

## Resource 2

Look at the resource below, where some people share their ideas about how they think the government could help.

I think every high street shop and business should be given a lump sum of money from the government as a restart fee. This would allow them to buy all the extra things they need such as screens, masks, protective clothing, cleaning products to open safely.

Kevin

I think vouchers are a great idea as they help businesses and they help people and households too. Most people are feeling the financial strain at the moment.

Naznin

I think a huge advertising campaign to encourage people to use their local shops and restaurants would help.

Tobin

The government could really help local businesses and charities by easing restrictions. It is not possible for them to make money when they cannot fit or serve as many customers as usual and so much more time is spent planning, cleaning etc.

Jennifer

Do you think the government should help?  
Can you think of any other ways the government could help?

*Pictured right: A typical High Street*

*Source: A Slater*



Perhaps free training, guidance and advice could be given to businesses to support them with alternative ways to operate and adapt their business such as having a delivery service or an online shop?

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