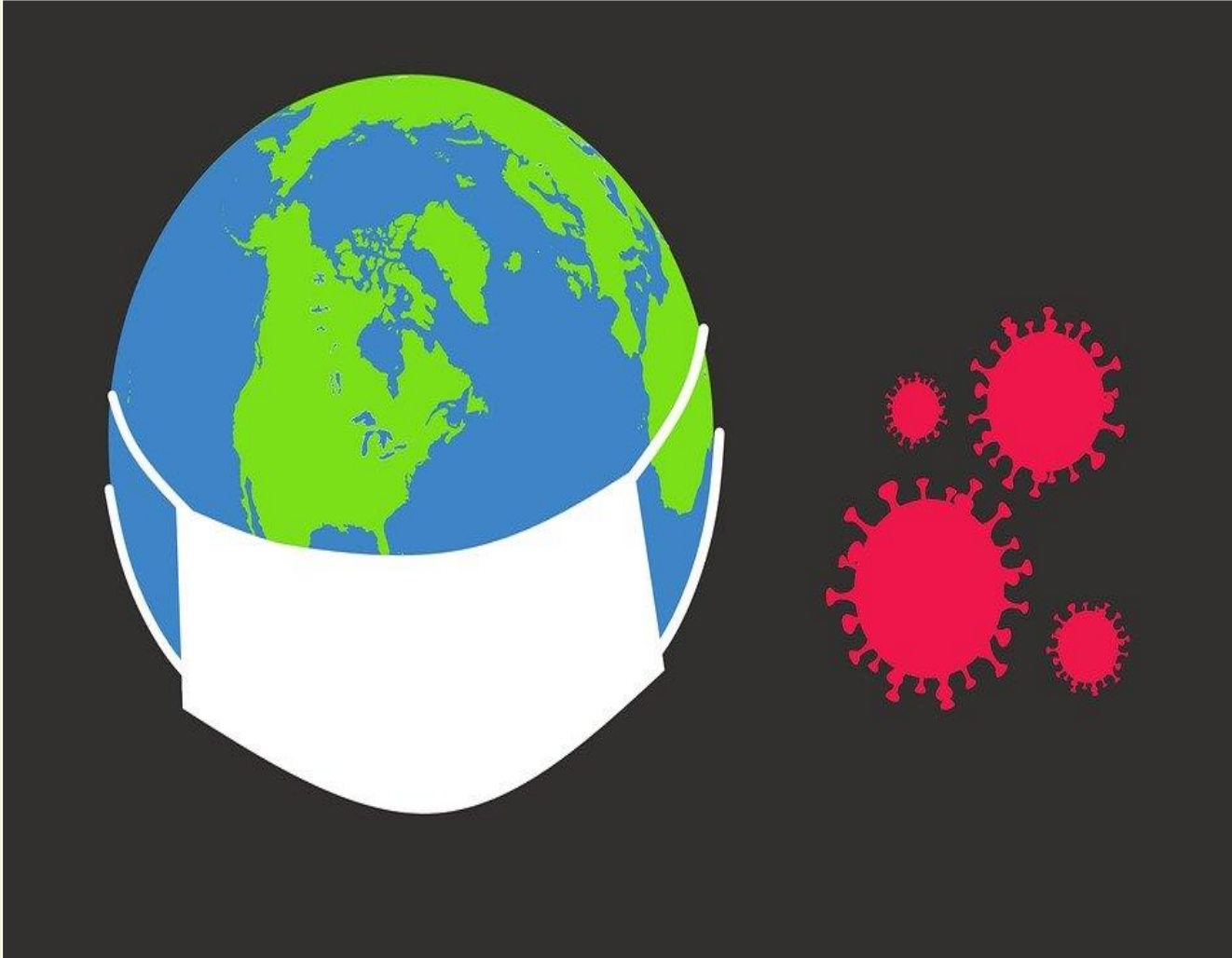


Social Distancing

A Social Story for Visual Learners



COVID-19, also known as the “Coronavirus,” is a new sickness everywhere.

