

COPING WITH COVID

A useful guide for kids and caregivers to unpackage the emotional effects of COVID-19

A little book about big ideas

by Carolyn Baker

This book is dedicated to all beings on this planet at this time.



WE CAN and WE WILL

How to use this book:

1. DEFINE THE WORD

A definition is provided for each key word.

2. ASK QUESTIONS

What's happening in the picture?

How does the picture relate to the word?

How does the image/word relate to the child's life?

3. LISTEN

This is a time to connect without judgement. Let the child explore the imagery and ideas, and guide the conversation.



The secret? Keep it simple, and let your kids do the talking.



virus

A sickness that is caused by germs.



social distancing

Not being in groups or close to others.



quarantine

Separating healthy people, so they stay healthy.



isolation

Keeping sick people from healthy people to slow the spread of germs.



committed

Willingness to give your time & energy to something you believe in.



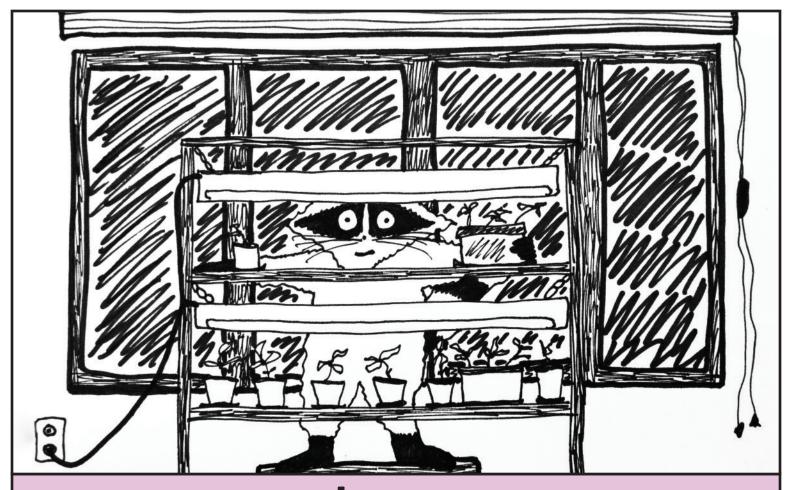
patience

Being able to wait without being upset.



community

A group of people sharing common attitudes, interests, and goals.



hope

Believing that something good might happen.



love

A huge feeling of great closeness and joy.



Very sad over losing something.

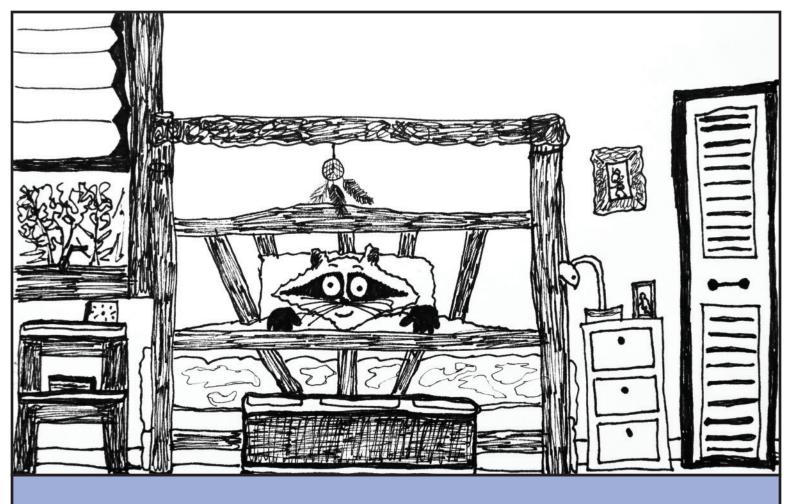


support To hold up, provide help.



optimism

The belief that there is hope about the future, or the successful outcome of something.



recovery

A return to a normal state of health, mind, or strength.



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