

HEAD LICE (EMAA POLICY)

1. Each child will be checked for head lice on the first week that classes are scheduled. This could be more often if head lice have been found in the center or if staff notices a child that is scratching their head frequently.
2. Any child that has head lice will be sent home immediately. Parents will be sent home information on how to treat head lice. Letters to parents informing them that head lice has been found in the center and asking them to check their child's head will also be sent.
3. Any child that has been sent home for head lice must be rechecked before returning to the class.
4. If the child is not nit free, he or she will be sent home again until they are **totally nit free**.

