



Friday 14th November, 2025

Dear families,

Re: Ringworm

We are writing to inform you that a case of **ringworm** has been identified in our EYFS.

Ringworm is a common fungal infection that can affect the skin, scalp, and nails. It typically presents as a red, circular, and itchy rash and can be easily treated with over-the-counter antifungal creams. In some cases, oral medication may be necessary if the infection does not respond to topical treatments.

To help prevent the spread of ringworm, we encourage you to:

1. Check your child's skin for any signs of red, circular rashes, especially in areas like the scalp, arms, legs, and torso.
2. Keep your child's skin clean and dry, as this helps prevent fungal infections.
3. Avoid sharing personal items, such as towels, hairbrushes, or clothing, which may spread the infection.
4. Consult your GP or pharmacist if you notice any symptoms or suspect that your child may have ringworm.

For more detailed information and guidance, please refer to the NHS website's ringworm advice: <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/ringworm/>

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation in helping us maintain a healthy and safe environment for all our students.

Best wishes

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