

## *I Did Not Used to Like School*

*I did not used to like school, I found it rather hard you see,  
The things that we were learning never seemed important to me.  
My head was full of playtime and seeing all my mates,  
Of home time and finally escaping through those gates.  
But that was before home schooling and doing it by myself,  
Without the posters on the wall and books along the shelf.  
With no-one on my table to ask, 'What should I do?'  
No-one to be excited if I discovered something new.  
My teacher could be cross sometimes and made me feel quite sad,  
But now I've had home schooling I know she was not so bad.  
She never had to teach me using nothing but her phone,  
She never had to help me while in the cooking zone!  
So, my opinion has changed, I think I now love school,  
I will listen to every lesson and follow every rule!*

*C.M. Riley*