

To stop people sharing their germs and getting sick our school was closed. I had to stay at home with my family and stay safe.

My school has been closed for a long time, but the Government who are in charge say it is safe for me to go back to school.

Some children may be feeling excited and happy about going back to school but some children may be feeling worried or sad. It is ok to be feeling like this.



When I go back to school things are going to be a bit different. I will not be in my classroom with all my friends and my teachers. This is not because I have done something wrong, it is because we need to make sure we stay safe and keep the germs away.

I will be working with a small group of my friends and 2 teachers in a little group called a bubble. I will stay with this bubble every day when I go to school.

I do not have to wear my school uniform, but I can if I want to. All I need to bring to school each day is my water bottle, I do not need my book bag.

I am in the Thames Bubble Group



*My teachers are Mr Garcia and Mrs Greenland*



*Sometimes Mr Garcia and Mrs Greenland might wear something called PPE, this includes a mask, apron and gloves. They might need to wear this to keep us all safe.*



*The classroom might look a little bit different too, because we can't use all of the resources at the moment and some have been put away.*



The Thames Bubble Group will use this classroom and I will have my own table with my drawer of resources.



When I go into the playground in the morning there will be boxes with spots on the floor. I need to stand in a box every time I need to line up. This is the Thames Bubble Group entrance. This is where I will go into school each morning.



Each bubble will have their own toilets that the girls and boys will all use.

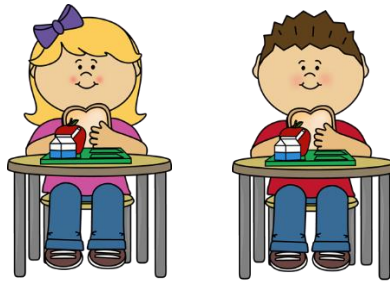
These are the Thames Bubble Group toilets.





There are lines and arrows on the floor in the corridor to help everyone to keep away from each other.

Everyone at school will have a packed lunch at lunch time. I will eat these with my friends in my bubble. If it is sunny we can eat our lunch outside.



We will still be doing lots of fun things at school like PE, forest skills and music.



On Fridays I will stay at home. I can join in with my class room meeting and see all my friends.

