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READING ACTIVITY: THE CORONA VIRUS SPREAD

Corona virus is a newly discovered virus. It caused a disease called COVID-19 and started in Wuhan-China. This virus has made lots of people sick and caused death in many parts of the world. This disease is very infectious. It is very important to remember that this kind of virus can affect *anybody*. It doesn't matter where you come from or what country your parents are from; the virus just infects anyone. The armed forces, firefighters and health workers help sick people and risk their lives every day to prevent the spread in the country. The health workers assist some infected people in their houses with medical care or take them to the hospital when they are in a serious condition. When the patients are asymptomatic, they have to be isolated because the doctors have confirmed that more than 10% of the patients have been infected by an asymptomatic person. An asymptomatic person has no symptoms but transmits the virus. People who are much older or who already have health problems like diabetics, hypertension or cancer are more probable to get sicker with corona virus. Corona virus patients have a severe treatment, they have to be alone and need a respirator because they cannot breathe. They spend many days in a hospital since they need special medical care the whole day. There are some things you can do to protect yourself, family and friends from getting sick, and they are:

- **Stay home and keep the quarantine correctly**
- **Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.**
- **Cover your cough or sneeze, then throw the tissue in the trash.**
- **Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth**
- **Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces.**
- **Keep social distance**

If you follow these public health recommendations, you will be safe. Finally, to eradicate the pandemic we have to be obedient with the quarantine and obey the biosafety measures to prevent this disease.

UNSCRAMBLE THE SENTENCE IN THE CORRECT ORDER

1. Wuhan- China   started   The Corona virus   in

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2. Transmits   has no   An asymptomatic person   but   the virus   symptoms

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3. sick people   helped   The health   workers

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4. COVID-19   Older people   at risk of   getting   are much

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5. Covid -19   to breathe   patients   a respirator   need

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