

Moving On Up

Scenario Cards

Task:

Discuss and explore the scenario cards with your group, then give feedback to the class. Can you come up with a shared 'action plan' for each scenario?

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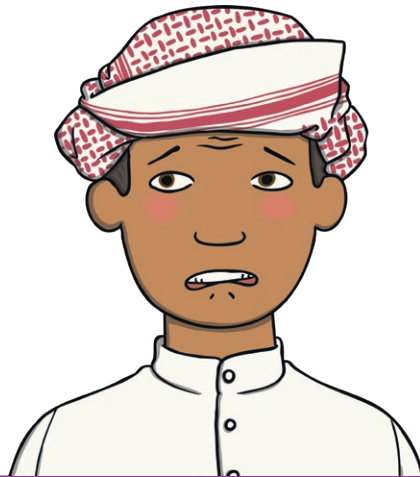


I won't know anyone!

'I'm going to be in a new class, in a new school and I'm worried about how to make new friends.'

In your group, talk about:

1. The negatives in this situation.
2. The positives in this situation.
3. What action can this person take?
4. Who can they ask for help?



The work will be too hard!

'I found some of the work tricky this year and I'm worried I won't be able to manage at a higher level.'

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I might get bullied!

'I'm worried that I might get teased or hurt by the older children.'

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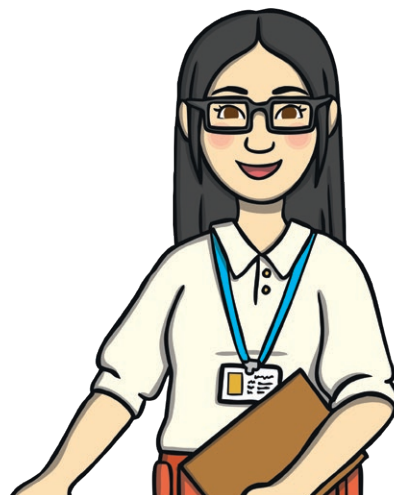


The teachers will be really strict!

'I've heard that school teachers shout a lot and I'm nervous.'

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I might fail my exams!

'I know exams are really important at school and I'm worried I might mess up my future.'

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I might get lost!

'My new school is huge and I'm not very good at remembering things, so I'm worried about getting lost and being late for lessons.'

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I'm not cool enough!

'I don't know about the latest music or films so I'm worried I won't fit in with anyone at my new school.'

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I'm too shy!

'I'm very quiet and don't like putting my hand up in class. I'm worried my new teachers will expect me to.'

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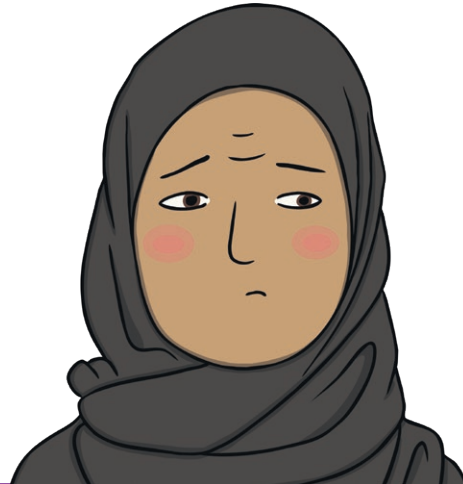
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Small fish in a big pond!

'How will it feel to start again as the youngest at school?'

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Homework!

'I've heard that get loads of homework at school. How will I manage?'

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