

School reopening: Back to school

Parents and educators face myriad challenges as schools begin to reopen



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Students at a school in Bhubaneswar, Odisha, stand in line for a temperature check; (ANI photo)

Raghav Kapoor (name changed on request), had initially enjoyed attending online classes after schools went virtual in March 2020. Six months in, though, the Class 8 student from Mumbai started feeling the brunt of this new method of learning. His concentration levels began waning and, at one point, he simply lost the motivation to study. Moreover, unable to meet his classmates and friends, he started showing signs of mild depression.