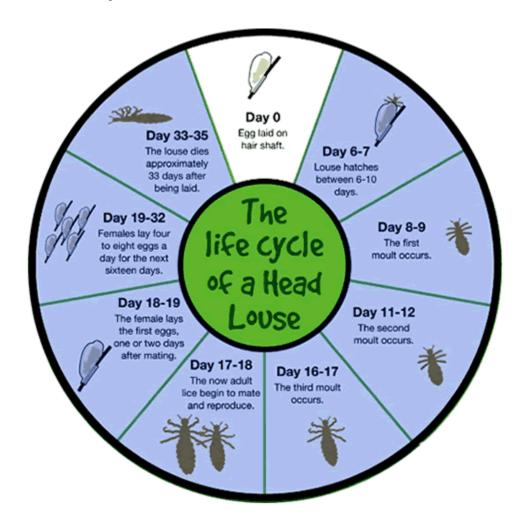
## The Life Cycle of Lice



Note the 6-10 days for the nit to hatch and another 7-10 days for it to become a mature adult and can start laying it's own eggs. This is why it is important for parents to check daily for 3 weeks after treatment and continue nit removal to stop the cycle. Treatments do not generally kill the nits so they hatch, grow, mature to adults and lay eggs and the cycle continues.