



## Temple Grafton Church of England Primary School

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Head Teacher



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Dear Parents

In an attempt to stop head lice from circulating endlessly, our school has decided to participate in the Bug Busting programme. Each term we will have a nominated Bug Busting Day.

To make this work, we will need co-operation at home on our chosen Bug Busting Days. Today each family will receive a Bug Buster detection comb with full instructions, please keep in a safe place for future Bug Busting Days.

If you have access to the internet, please look at the short DVD presented on the home page of [www.nits.net](http://www.nits.net) This explains simply how Bug Busting works. A copy of the DVD is available in school by request.



**Our Bug Busting Day is on:**

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November**

**Bug Busting**

**All** family members should be “wet combed” using their usual shampoo, any inexpensive conditioner and the bright yellow Bug Buster provided.

- Follow the illustrated step-by-step instructions packed with the Bug Buster comb to check the whole family.
- If you find any lice on day 1, you can get rid of them by combing them out there and then that person will not be contagious again until day 5. To complete the cure without using medication you will find all the combs required (plus a Nit Buster) in a Bug Buster Kit, available on free NHS prescription to children with head lice.
- There is no need to keep a child off school during Bug Busting.

We look forward to your participation in making our school a louse free zone.

Many thanks

Mrs Hendry

For one-to-one advice please contact  
the **Bug Buster Help Line** on **01908 561928**  
10am – 4pm weekdays

The not-for-profit charity, Community Hygiene Concern, runs the Bug Busting® programme in partnership with the Department of Health

\*\*If you, your child or any member of your family have difficulty in accessing the school and/or the school's facilities and services,

please contact the School Office for assistance.\*\*