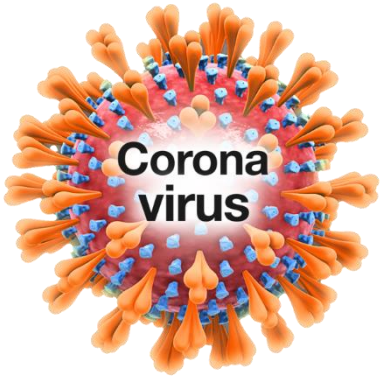
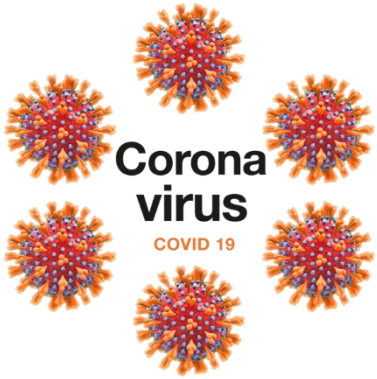
What is Coronavirus?

	Coronavirus is a germ that makes people sick. It is like the flu.
	Coronavirus is also called COVID-19.
	The virus can spread from person to person when you are very close.

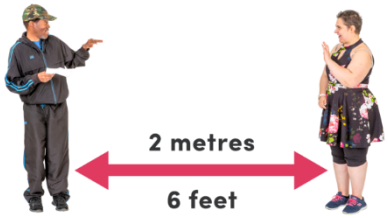
How does Coronavirus spread?

	Coronavirus can spread through the air when people who have Coronavirus sneeze or cough.
	Coronavirus can also spread onto surfaces if people who are sick touch them.

How do I stop the spread of Coronavirus?

	Wash your hands regularly with soap and water.
	Or use hand sanitiser if you don't have soap and water nearby.

	Try not to touch your face with your hands.
	Use tissues when you sneeze and cough.
	Put the tissue in the bin afterwards.
	If you don't have a tissue, cough or sneeze into your elbow.
	Don't shake hands with people you meet. Just say 'Hello' instead.

	Stand two metres away from each person you meet. This is called **social distancing**.
	Avoid crowds and busy places.
 	Go to the shops when they are quiet. You can find out when your local shops have quiet times for shopping.