

AFTER THE COMMON COLD, WHAT IS THE MOST COMMON CHILDHOOD AFFLICTION?

Answer: LICE

That is why BCS is taking a proactive approach to combating a lice outbreak!

Introducing the Lice Barrier Program:

In the early weeks of our school year the Three Points PTF is bringing in *Lice Knowing You*, a certified and licensed company that will do a head check of every child at Three Points. We have had great success with this program in the past.

September is Lice Awareness month nation wide and often this is the most common time of the year for a lice outbreak in schools. Lice can be picked it up most anywhere, including summer camps. More information is available at www.liceknowingyou.com.

Where and When: The Lice Barrier Program will take place during the regular school day on Tuesday, September 9th.

IMMUNIZATION UPDATES

Please help us keep your child's immunization records up to date by providing us the name and date of any immunizations given after your initial enrollment at BCS. Incoming 6th graders are required to have a Varicella vaccination. Please see the 6th Grade Varicella Vaccination Form under "Back to School/Forms to Turn In" on the Three Points Website.

THREE POINTS STUDENT ILLNESS POLICY

FEVER:

If your child has a fever at home, be sure to keep them home from school for 24 hours AFTER they are fever free without any fever reducing medicine. If your child has a fever at school, our office staff will call you to come pick up your child to go home. They need to remain at home until they are fever free for 24 hours without any fever reducing medicine.

VOMITING OR DIAHRREA:

If your child vomits at home the night before or morning of a school day, you need to keep your student home for that day, unless you are certain the cause was not due to illness of any kind. If your child vomits at school we will call you to pick them up right away.

UNDEFINED ILLNESS:

If your child is complaining of feeling ill, (stomach ache, headache, chills, lack of appetite etc), we request that you keep your student home. If a student complains of feeling ill or appears ill, the teacher will send the student to the office. If a fever is over 99.8 we will call the parents to take them home.

RASHES:

If your child has a rash that you do not know the cause of please keep your student at home until the rash is completely gone, or a Dr. verifies that the rash is not contagious. If a student has a rash at school and we have not received a Dr's verification that the rash is not contagious, we will call the parents to come take them home.