



THE PARKGATE ACADEMY

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Monday 29th January 2018

Dear Parents & Carers,

RE: Parent Consultation: Prevention Strategies for Head Lice

Thank you to all parents and carers who attended the open forum on Wednesday 17th January. It was good to speak to you about the current problem of head lice in school, and you had some great ideas for the school to think about. Consequently, parents and staff who attended have decided on a way forward. The school will need your support with our intended course of action.

Our main strategy to tackle the problem long-term will be to re-visit best practice of former years in schools, and employ our own 'nit nurse'. We would ensure that children have their heads checked weekly, and if necessary, we will treat children in school and make parents aware of the treatment that must then continue at home. **However, we will need your permission to do this.**

I would be grateful if you would complete the slip below indicating whether or not you agree with the above procedure. **If we do not receive the slip, we will assume that you are in agreement with the above procedures.** This new strategy will begin after February Half Term.

If you have any further questions or ideas then please to not hesitate to contact me. I am confident that together we can make great progress towards eradicating head lice at The Parkgate Academy.

Yours faithfully,

M Nunn (Principal)

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I *agree / disagree* with the above procedures. *(delete as appropriate)*

Name of child:

Signed:

Print Name:

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