

## LICE

A reminder to all that with close contact comes the increased chance of spreading head lice. Please help us by taking initiative on checking your child's hair closely at home on a regular basis. Head lice are tiny, wingless insects that live on the human scalp and are transmitted by direct head-to-head contact because lice do not fly or jump. Early identification is important as well as continued daily combing for nits (lice eggs) at home if lice is identified. Having nits is not a reason to miss school. Please see the school nurse website for more information: <http://hssdschoolnurse.weebly.com/lice.html>