WHAT IS THE CORONAVIRUS?

The Coronavirus is a virus that can make people feel unwell.

The Coronavirus can also be called "COVID-19".

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People who have the Coronavirus may have:

- Sore Throat/
  Dry Cough
- Fever
- Shortness of breath

Most people who have the Coronavirus will stay at home to get better.

Some people who have the Coronavirus will go to the hospital to get better.
I can help stop the spread of germs by washing my hands with soap and water.

I can take my time when I wash my hands, making sure I wash between my fingers and all over my hands.

If I can’t use soap I can use Hand Sanitizer.

There will be NO School for ________

School will reopen again.
I will stay at home while school is closed.

I will complete school-work/homework while I am at home.

I know that I will be safe and I don’t have to feel afraid.

I will be safe and happy at home with my family.
I will not be able to go to my favourite places for now.

Once the Coronavirus is gone I will be able to go to my favourite places again.

For Parents/Caregivers

Please note that this document is not a diagnostic tool for the Coronavirus.

It is a social story and by its very nature provides limited specific information.

If you require additional factual information about the Coronavirus please go to the following:


https://www.who.int/health-topics/coronavirus

Many thanks

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