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Head Lice Information & Advice Leaflet

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The most effective way to
keep head lice at bay



A useful guide for parents & teachers

been scratching your head about how to control head lice?

Head lice is such an ongoing problem and one that needs addressing,

Escenti has the answer!!!!

Our new Escenti head lice kit uses traditional methods that are proven to eradicate head lice without the use of nasty chemicals and pesticides! We've also got a great range of products for the prevention of head lice, such as our shampoo, conditioner and detangling spray.



Get the facts

- Head lice are parasitic insects with 6 legs and no wings.
- They are caught by hair contact with others that have been infested.
- The lice hold onto the hair using their claws which help them move swiftly through the hair when dry.

Although many people believe that head lice can jump, fly or swim, this isn't actually true, they simply spread by rapidly climbing from head to head. Anyone with hair of any length on their head can catch them.

Lice tend to stay close to the scalp where they can feed on blood extracted from the scalp. This is also a perfect place for laying eggs due to the warmth.

useful tips

- Lice move quickly & freely through the hair unless they're thoroughly wet. Make sure to wash the hair properly and leave plenty of conditioner on whilst using the Escenti wet combing method (see right).
- Pets do not play a part in the transport of head lice. If they come into contact with a child that has head lice, they will not be effected.
- Healthy head lice forceably removed from the head will re-establish if given the chance to climb back onto the head within 24-48 hours of removal. Ensure all head lice are removed from comb and rinsed down the sink.
- Lice that involuntarily fall off the head onto head gear, pillows or toys etc are dying and are completely harmless. It is not necessary to launder or dry clean these articles to eradicate head lice.
- Head lice are attracted to hair no matter what type, be it clean, dirty, thick or thin etc. Anyone with hair can potentially get head lice.

how to get rid of head lice in just six easy steps!

There are numerous ways of getting rid of head lice, but we recommend just one, the wet combing method. This is a proven method that has been around for years, and one that many people swear by. It uses no nasty chemicals or insecticides, and ensures a thorough process, eradicating head lice for good.

To give you parents a helping hand, we've put together a quick guide to get you started.

Need support? Chat to other parents in the same position!

Join our new parents forum at

www.escentiheadlice.co.uk

Combat head lice in just six easy steps!



Step 1: Shampoo the hair using escenti head lice shampoo and rinse thoroughly.



Step 2: Apply escenti head lice conditioner to the hair generously.



Step 3: Part hair into sections using hair clips, pick one section at a time to work on.



Step 4: Hold an individual section of hair firmly, comb deep into the hair, starting at the top of the head, and run down the hair, ensuring the combs teeth are touching the scalp.



Step 5: Repeat step 4 on each section of the hair until the whole head has been combed.



Step 6: Rinse hair thoroughly