Some symptoms include....



coughing



fever



shortness of breath

People who have Coronavirus might have a fever, a cough, or trouble breathing.

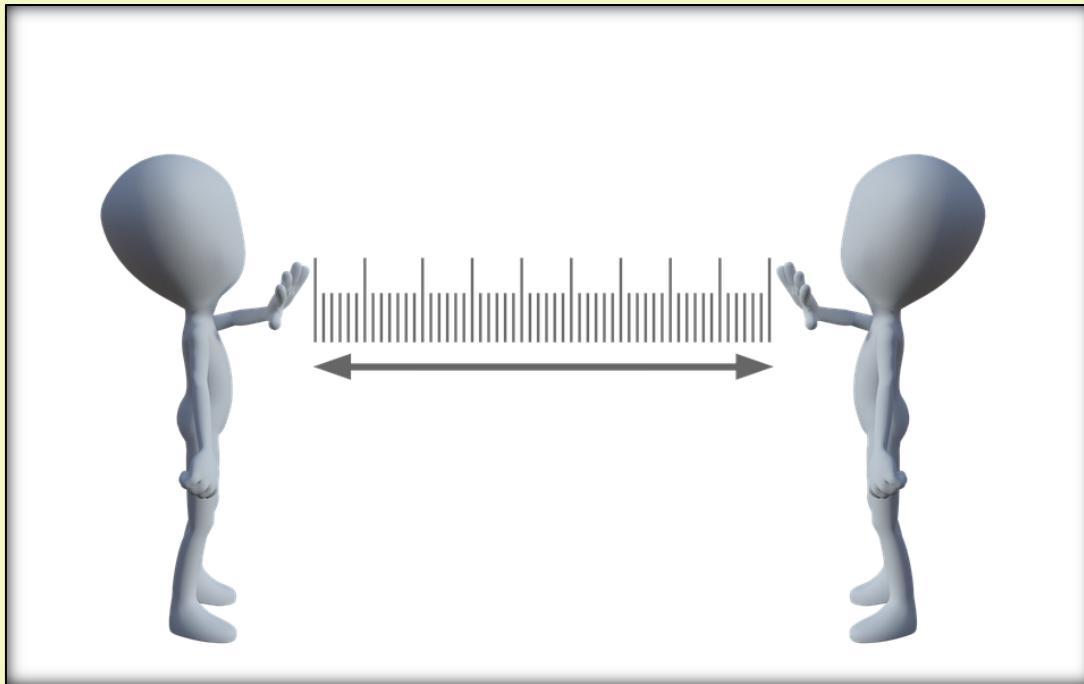


You may have heard
people talking about
Social Distancing.

This is a new idea.

Sometimes new
ideas are confusing.





Social Distancing is also called “Physical Distancing” because it means to put space or distance between people.



You can engage in Social Distancing by staying home with your family unless there is a reason to go out.

