

Dear Class 2

It's me, leader of the glue sticks! On behalf of my fellow glue sticks, we need you to listen up! We're all a bit fed up of our maltreatment by you lot and we need you to understand in order to mend your destructive ways.

Firstly, I've heard your teacher tell you lot this on several occasions, but what is the deal with leaving our lids off? Have you any idea how quickly we dry up? How would you like it if you weren't allowed a sip out of your water bottle? Well it's the same sort of thing for us. You use us all lesson and then, instead of having a little consideration, you leave us lidless. Within hours, our stickiness is gone and then what do you go and do? That's right – put us in the bin!

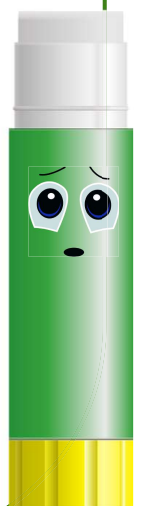
Secondly, why do you rub us so hard on your paper? You're giving us all headaches as well as reducing our lifespan. If you took a little more care, we'd be around for a bit longer!

Last of all, STOP FIGHTING OVER US! I know we're exciting sort of guys but do you really need to resort to fighting and playing tug of war with us? Are you lot not taught to share?

Anyway, we need some reassurances. We are giving your classroom a wide berth until you can guarantee that you're going to take better care of us. We might even make our way to Year 6 – I've heard that those older kids know how to treat their equipment!

Your fed up and dried up friends,

The Glue Sticks



Dear Class 2

It's me _____. I need you to listen up. We're fed up because...*(explain how you are not being looked after properly)*.

Firstly, do you realise that...

Secondly, why are you...?

Last of all...

We need some reassurances.

Your _____ friends

Words to help

annoyed upset inconsiderate respect ruined

strike behaviour feelings destroyed spoiled

damaged repair improve improvement

immediately