

HEAD LICE POLICY

It is the policy of the Ruthven-Ayrshire Community School that any student found to have head lice or nits (eggs) will remain in school. The parent/guardian will be notified and proof of treatment must be presented before returning to school. The student must present a written statement from the parent/guardian, health official, or doctor; stating that the proper treatment and nit removal has been done. The student must be nit free and checked by the school nurse, health clerk, or appropriate personnel before returning to the classroom.

The district will continue to follow the recommendations concerning head lice and the treatment of head lice from the Iowa Department of Public Health at www.idph.state.ia.us.

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