



We're Going to Be Friends

'We're Going to Be Friends' is a single by the American alternative rock band **White Stripes** from their album **White Blood Cells**. It was released in late 2002, and tells the story of meeting a new friend at the beginning of a school year. The video features **Jack White** playing the guitar on a couch and his (ex-)wife **Meg** sleeping alongside him. Singer-songwriter **Jack Johnson** recorded a cover of the song on his album **Sing-A-Longs and Lullabies** for the film **Curious George**. The song was also presented on the movie **Wonder** (2017) at the beginning and was repeated again in the movie with a cover version performed by Caroline Pennell.



Meg & Jack, The White Stripes

- ① Listen to the song on YouTube and fill in the gaps. It's the Jack Johnson version of the song!

Fall is here, hear the yell, to school, ring the .

Brand new , walking blues, climb the fence, books and .

I can that we are gonna be friends. Yes, I can tell that we are gonna be .

Walk with me Suzy Lee through the and by the tree.

We can rest upon the ground and at all the bugs we've found.

Safely walk to without a sound. We safely walk to school a sound.

- ② These are the lyrics of the 3rd and 4th verse. What's the correct order? (1-6)

Numbers, letters, learn to spell, nouns and books and show and tell.

The teacher marks our height against the wall. (2x)

Play time we will throw the ball, then back to class through the hall.

There's dirt on our uniforms from chasing all the ants and worms.

We clean up and now it's time to learn. (2x)

Well here we are, no one else, we walk to school all by ourselves.



- ③ These are the lyrics of the Bridge. Highlight all the conjunctions.

- And we don't notice any time pass 'cause we don't notice anything.
- And we sit side by side in every class, the teacher thinks that I sound funny.
- But she likes it when you sing.



- ④ Here are the lyrics of the last verse. What goes together?

Tonight I'll dream in my bed while silly
thoughts •

And when I wake tomorrow I'll bet •

'Cause I can tell that we are gonna be
friends. •

o Yes, I can tell that we are gonna be friends.

o run through my head of the bugs and
alphabet.

o that you and I will walk together again.