



School District No. 46 (Sunshine Coast)

Governance Policies

5.0 HEALTH, SAFETY AND THE ENVIRONMENT

5.5 HEAD LICE

The key responsibility for the control of Head Lice rests with the parent/guardian. The school has a role to play in educating staff, students and parents about the early detection, treatment and prevention of head lice infestations. The school shall make information on treatment options available.

Head lice infestation management procedures shall reflect current research on the detection of lice infestations. These procedures shall be reviewed on a regular basis.

All intervention should be collaboratively planned with parent/guardians. The dignity of the student and family shall be respected in the implementation of this policy.

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