

## Back to School Social Story

To stop people from sharing their germs and getting sick my school was closed.



I had to stay at home to help myself and others stay safe.

The Government who are in charge say it is safe for me to go back to school.



When I go back to school, some things will be the same and some things may be different. This is ok

My class teacher might not always teach me, I might have different adults supporting me but I know I will see many familiar staff and friendly faces. The staff will be happy to see me.

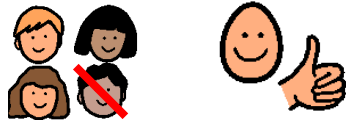


My timetable might be different but my teacher will tell me what is changing.



**The way I travel to school (add photo/ symbol of appropriate transport)**

**Not all of my friends will be at school at the same time as me. This is ok.**



**My day might be shorter and I may not go to school every day. This is ok.**



**Here is a calendar showing which times and days I am going to go to school. If this changes, my teacher and my parent/s will change my calendar**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday

**I might sit in a different seat. My teacher will show me where to sit. This is ok.**



**I might have different lunch and playtimes. This is ok.**



**There might not be assemblies.**



**Sometimes change makes us feel worried or sad, that is ok.**

**Everyone feels worried sometimes.**

**If you are worried, you can tell someone you trust. This might be a teacher or support staff or your parents. They will listen to you and help you to feel less worried.**

worried



talk

**All children need to go to school to learn and practice new things. It is good to go to school.**



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**When the government says it is ok, we will all be at school together. I will see all of my friends and all of the teachers. My parent/s and teachers will tell me when this is going to happen. It is ok, it is good to go to school.**

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