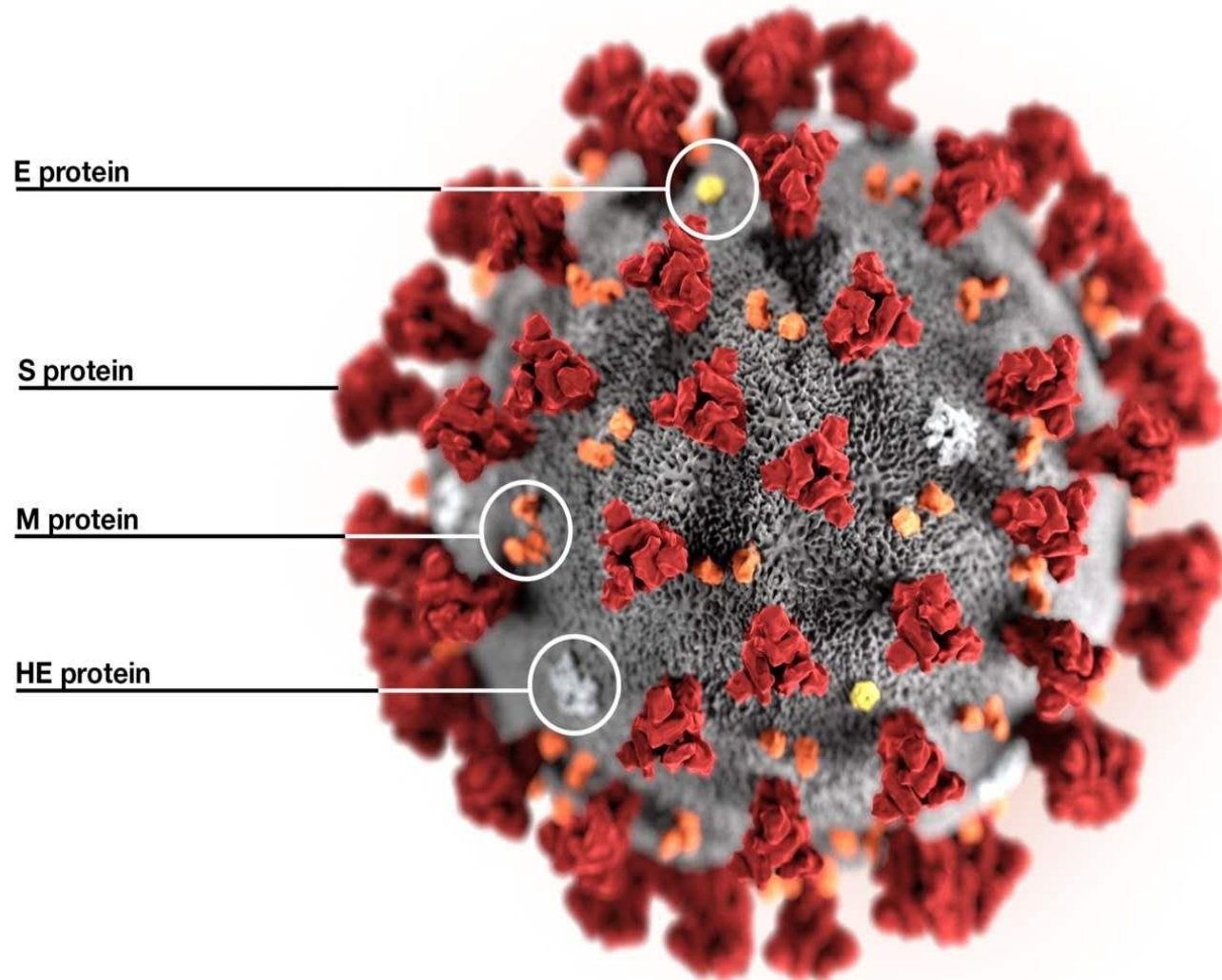


Novel coronavirus (2019-nCoV)

COVID-19



假如你是李华，最近中国**抗击新冠肺炎**的新闻传遍全球。你的美国网友Tom写email询问**情况**。请**给他**回复一封**email**，**谈谈**预防疾病以及防止病毒传播的简单方法(**如勤洗手戴口罩等**)，**并阐述理由**。

Person:

to “you”

Pattern:

an **email** providing information and some advice

a pure advice letter

Dear Tom,

Para 1: Writing purpose and related background

Para 2: Ways to prevent and their reasons

(at least **3** including washing hands and wearing masks)

Para 3: **Hope for the future(Tom's health)**

Yours,
Li Hua

Para.1

◆ Inform Tom of the present situation

➤ adjectives to describe this virus.

terrible severe horrible disastrous
awful infectious dreadful deadly

➤ sentences to describe this virus.

