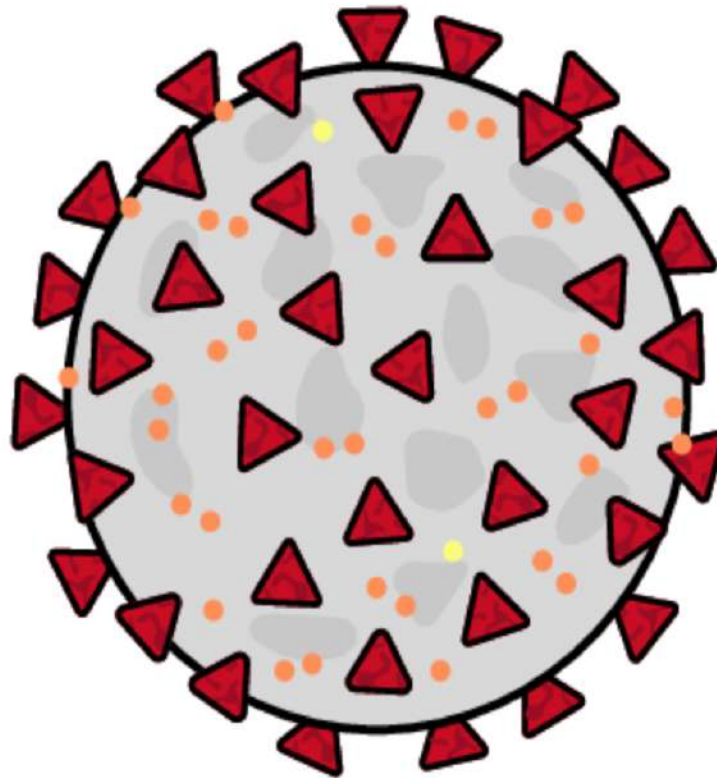




CORONAVIRUS





The Extension Activity includes eight pages of information and six question and answer activities. Also included are links for video viewing. The Extension Activity is intended to enhance News-2-You and Unique Learning System (ULS) content.

Newspaper Overview

Topic: Coronavirus

- Many people around the world are sick now.
- They are sick with a new illness called the coronavirus.
- The coronavirus has spread to many countries. It spreads from person to person.
- Leaders and doctors are working to stop the spread of the coronavirus. You can help too.

ULS Overview

March Target: Physical Science

- Many people around the world are sick now.
- They are sick with a new illness called the coronavirus.
- The coronavirus is now a pandemic. A pandemic is when an illness spreads to people around the world.
- The coronavirus has spread to more than 100 countries and every continent on Earth except Antarctica.



Many people are sick with the coronavirus now.

You can help stop the spread of coronavirus in many ways.

Let's take a look at some of the ways you can help!



The coronavirus is a germ.



A Girl Coughing

**Describe a time when you
were sick.**

- Germs are tiny organisms, or living things, that can make you sick.
- They are so tiny that you need a microscope to see them.
- Germs can spread through the air from person to person. They spread with coughs and sneezes.
- You can do many things to help stop the spread of germs like the coronavirus.



You can wash your hands often.

- Washing your hands often is the best way to stop the spread of germs.
- You should rub your hands together with soap and warm water for at least 20 seconds.
- Wash your hands every time you cough or sneeze and before you eat.
- You should wash your hands after you use the bathroom and after you play outside too.



A Person Washing Their Hands

When is another time you wash your hands?



You can avoid touching your face.



A Man Touching His Mouth

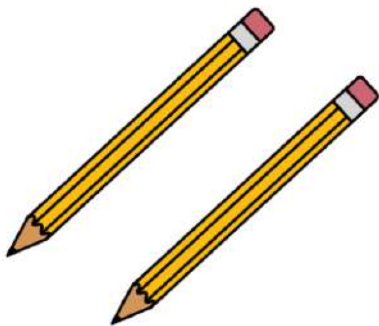
**How can you remember
not to touch your face?**

- Germs on your hands can go onto your face. Then the germs can enter your body and make you sick.
- The germs can enter your body through your eyes, nose and mouth.
- Studies have found that people touch their faces more than 16 times each hour!
- It can be hard to remember but try not to touch your face.

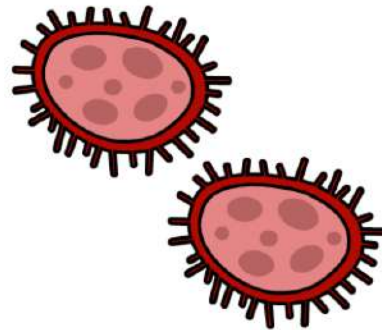


What are tiny organisms?

pencils



germs



trumpets



What is the best way to stop the spread of germs?

wash hands



brush teeth



play tennis





What should you not touch?

