

Notes from Nurse Wendy:

Happy December! Christmas Break is upon us, but the new semester is quickly approaching. Recently, a few cases of head lice have been reported. Keep an eye out for some of these “lice symptoms”. We don’t want lice following us into the new year! If you think you may have lice, or are experiencing any of these symptoms please come see me!

Thanks,

Nurse Wendy

Lice Symptoms

-Small clusters of brown dust that look like dirt and on scalp

-Black pepper looking flat flakes on scalp



-Frequent itching; itching more than normal

-Rash on back of neck or behind the ears. Rash will look like red bumps

-Scabs on head from itching

-Sometimes there are no symptoms of being itchy at all, which is why it is important to look

-Look for oval white cylinders and/or tan colored thorn like growths attached to hair ¼” to 2” from scalp