

Some People Have to Wear Some Funny Things

We are in a time called a “pandemic”.

This means that a virus is being passed from one person to another. This virus is called Covid 19. A virus can make people sick. It is easy to catch the virus. We want to make it hard to catch the virus.

Some people have jobs taking care of other people. They can work in a group home, a nursing home, a hospital or someplace else. They can even work where I live. They want to make it hard for other people to catch a virus from them. So, they might start wearing some funny looking clothes. They might wear:

A mask over their nose and mouth



Gloves



A gown over their clothes



A face shield



They might wear some of these things, like just a mask and gloves, or just gloves, or they might wear all of these things. It is hard to catch a virus from someone who wears these things.



Some people think they look scary. Other people think they look funny. Some other people are calm with it.

I might see people who take care of me wearing these things. I can try to think, they are trying to keep me safe and healthy. In a few weeks or months they will wear normal clothes again.

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