**Back to School**

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

I had to stay at home to keep me 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.

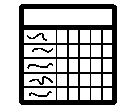
Things that will be the same –

The school building

PICTURE

The adults who work at school

PICTURE

The children

My timetable

The way I travel to school

Things that might be different –

Not all of my friends may be at school at the same time as me

This is ok

My day may be shorter or I may not go to school every day

Here is a calendar showing what days and times I will be going to school

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Days | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
| Start |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Finish** |  |  |  |  |  |

If this changes my teacher and my parents will change my calendar

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 me feel worried or sad

That is ok

Everyone feels sad sometimes

If you are sad or worried you can tell an adult

They will listen to you and help you to be less worried

All children need to go to school to learn and practice new things

It is good to go to school.

When the Government says it is ok school will start to go back to normal with all my friends and teachers coming to school every day

My parents and teachers will tell me when this is going to happen.

This is ok

It is good to go to school