### Support links for families throughout the COVID-19 period

A guide to living with worry and anxiety

Psychology Tools have put together this guide to help support those who are finding it difficult to manage their emotions at times of uncertainty.

https://www.lymmhigh.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/Living-with-worry-and-anxiety.pdf

### • Building Confidence and Resilience - MindEd

Clear advice and signposting for parents and carers to help child deal with change and difficult situations

https://mindedforfamilies.org.uk/Content/building\_confidence\_and\_resilience/#/id/59e4d478ab5c1b176f1e2aea

 10 ways to help parents help their children cope with change – YoungMinds

https://mentallyhealthyschools.org.uk/resources/10-ways-for-parents-to-help-their-children-copewith-change?pdf=coronavirus-toolkit-6-resilience

Resources for anxiety, stress and Covid-19 - Safe Hands

Some resources to support children and adults around anxiety, worry, stress, and fears; including specifically Covid-19.

http://www.safehandsthinkingminds.co.uk/covid-anxiety-stress-resources-links/

## Protecting your mental health - Carers UK

These tips are designed to help both you and those you care for look after yourselves and protect your mental wellbeing.

https://www.carersuk.org/help-and-advice/coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-mental-wellbeing

 How to keep mentally healthy during uncertain times - Action for Happiness.

These ideas and examples can help you find ways to look after your wellbeing during the coronavirus outbreak.

https://www.actionforhappiness.org/news/how-to-keep-mentally-healthy-during-uncertain-times

# • Self-care strategies - the Anna Freud Centre

A selection of self-care strategies that have been developed by young people to help manage their own wellbeing. During a time when access to regular appointments may be disrupted or anxiety might be heightened, it might be helpful to try one or some of these strategies.

https://www.annafreud.org/on-my-mind/self-care/

# • Coronavirus and your wellbeing – Mind

 $\frac{https://www.mind.org.uk/information-support/coronavirus/coronavirus-and-your-wellbeing/\#collapse842d2}{}$ 

### Talking to your child about the coronavirus – YoungMinds

https://youngminds.org.uk/blog/talking-to-your-child-about-coronavirus/

# Worries about the world - Childline advice page

This page includes information on what concerns a child might currently have, for example about the coronavirus, and some things to try to address these worries.

 $\underline{https://www.childline.org.uk/info-advice/your-feelings/anxiety-stress-panic/worries-about-theworld/\#coronavirus$ 

#### • Student Videos

Tips for if you're worried about the coronavirus Newsround video <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/51887051">https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/51887051</a>
How to cope when you can't go to school because of the coronavirus - Newsround video <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/51656718">https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/51656718</a>

### Helping your child with anxiety - YoungMinds

An article and video with tips for parents on supporting their children with anxiety.

https://youngminds.org.uk/find-help/for-parents/parents-guide-to-support-a-z/parents-guide-to-support-anxiety/