Testing for COVID-19

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Vaccines and Coronavirus - Level 3
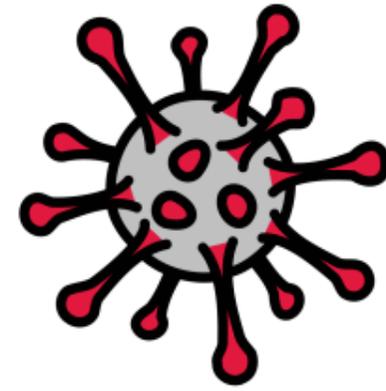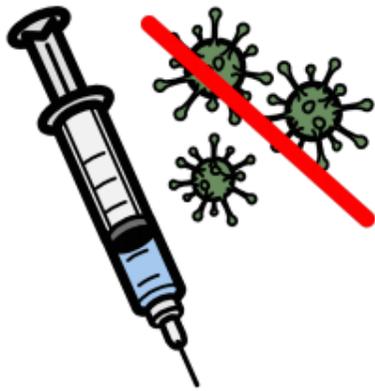
Vaccines and Coronavirus

We do lots of things to help us stay safe from Coronavirus. We wash our hands, social distance and do tests. Having a vaccine is another really important way to stay safe.
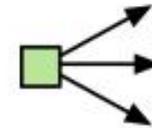
Washing our hands and social distancing stop Coronavirus spreading.
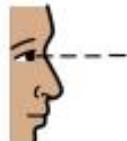
Tests help us see where Coronavirus is. Vaccines stop us feeling

sick from Coronavirus.

Vaccines also help doctors and nurses because less people need to go to hospital.
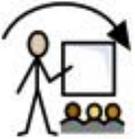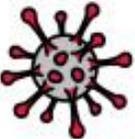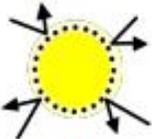
Vaccines teach our body how to stop Coronavirus. Our immune system is the part of our body that stops infections. The vaccine shows our body what to do to stop Coronavirus.
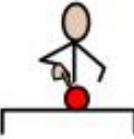
Vaccines   are   tested   by   doctors   and   scientists   to make sure they are

safe.

When I get my vaccine I shall go and see a special health worker.
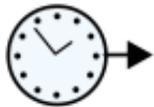
They will wipe my arm to clean it and they will put the vaccine
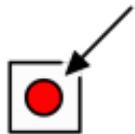
in my arm with a needle.

It may hurt for a second. This is ok. It means I will not get sick from Coronavirus.

I can do things to help me stay calm.

I can take deep breaths and count them.
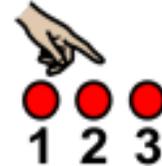
I can distract myself.

After my vaccination I will know that I am safe and I won't get sick from Coronavirus.

Thank you for helping stop Coronavirus.
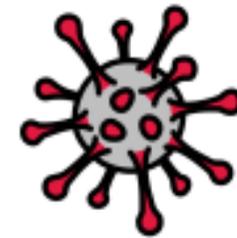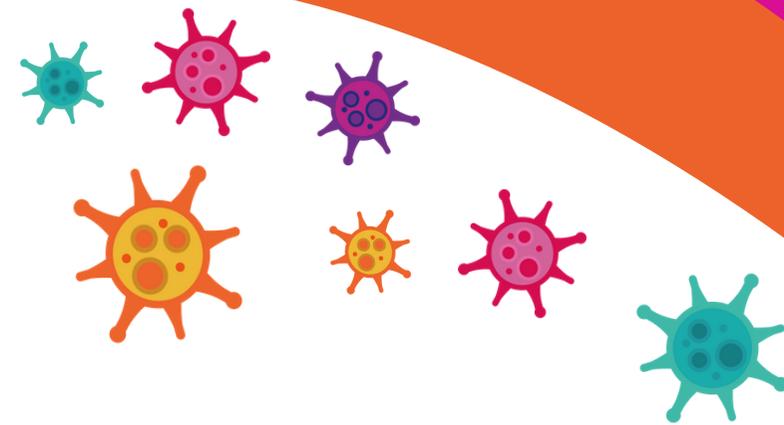
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