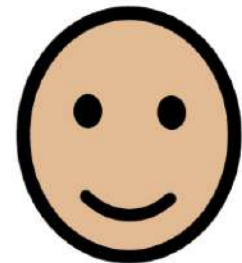
cup



tree



face





You can cover your mouth and nose.

- Cover your mouth and nose when you cough or sneeze to avoid spreading germs into the air.
- Cough or sneeze into your elbow, not your hand. This will help avoid getting more germs on your hand.
- Use a tissue when you sneeze or need to blow your nose.
- Then, throw the tissue into the trash, and wash your hands!



A Woman Coughing Into Her Elbow

**What do you do when you
feel a sneeze coming?**



You can stop sharing things and shaking hands for a while.



People Bumping Elbows

**What is another fun way
to greet someone?**

- Right now, it is important not to share or shake hands with others.
- Germs can spread when a person who is sick touches an object. Germs are left behind on that object.
- When other people touch the object, they could become sick too.
- People should avoid shaking hands too. They can do something fun, like bumping elbows, instead.



You can stay away from crowds of people now.

- Try to not be too close to other people right now, especially crowds.
- Keep a bigger distance between yourself and other people.
Scientists call this social distancing.
- Germs in the air spread from person to person through coughs and sneezes.
- If you stay away from other people, you can help stop the spread of germs.



A Crowded Restaurant

**What will you do to help
stop the spread of germs?**



What should you cough or sneeze into?

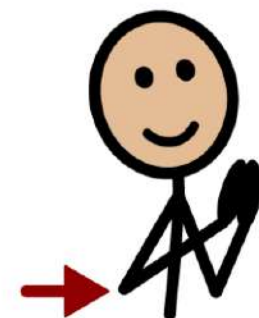
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hand



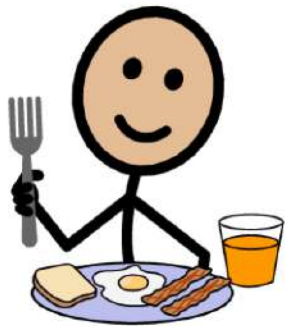
elbow





What should people avoid?

eating breakfast



reading

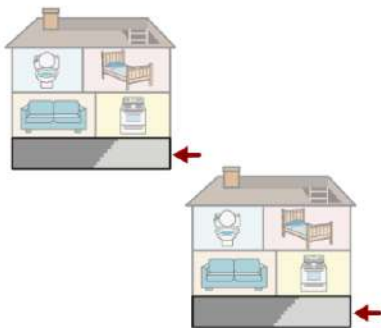


shaking hands

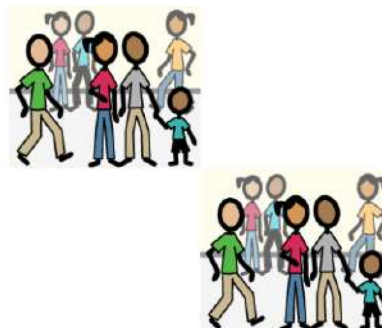


What should you stay away from now?

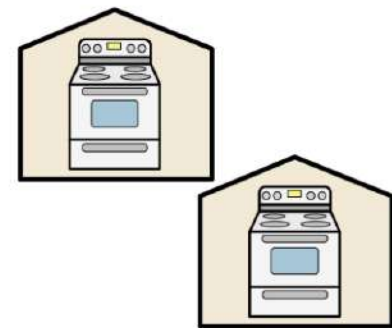
basements



crowds



kitchens





video links



Visit the following links for expanded video content.

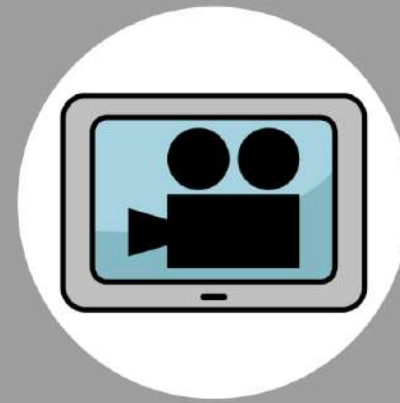
Click on the video link

to learn about the coronavirus:



Click on the video link

to sing a fun song about
washing your hands:



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