



Returning to Keyworth Primary and Nursery School – Social Situation

My name is _____ and I am

_____ years old.

My school is called Keyworth Primary and Nursery School.

Over the past few months, I have not been at school. I have been staying at home because of coronavirus. During this time, I have been doing my schoolwork with my parents/ carers. Most of my friends (except those whose parents/carers are 'keyworkers', such as nurses and shop workers) have also been staying at home. Schools have been shut to for most children to keep me and my friends safe from coronavirus.



Doing my schoolwork at home has been fun but now it is time for me to go back to school, see some of my friends and do my schoolwork with teachers. To begin with, only certain classes will be going back. This is OK.



My teachers and friends will be happy to see me back at school. When I go back, some things will be different. This is to keep me safe. I might find the changes difficult at first, but my teacher will be there to help me. Everyone finds change hard. This is OK. I also know that some things will be exactly the same – I will still have our lovely field to play on; the adults I work with still look the same and, most importantly, I will still be coming back to Keyworth Primary where I am cared for (and learn lots and have fun!).

- At playtime and lunchtime, I will be with my little class of friends and need to keep to a special area of the field or my playground and my teacher will show me where this is. If I have friends in a different class, then I will be able to wave to them from a distance.
- I will be taught in a smaller class, which may be in a different classroom and with a different teacher, but school have told my parents/carers who that teacher will be, and my teacher will know all about me even if they haven't taught me before.
- I must keep washing my hands for at least 20 seconds.
- If I am going to sneeze or cough, I must do this into a tissue then put the tissue in the special bin and wash my hands.
- I must try to stay two metres away from my friends and teachers.

Going back to school will be fun. I must try to remember that the changes are to keep me safe, and my teachers will remind me of what I need to do. My teachers and my adults at home will be proud of me for trying to remember what I need to do to keep safe at school.

