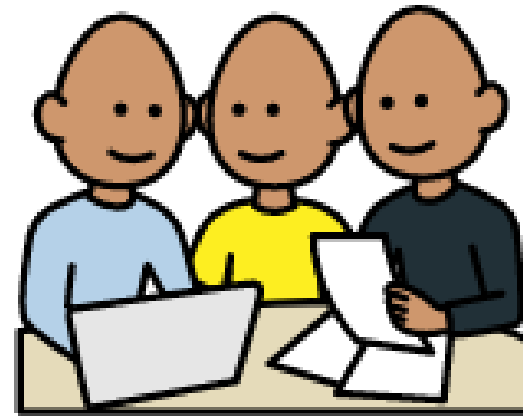
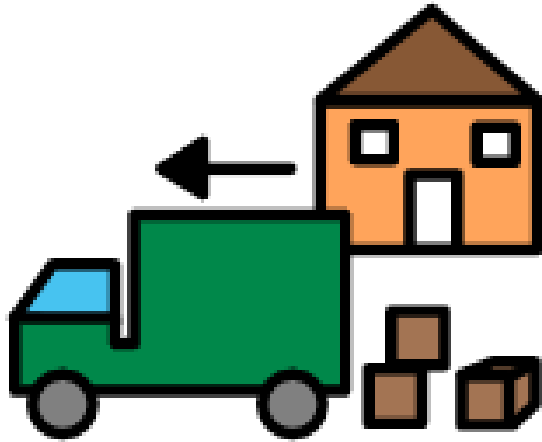


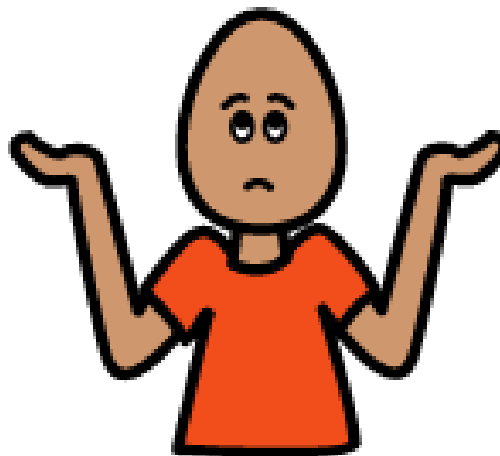
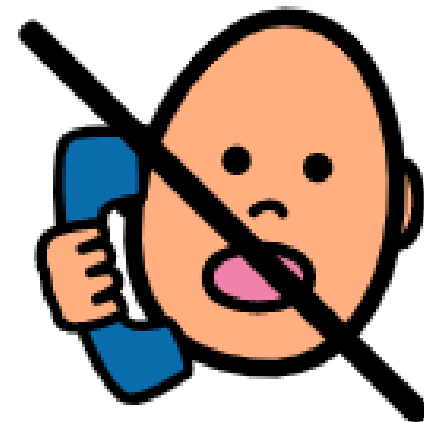
# When Staff Members Leave



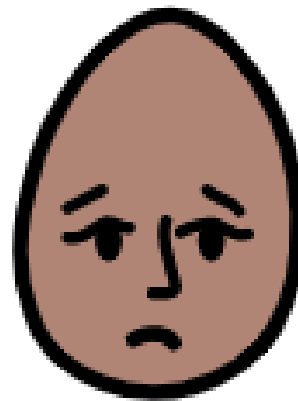
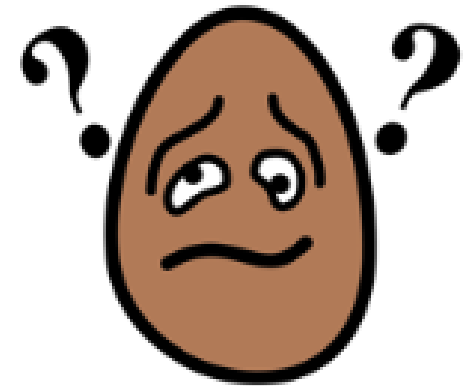
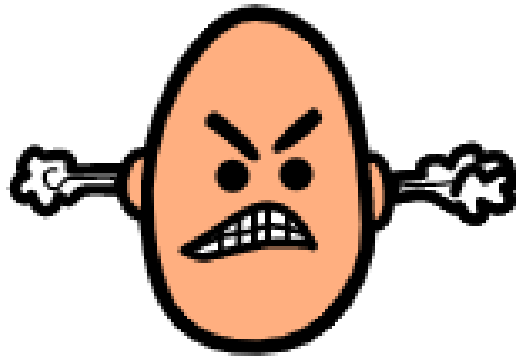
My staff member \_\_\_\_\_ [name] is leaving my  
\_\_\_\_\_ [work, group home, day program, etc.].  
Their last day is/was \_\_\_\_\_ [date].



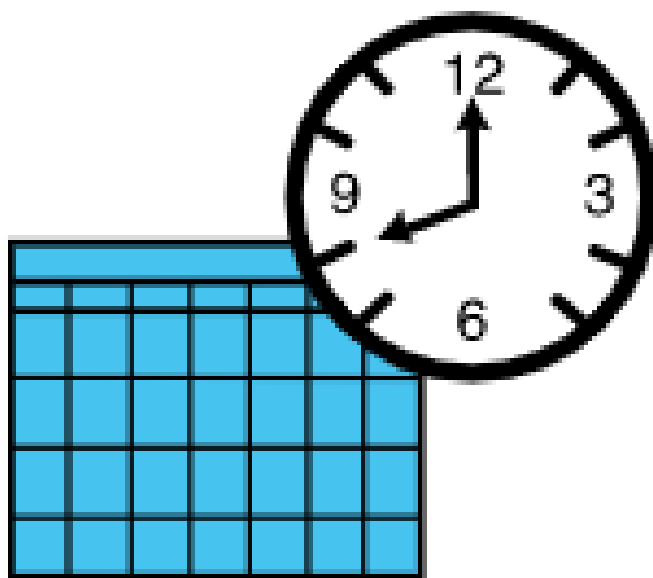
Staff members sometimes leave for different reasons.  
Sometimes they move away or retire or start a new job.



