

Versión en inglés:

THE HIDE-AND-SEEK VIRUS (Educational Game)

To pass the time during this second fortnight of isolation, I am proposing you this Educational Game. I am sending you the lyrics and instructions to put it into practice.

PARTICIPANTS: Whole family.

EQUIPMENT:

Cardboard or paper, pen or pencil, and colored pencils or markers. Gloves, apron, mask, and cap.

PUT INTO PRACTICE:

We all get together at the table to draw and paint on the corresponding cards or papers to draw masks and 12 puppets with the face of a bad bug, or as many as you will use, depending on the number of rooms or parts of the house.

Then we will bring all the material together to distribute it. Gloves, aprons, caps, masks...

The puppets that each one of us makes have to be, more or less, equal in size, and different from the other members of the family. (You can help each other painting, especially the youngest family members.)

Once the drawings are finished, they will be folded into one size, like a matchbox, and each one will hide it very well, avoiding being seen by the others, in each of the 12 parts of the house. (or the number of parts in the house that are used, because perhaps there is no terrace, or attic, or large window, etc...)

When we have finished this important task, we all sing together the first part of the song that ends with this verse:

Now we all are organized:

Let's start fighting!

Don't be afraid of this bug

Because we are going to defeat it.

HOW TO PERFORM IT:

We sing the chorus together and the rest of the song is distributed among all the participants and each one will perform the different stanzas or its parts. During the performance, gloves, aprons, masks, and caps can be distributed, according to the number of family members in the house.

You can end up singing this verse again, all together.

Now we all are organized:

Let's start fighting!

Don't be afraid of this bug

Because we are going to defeat it.

Once finished we go through the different parts of the house in search of the drawing or the "coronavirus" puppet.

While searching, each one individually sings:

I don't see it around here,

It's not here either.

Until the one who finds all the drawings or puppets yells: VICTORY! And he/she sings:

It's up the stairs,

I just found it!

Everyone returns to the initial meeting point and ends up singing, -each person, one part- the last verses of the song from:

Wow, how ugly is this bug...!

Everyone ends up singing the chorus together, while giving a gift to each person and the trophy to the winner.

THE HIDE-AND-SEEK VIRUS

Run bad bug because we are going to catch you.

No matter how much you hide from us,

Today we are going to find you.

All the children united

we will defeat you

And kick you out of our houses

so you will leave us alone.

Little brothers and sisters,

we have to win this war

let's prepare the strategy

and let's start fighting.

So, I put on my gloves,

I put my apron on

and I put the mask on

and you the military cap.

We must organize ourselves well,

nothing can go wrong,

each one in their corner

we have to look for it.

I'm going through the kitchen,
I am going to look in the living room,
I'll search in the dining room
and I go upstairs into the attic.

Leave the bedroom to me
Well, for me the living room.
I'm going to the bathroom
And I will look in the entrance hall.

Well, I'm going to the pantry,
I'm going to the window,
I will search on the terrace,
I'll look for it in the ironing room.

We all are organized:
Let's start searching!
Don't be afraid of this bug
Because we are going to defeat it.

I don't see it around here,
It's not here either.
It's up the stairs,
I just found it!

Wow, what an ugly bug it is!

It is full of evil!

All together... Go for it!

It cannot escape.

Be careful, because it is very smart

and it can play a dirty trick on us.

Watch out, it is escaping through the door!

We are not going to catch it.

Even if it goes out through the door,

It will not return here.

It's already on the street... Darn!

What a smart animal it is.

This coward runs away so fast

That it forgets to look both ways before crossing the street

and the police car

has just run over it.

We have won the battle!

Good always overcomes evil.

and, being all together,

we can always win.

Goodbye despicable coronavirus,

You won't do evil again.

We won the battle

and we are going to bury you.