

THE FACTS OF LICE

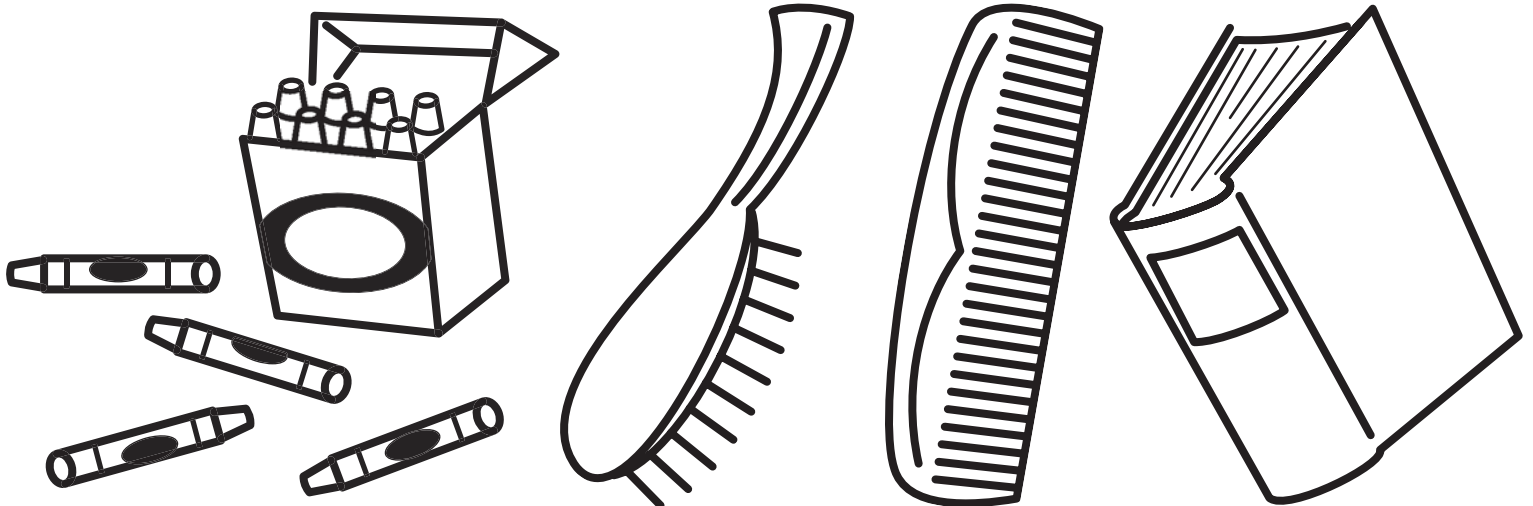
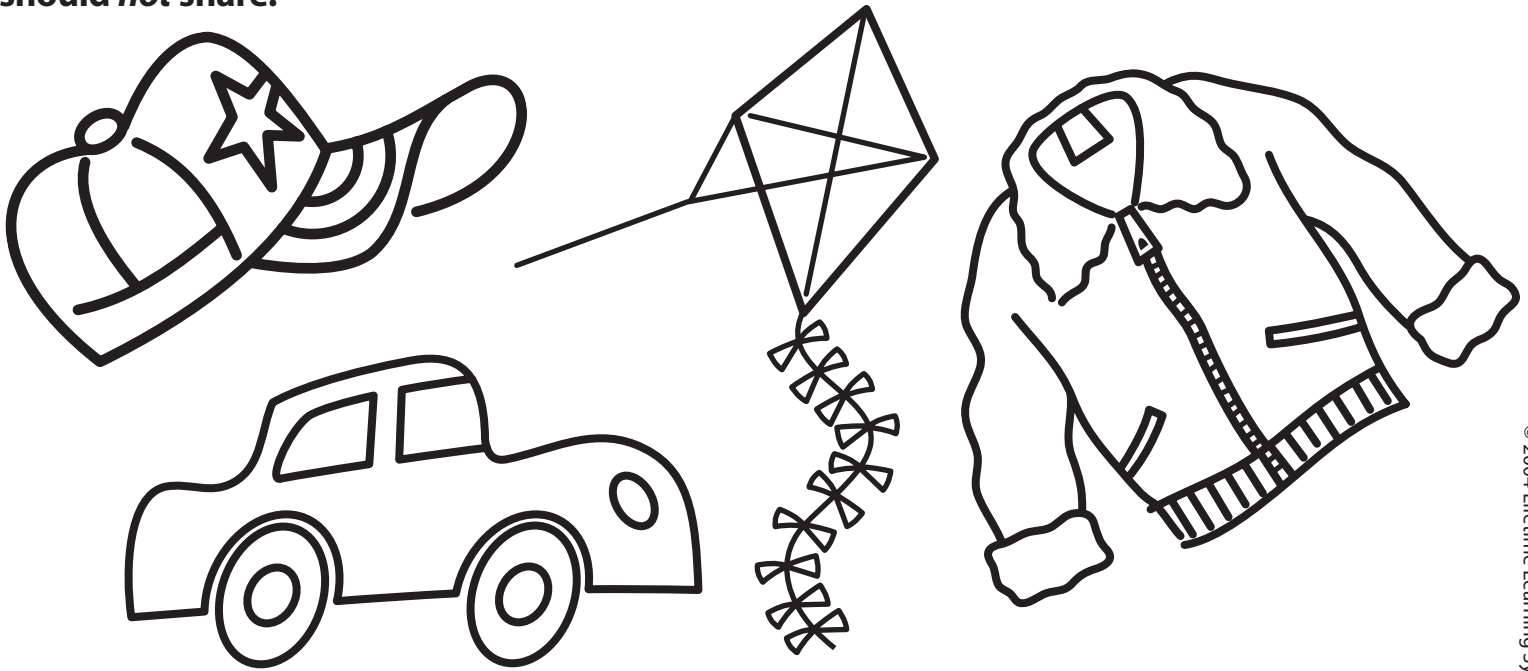


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Sometimes kids get lice. Lice are small bugs that live in your hair.

Lice use combs, brushes, hats, coats and helmets to travel from kid to kid. That is why it is better not to share things that lice might use to travel.

The pictures below show items kids like to share. Circle and color the pictures that you can share without getting lice. Color and cross out the things on which lice like to travel and you should *not* share.



How many words can you think of that rhyme with *lice*? _____

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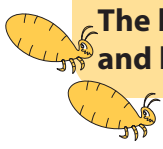


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Do you know what's popular at most schools? Lice!

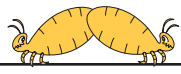
Below are some tips to help you avoid getting lice, and how to get rid of lice if you get them.

The bold words in the sentences are hidden in the word search. When you find them, circle them and learn how to keep lice out of your hair!



- Lice don't have a favorite kind of **hair** – they like it all! Whether it's blonde, brown, red or black, lice will like it!
- Lice eggs are called **nits**, which stick to your hair, close to the scalp.
- Lice cannot jump or fly. They **travel** from kid to kid on combs, brushes, hats, helmets, coats, scarves and hair accessories. So, don't share with friends!
- If your head **itches** a lot, especially around the back of your neck and ears, have a grownup check your head for lice.
- If you do have lice, have a grownup wash your hair with a special lice **shampoo**.
- Make sure your **clothes** and bedding are also washed to get rid of lice and nits.

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Try to unscramble the following words to learn what items you should not share with friends so you can avoid getting lice.

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mlteeh

Answers: coat, brush, comb, hat, scarf, helmet