



22<sup>nd</sup> February 2016

To all Parents / carers

We have been notified that there is a case of head-lice in school. Will you please examine your child's hair tonight and seek urgent advice from the School Clinic at Poulton (or a pharmacist) should you find any evidence of nits or eggs.

Please ensure that your child's hair is treated prior to the next school day if traces of headlice or eggs are found. The instructions for treatment should be carefully followed and your child's hair continually checked and combed, ensuring that all dormant eggs are removed. **It is helpful if long hair is tied back or secured in a way which prevents hair to hair contact with another child.**

Thank you.