



Head Lice

When a case of head lice is discovered in the nursery the situation will be handled carefully and sensitively. The child concerned will not be isolated from other children, and there is no need for them to be excluded from activities or sessions at the nursery, unless cases become frequent.

The parent/carer will be informed in a sensitive manner when they collect their child, and advice on action to be taken will be given

Other parents/carers will be informed as quickly as possible, including advice and guidance on treating head lice.

Staff should check themselves regularly for lice and treat whenever necessary.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WILL STAFF REVEAL ANY NAMES OF CHILDREN WHO HAVE HEAD LICE