Ayo has loads of questions.

First her teacher said...

No school kids!

What is the Coronavirus?

Why?

It’s due to a virus called Coronavirus. It is also called COVID-19 because we only found out about it in 2019.

It is safer to stay at home for a while.
AWWWW, NO MORE SCHOOL

TIGIST TOLD ME NO MORE SCHOOL BECAUSE WE ARE GOING TO DIE!

NO ITS ONLY A VIRUS! IT'S CALLED CORONAVIRUS.

WE JUST HAVE TO DO MORE OF WHAT WE HAVE ALWAYS DONE.

WASH OUR HANDS

DON'T TOUCH YOUR FACE

WEAR FACE MASK WHEN GOING OUT

NO TOUCHING OTHERS

NO HANGING OUT WITH YOUR FRIENDS FOR NOW

NEXT MORNING, AYO SUDDENLY WAKES UP AND OVERHEARS HER DAD TALKING TO HER GRANDMA.

IS GRANDMA SICK?

DO YOU REMEMBER WHEN WE HAD TO BE EXTRA CAREFUL WHEN TIGIST WAS SICK? THAT'S WHAT WE HAVE TO DO NOW.
DON'T WORRY, GRANDMA IS NOT SICK, I AM CALLING HER BECAUSE WE HAVE TO SPEAK EVERYDAY.

CORONAVIRUS CAN MAKE OLDER PEOPLE MORE SICK, THAT'S WHY WE ALL HAVE TO WASH OUR HANDS AND...

THAT'S WHY YOUR GRANDPARENTS CAN NOT COME AND VISIT US AND WE CAN NOT GO TO THEIR HOUSE, IT'S TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF THE VIRUS. REMEMBER HOW YOU CATCH IT?

SNEEZING WITHOUT A TISSUE

TOUCHING YOUR FACE WITH DIRTY HANDS

HANGING OUT WITH YOUR FRIENDS

TOUCHING OTHERS

HEY MOM, IS IT STILL OKAY TO PLAY WITH OUR COUSINS, I KNOW THEY ARE STAYING WITH US BUT THEY NORMALLY LIVE IN EUROPE, I THINK THEY HAVE THE VIRUS.

WHY?

BECAUSE I HEARD THE NEIGHBOR DOWN THE STREET SAYING EVERYBODY THAT COMES HERE HAS TO STAY ALONE FOR LONG TIME BECAUSE THEY MIGHT BRING THE VIRUS HERE.

COUSINS ARRIVE FROM EUROPE

WELL DONE AYO, THAT'S HOW YOU WASH YOUR HANDS.

OH AYO, THAT'S NOT WAY, THAT IS TO STOP THE DISEASE FROM SPREADING. NOW GO AND PLAY!

MOM AND DAD, I AM DOING EVERYTHING YOU TOLD ME SO I DON'T GET SICK, SEE, I AM WASHING MY HANDS. THIS IS NOT HARD, WE WASH OUR HANDS BEFORE WE EAT, WHEN WE COME HOME, THIS IS EASY!

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