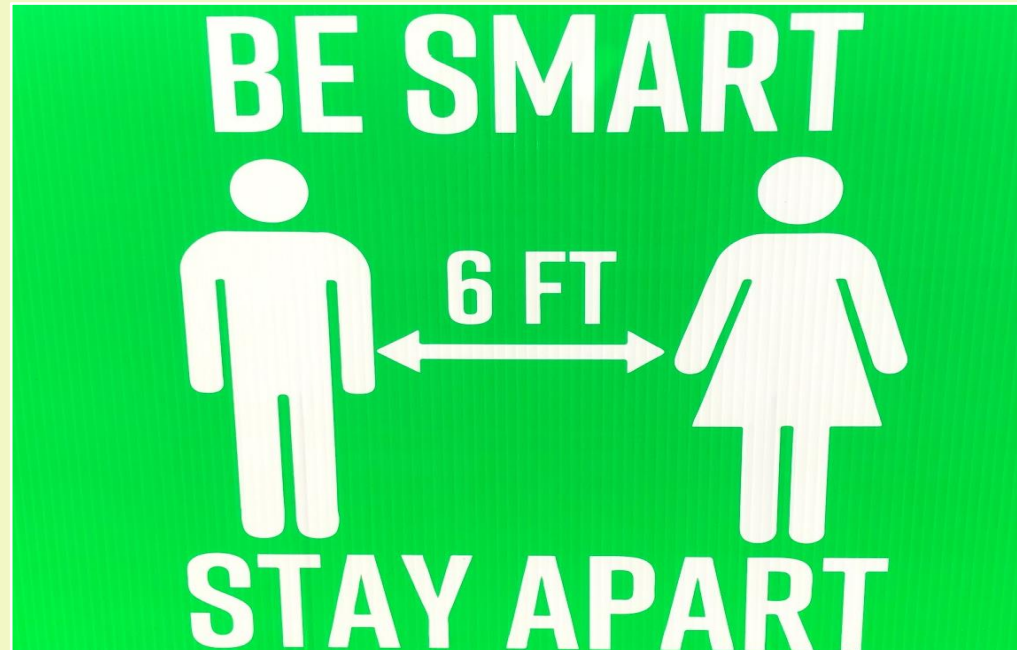


Some people might leave the house to:

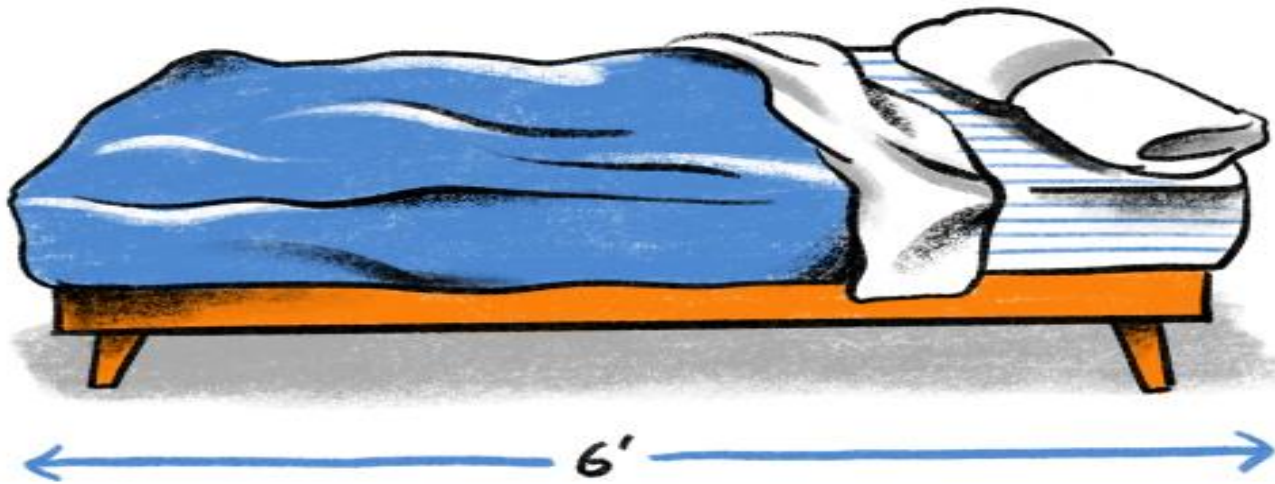
- Pick up food
- Go to the store
- Go to the doctor
- Play in the yard
- Ride bikes



