Understanding The Coronavirus

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What Is The Coronavirus?

The coronavirus is a new virus. A virus is an illness that makes people feel sick.

The coronavirus is also called COVID-19.
What Happens When People Get The Coronavirus?

The coronavirus makes people feel sick. They may feel like they have a cold or the flu.

The coronavirus can make people have a fever and a cough.

Some people can feel really sick when they have it. Some people only feel a little bit sick.
Most people can just rest at home until they feel better.

Some people may feel really sick and may need to go to the hospital to be taken care of for a little while.
What Should People Do If They Have The Coronavirus?

People who have the coronavirus need to rest.

They may need to take some medicine.

Most importantly...

They need to stay away from other people as much as possible.
People who have the coronavirus, but do not need to go to the hospital, should stay in their home and be taken care of by their family with the help of their doctor.

This is a good time to take naps, watch T.V., read a book, or play games like video games, word searches, I-spy puzzles, etc.
How Can I Avoid The Coronavirus?

I can avoid the coronavirus by limiting the amount of time I spend with other people.

This may mean no play dates... for a while.

This may mean not going to public places like the movies or bowling... for a while.

I may not like this, but it’ll be okay, soon we will be able to do these things again!
What Is The Best Way To Stay Healthy?

The best way to stay healthy is to wash hands often and well.

Wash Often:

➤ Wash hands anytime you’ve been outside of your home

➤ Wash hands anytime you’ve been around other people {outside of your home}

➤ Wash hands before eating

➤ Wash hands after coughing or sneezing
Wash Well:

- Wash hands for at least 20 seconds
- Use warm water and soap
- Wash the front and back of your hands as well as in between your fingers

Understanding the coronavirus helps everyone stay healthy!
Thank you very much for downloading this freebie! I'm so thrilled to be able to share my work with you.

I hope that you find this resource **useful** and **fun** and have it for years to come.

My hope is that you will **LOVE** this resource and your students will too.

Need something more? Let me know!
I love making products to meet your needs.

I am so happy to be sharing this journey with you and I appreciate all that you do to help our special children succeed!

Thanks So Much and Happy Teaching!

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