafts, near the scalp, especially at the nape of the neck and behind the ears. Head lice themselves are small grayish-tan insects without wings. The most common symptom of infestation is intense itching on the back of the head or neck. If you need more information on signs and symptoms of head lice, you may contact your PACT Family Advocate. Any family member with signs or symptoms should be checked and treatment sought as needed.

Sincerely,

PACT Teacher