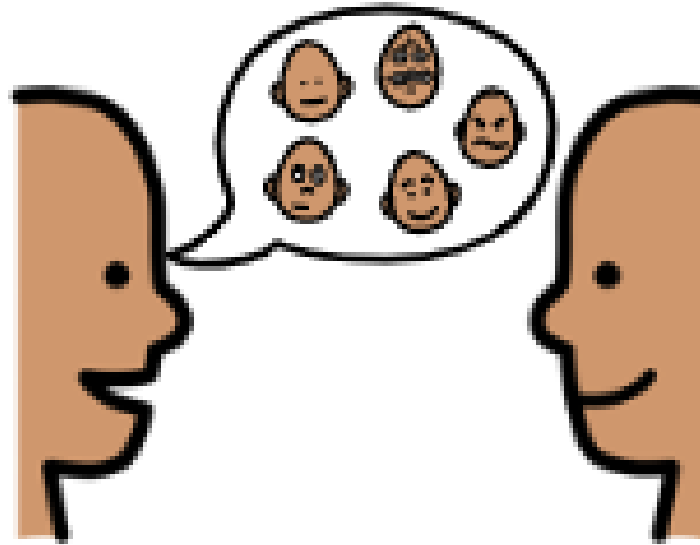
When a staff member leaves, I will not see them like I used to. Some staff members may keep in touch with calls or visits. Some staff members will not.



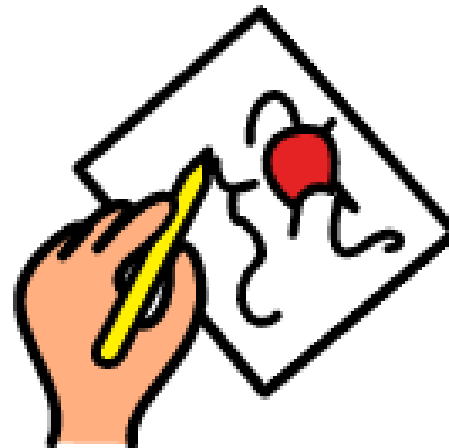
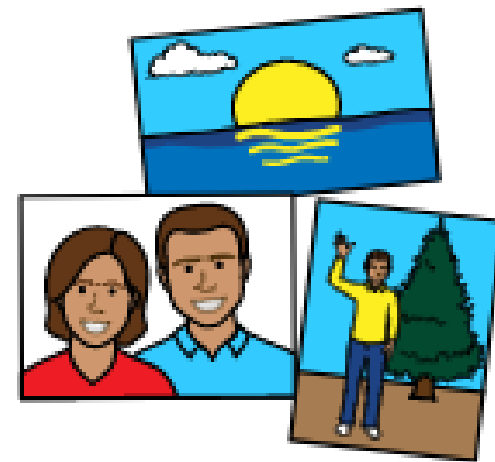
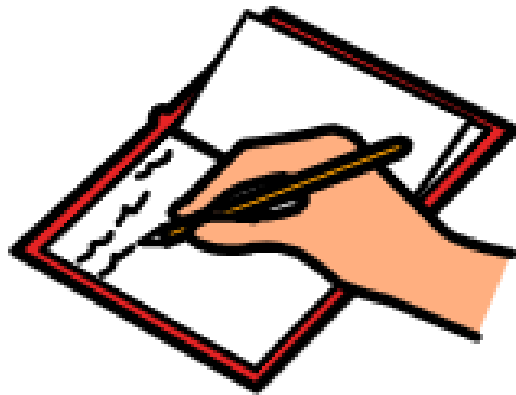
I may feel sad, angry, or confused when \_\_\_\_\_  
[staff member] leaves. It might not bother me at all. All  
feelings are okay.



I might have strong feelings right away. I might have strong feelings later in the future. That is normal.

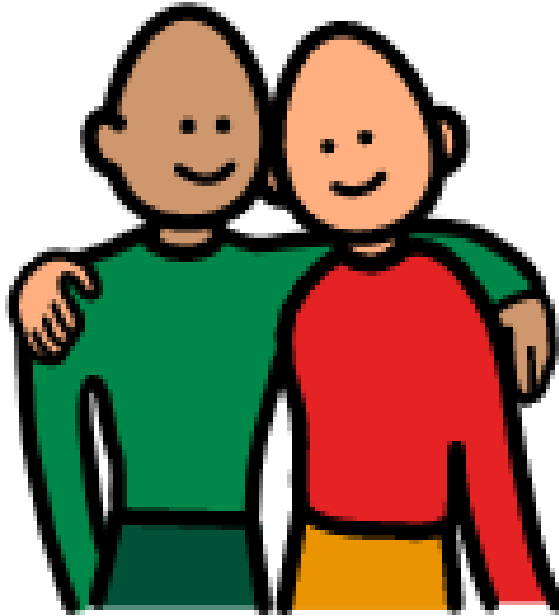


If I am having strong feelings about my staff member leaving, I can talk to someone about my feelings. I can talk to \_\_\_\_\_ [name of another staff member or family member].



I can think of happy memories with \_\_\_\_\_  
[staff member name]. I can use coping strategies like  
writing in a journal or drawing to help with my feelings.





I will have new staff to help me. We will get to know each other and learn how to work together.