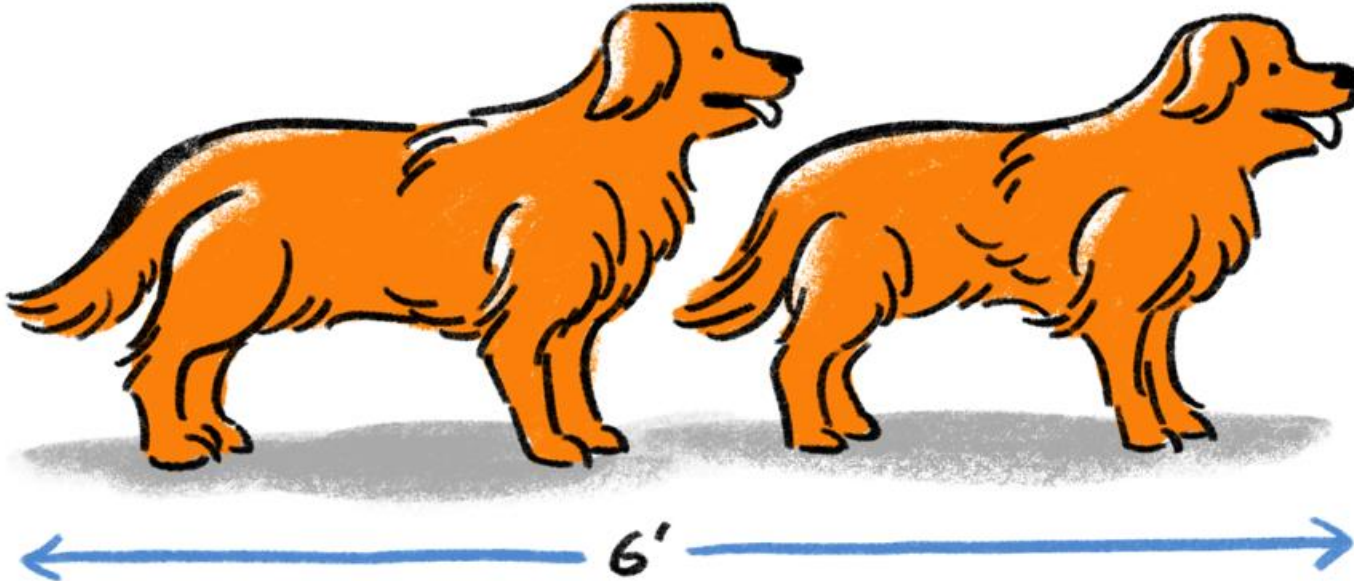
When we go out, we should stand far apart to keep germs from spreading.



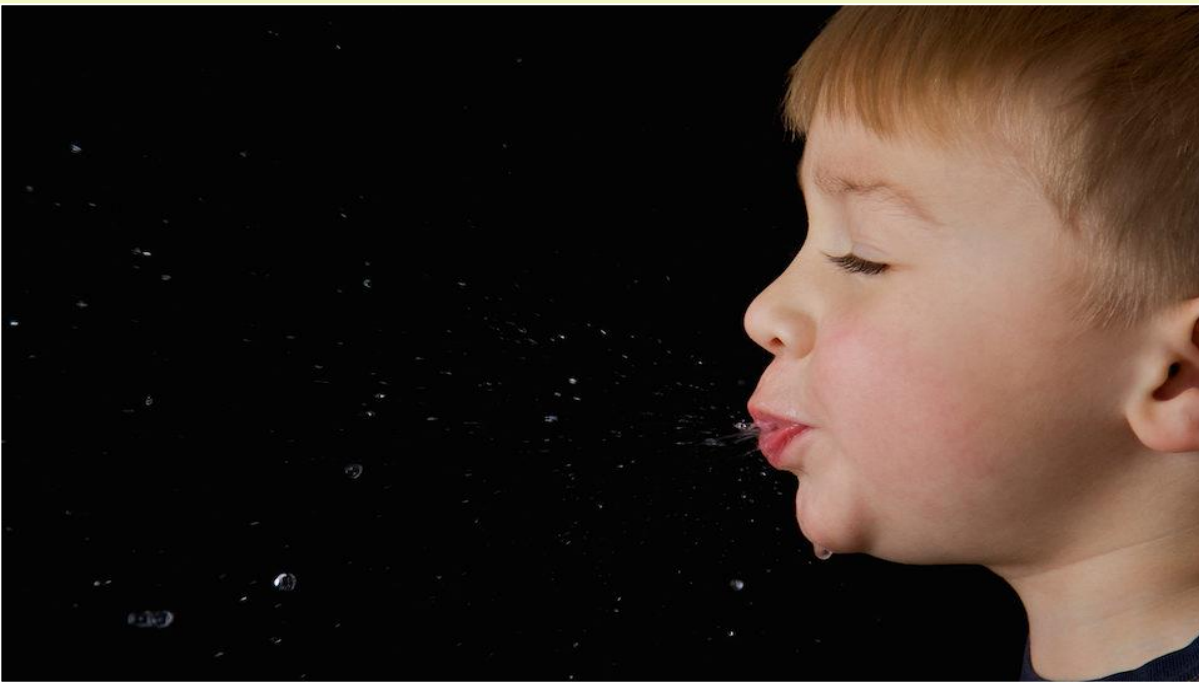
Standing far apart is Social Distancing.



