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Hello, I'm Doctor Dog.
I'm going to tell you all you need to know about

CORONAVIRUS.



Coronavirus is a germ called a virus.

It causes a disease called Covid 19.

When this virus gets inside our bodies, it can make us poorly.



The virus is so small that it can only be seen using a special microscope.

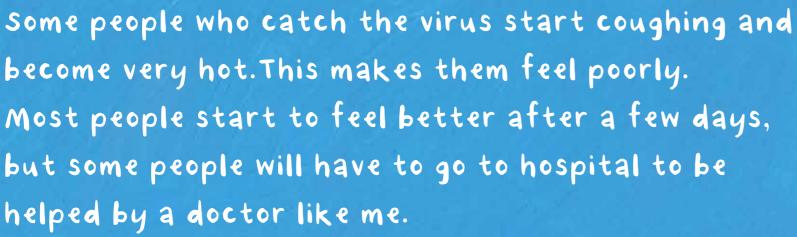
It is so small that it can get into our bodies when we breathe in. It can also get into our mouths from our hands.

Even I can't tell who has Coronavirus by looking at them. It doesn't make everyone feel poorly, but they can still spread it to other people. Children with Coronavirus don't get as sick as adults which is good news!



That's why most of us are having to stay inside.









HOW DOES CORONAVIRUS SPREAD?



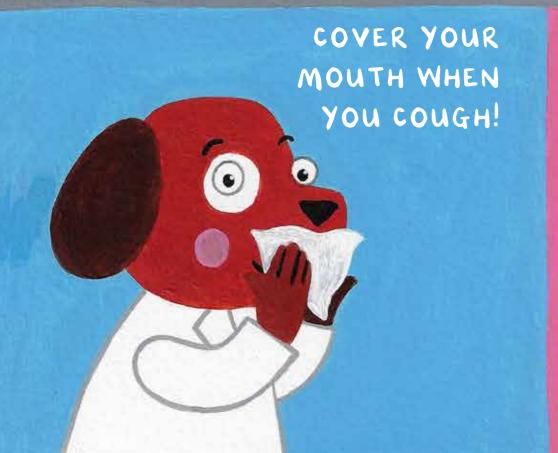




Viruses can be passed on to other people when we cough or sneeze. If you have the virus and cough or sneeze onto a surface, those germs can stay on that surface for a long time.

Another way the Coronavirus can get into your body is from your hands. That is why it's important to keep washing your hands.

Try not to touch your face or pick your nose!

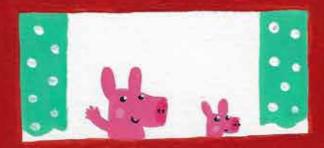




















When you are out and about, keep your distance.



The main way to stop Coronavirus from spreading is for all of us to stay at home. That means not going to school or nursery for a little while. Mums, dads and carers will have to stay at home too. Although some, like me, will have to go to work as we have important jobs to do.



Keep washing your hands!



All this will help to stop lots of people being ill at the same time.



TOGETHER WE CAN BEAT CORONAVIRUS!



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