

# Prayer for Students Returning to School

Loving God, we pray for all children as they  
prepare for a new season in their lives.

As they start school for the first time  
– give them joy in new experiences

As they move to new classes – give them  
confidence in growing friendships

As they move to new schools – give them  
strength in their growing independence

As they move on to college or university – give them wisdom in their maturity

And for all the teachers, assistants, helpers, carers and  
volunteers who teach and nurture our children and young  
people, we ask for your blessing, your joy, your wisdom and  
your patience as they re-charge their batteries over the summer  
break, ready for the new term!

We ask this in the name of Jesus. **Amen.**