When we go out, we should stand at least 6 feet away from people that don't live inside our house.



To help us remember, 6 feet is about the length of your bed or two Golden Retrievers!



We stand far apart
because germs can
spread when we
cough, when we
sneeze, and even
when we talk!



To keep ourselves and others from getting sick, we can:

- Stand far apart
- Wash our hands
- Wear a mask

Since “social distancing” is a new skill for us to learn, watch a video to find out more!



[CLICK HERE](#) for a video to learn more about Social Distancing!

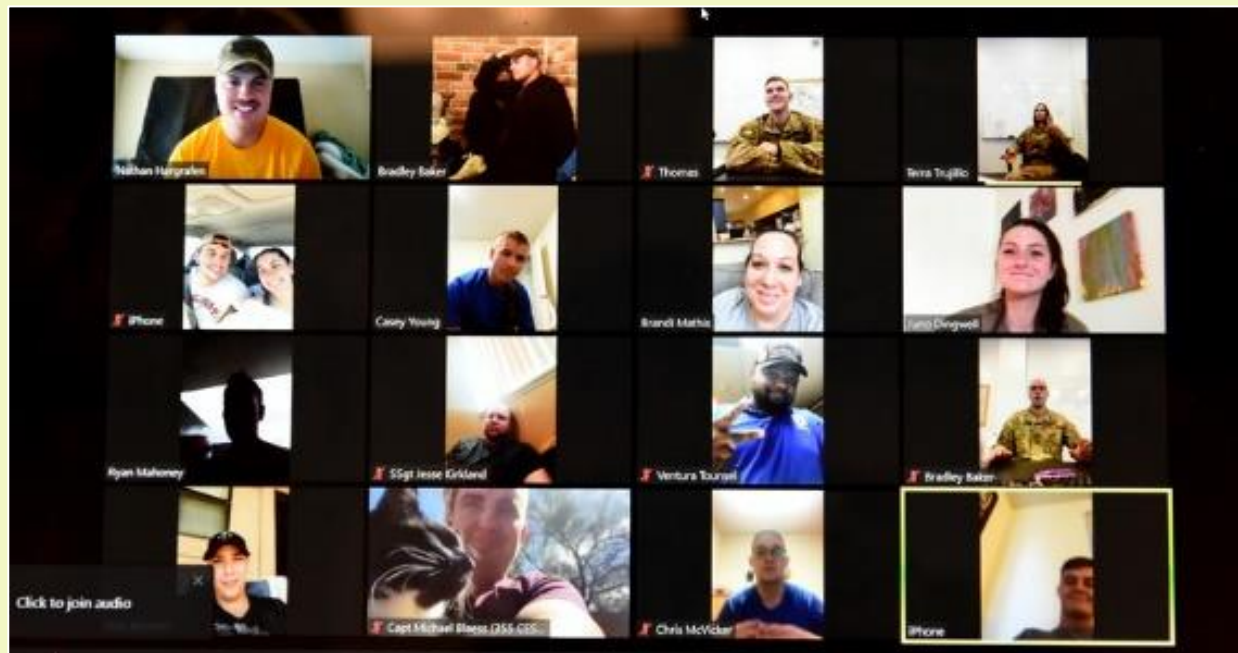
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Also, just because we need to stay home or stand far apart doesn't mean we can't talk to people we care about.



We are learning new ways to be together.



We can even play games together through the phone & computer!



And soon we may be able to spend time together in person too.



When we do, we will practice what we learned about **Social Distancing.**



Caregivers,
[CLICK HERE](#) for more
information about
teaching someone
to engage in
Social Distancing.

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