

Coronavirus (covid-19)

Reading Comprehension

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Read and answer the questions please.

Coronavirus is a kind of common virus causing infections to humans, mammals, and birds. In humans, coronavirus can cause respiratory infections in the nose, sinuses, or throat. Most coronavirus is not dangerous while some are serious like SARS and MERS.



The coronavirus gets its name from their protein spikes similar to the solar corona. Symptoms of this coronavirus in humans include cough, fever, throat infections, and respiratory problems. Not all coronavirus are lethal but some are severe to cause death.

The current outbreak of novel coronavirus (2019-nCoV) was identified in China and has killed many people. Thousands are said to have infected across the world in Europe, Australia, and North America at the start of March 2020. Covid-19 is the name given by WHO (World Health Organization) . covid-19 stands for coronavirus disease of 2019.

1. Coronavirus infects _____, _____, and _____
2. What are the dangerous variations of Coronavirus?
3. Why this virus is named Corona?
4. What are the symptoms?
5. Who named the virus?
6. What does covid-19 stand for?

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