

Understanding Social Distancing



This is Abdul.

Abdul is going back to school. He stayed at home because a virus is making some people ill. Abdul helps to stop the virus from spreading.



He washes his hands with soap and water.



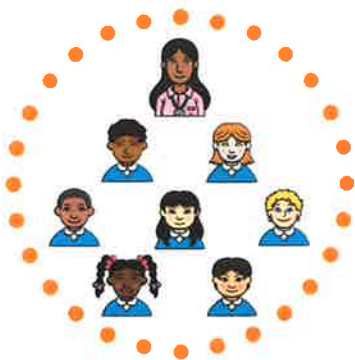
He sneezes into tissues and puts them in the bin.



He has not seen any friends or family members that he does not live with.

This is Jack.

Jack and Abdul are friends. They feel a bit unsure. What will school be like?



Miss Lal is their teacher. She knows that school will be different. They will follow rules that can help to stop the virus from spreading. Jack and Abdul will be part of a bubble. They will spend their time with a few other children and adults.



Jack and Abdul will eat lunch at a different time than normal.



They will not be able to play with their friends if they are part of different bubbles.



Miss Lal says they can wave to them but must stay two metres apart from people that are not in their special bubble.



Miss Lal will help them to wash their hands often with soap and water. She will remind them to use their own equipment. Best of all, Miss Lal will help Jack and Abdul to have fun!

Questions

1. What is Abdul's friend called? Tick one.

- Ben
 Jack
 Miss Lal

2. What does Abdul do to help to stop the virus from spreading? Tick **two**.

- He washes his hands with soap and water.
 He sneezes into tissues.
 He plays out with his friends.

3. Number the sentences from 1-3 to show the order in which they appear in the story.

- She will remind them to use their own equipment.
 Abdul is going back to school.
 She knows that school will be different.

4. Fill in the missing word.

They will follow _____ that might keep the virus from spreading.

5. How do Jack and Abdul feel?
