

EMPOWERING YOUR CHILD AS A GLOBAL COLLABORATOR

Children play a critical role in combating the spread of COVID-19. Children have been asked to make great sacrifices, giving up time with friends, teachers, activities, and sports. Helping children understand their role and how they fit into the community fight against COVID-19 can help reconcile them to their current circumstances.



KEY QUESTIONS TO DISCUSS WITH CHILDREN



What does it mean to collaborate or work together?

What are some examples of ways you collaborate with others?

See next page worksheet

Write or draw the way you collaborate with...



Examples:

- collaborate with teachers to learn (e.g., listening, completing assignments, asking questions)
- collaborate with friends to play (e.g., taking turns, playing games together, showing concern for friends)
- collaborate with family to have a nice environment at home (e.g., chores, family traditions, being kind)
- collaborate with other people in their community to have a safe and clean place to live (e.g., pick up trash, don't run into the street)

Right now, the whole world needs to work together to stop the spread of COVID-19. Lots of people have different things that are most important for them to do.

How is everyone helping?



Delivery Workers
truck drivers, postal carriers



Food Supply Workers
farmers, cooks, and grocery cashiers



Scientists
virus, epidemic, and medical researchers



Hospital Workers
doctors, nurses, custodians

YOU!

Ideas to help others

1. Help people in my family feel happy

- share a funny or nice story
- tell a joke
- smile
- be kind
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2. Let people in my neighborhood know I care

- put up signs
- make chalk drawings
- wave to people
- clap for healthcare workers
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3. Let people who are far away know I am thinking of them

- call friends and family
- send a letter or drawing to older people who may be isolated
- make a funny video and send it to a friend
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4. Stay socially distant from people outside my family

5. Other ways I can help

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FINAL POINTS TO DISCUSS WITH CHILDREN



It is very important for everyone, even children, to help us stop this disease.

Sometimes this means we can't do things we want to do.

Sacrificing things you want for the good of others makes you a hero.

Remember - it is okay to be sad or even mad about all the things you are sacrificing!

We appreciate all your help in keeping everyone safe from coronavirus! People all over the world care about you and keeping you safe, just like you care about others and keeping them safe.



CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

THIS IS PRESENTED TO

for doing your part to stop the spread of
COVID-19



**PARENT OR
GUARDIAN**

**PEOPLE AROUND
THE WORLD**