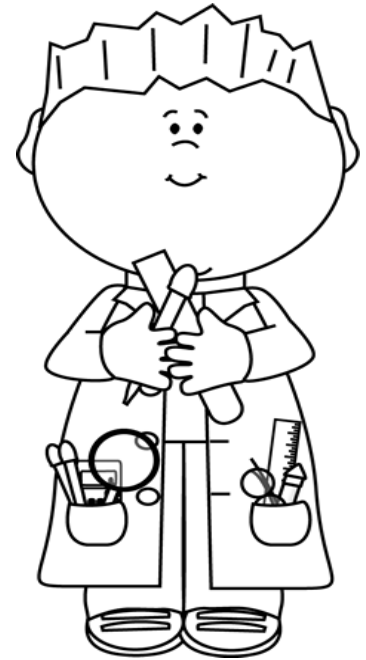


A SURPRISING FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

It is the first day of school. Reggie gets up.
He looks at the clock. He is late! "I'll miss the bus," he says.
But the bus is at the bus stop when he goes outside.
Reggie is surprised.
He worries that he would have no friends at school.
But all his friends are in his class.
"The teacher will be mean," he thinks.
But the new teacher is very nice.
Reggie worries that the canteen food would taste bad.
At lunch, the canteen serves delicious hamburgers.
After lunch, Reggie's teacher brings a live boa to class.
The snake escapes! Reggie catches it!
"You are very brave! You can be my science assistant," his teacher says. Nobody has ever said Reggie was brave before!
At home, Reggie's mother asks him how school has been.
"Very surprising," he says.



Draw a picture of Reggie's first day of school.

