'Don't Worry, Little Bear' Dice Game

Each person needs a copy of this sheet. Make the dice using the net or use a dice you already have. Take it in turns to roll the dice. For the colour/number you roll, cross it off and talk about the picture (refer back to the story). If you roll a number that you have already crossed off you miss a turn. The first person to tick off all 6 pictures, wins.

1. Bear
2. Coronavirus
3. School
4. Nurse
5. Rain
6. Bear with dice

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Dice Net

Make a dice out of this net or cut out the shapes and stick them on to a large dice.
‘Don’t Worry Little Bear!’
Game Prompt Sheet

Read ‘Don’t Worry Little Bear!’ before playing the game and then use this sheet as a prompt when playing the game. If they are struggling to give answers, say sentences and pause so they can finish them. For example, ‘Because he was feeling........’

Who is this? (Little Bear)
How was he feeling? (Sad, bad, confused, unsure)
Why was he feeling this way? (Unsure about what was happening and why)

What’s happening in this picture? (Coronavirus is on the TV)
How do you think this made Little Bear feel? (Confused/worried/curious)
What have you heard about the Coronavirus? (Read the letter with her friends)

How did Little Bear feel about not going to school? (Sad/Confused because he couldn’t see his friends)
Why were some children going to school? (Because their grown-ups were doing important jobs and couldn’t leave them at home)
How do you feel about not going to school? (Allow children to respond freely)

Can you tell me about this picture? (It’s a nurse – one of the parents of children still going to school)
Why are doctors and nurses important? (They help us to get better when we are poorly)
Can you think if any other important jobs that people need to do? (Police, Supermarket workers, teachers, health care staff, delivery drivers)

Tell me what’s happening in this picture? (They are washing their hands)
Why is it so important to wash our hands? (To keep germs away and stop the virus spreading)
When should we wash our hands? (When we go to the toilet, after we have been outside, before we eat, before bedtime)

What is Little Bear doing in this picture? (Reading books and playing games)
What fun things are you going to do at home? (Allow children to respond freely and try to do some of the things they say over the coming days/weeks)
Tell me 3 good things about being at home? (Allow children to respond freely but prompt if needed)

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