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Your kids are hearing about [coronavirus \(COVID-19\)](#). You want to make sure they get reliable information — and you want them to hear it from you. Here's how to talk about it.

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Find Out What Your Child Already Knows

Ask questions geared to your child's age level. For older kids, you might ask, "Are people in school talking about coronavirus? What are they saying?" For younger children, you could say, "Have you heard grownups talking about a new sickness that's going around?" This gives you a chance to learn how much kids know — and to find out if they're hearing the wrong information.

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