1. The virus is very terrible because it can transmit from human to human.

2. The virus is so dreadful that tens of thousands of people have been infected.

3. So deadly is the virus that numerous people have lost their lives.

4. It's true that many people are infected with coronavirus in China and we are doing our best to fight the disease.

◆ Para. 1

◆ Writing purpose

1. Now I'm writing to offer you daily useful tips.
2. I am writing to tell you to take useful measures to prevent yourself from being infected.
3. Here are some small but useful tips for you.
4. Here are some suggestions to prevent infection.

◆Para. 1

◆Combine current situation with writing purpose

1. Given that the COVID-19 is getting more and more serious, I am writing to remind you to pay more attention.
2. I am sure you've heard about the outbreak of COVID-19, a high-infectious virus that could cause severe pneumonia and transmit from person to person. So I am writing to you urgently to inform you of the necessary ways to protect yourself.
3. I am writing to tell you the present situation that thousands of people have been infected and numerous people have lost their lives. Therefore, you are supposed to take useful measures to prevent yourself from being infected.

Para.2

◆ Ways of preventing disease and virus transmission

- 1. Wash your hands frequently and properly .**
- 2. Wear masks outdoors .**
- 3. Stay at home .**
- 4. Strengthen your immune system and exercise regularly.**
- 5. Never eat wild game meat 野味 .**
- 6. Cover your coughs and sneezes with tissue.**
- 7. Drink more hot boiled water.**
- 8. Wear safety goggles.**
- 9. Keep a balanced diet.**
- 10. ...**

◆ Wash hands

1. First and foremost, it's necessary for you to **tidy your hands** thoroughly, especially before eating and after going to the toilet, **which** can be an effective method to prevent yourself from developing the pneumonia.
2. Remember to **wash hands** frequently and properly, **which** can not only help you develop good living habits, but also keep you from the virus.
3. It's of great significance to **wash your hands** frequently, properly and thoroughly. **Only by** doing so **could** the virus **be** got rid of totally.

◆ Wear masks

1. **Wearing masks** is one of the best ways to avoid the virus entering the bodies through mouths or noses **as** the deadly virus goes around by coughing, sneezing and touching.
2. It's of great importance to **wear masks** **for** the virus is spread by infected people's coughing and sneezing.
3. You'd better attach great importance to **wearing a surgical or N95 mask** when going to public areas, **since** it can protect you well.

◆ Other ways

1. Last but not least, **proper exercise** is a good choice, **for** it strengthens your body and improves the immune system.
2. It goes without saying that you are supposed to **work out** regularly to strengthen your immune systems, **which** is considered as a matchless weapon.
3. **Building up body** is also a great way of preventing you from being infected, as well as keeping an optimistic attitude towards this “campaign”.
4. You are supposed to **do some indoor exercise** aiming to strengthen your immune system and reduce the risk of being infected.

Para.3

◆ Hope

1. There are numerous heroes against the virus, protecting others' lives, so I **firmly believe** everything will go smoothly some day! **Thanks you for your concern !**
2. **Under no circumstances** will we lose heart to defeat the virus. **Wish you all the best !**
3. We can't be too careful to prevent infection. **I bet** we will win this campaign in the end with everyone's effort. **Hope everything goes well!**
4. I **strongly believe** we will win the long campaign thoroughly in the near future. **May you be in good health.**
5. A people united can move mountains. Thus I **hold the strong belief** that China will get through the difficulty. **Wish you good health!**

✓ Find some disadvantages

Dear Tom,

It's true that many people are infected with corona and we are doing our best to fight the disease.

misuse the
"person"

As the dangerous virus spreads widely, it is important for us to take steps to reduce the risks of the great possibility of human-to-human transmission. It is dangerous to

use improper tone

gather in public places. Thus you must avoid going to public places. miss a conjunction do not forget to wear face masks and goggles

as well. Ensure that there is always fresh air. miss the main point The coronavirus is mainly spread by droplet transmission. So you should take exercise properly and keep a balance diet. wash hands???

Hopefully, my advice will be of some help to you. I believe that we will win this fight against the horrible virus in the near future.

Attention!!!

Use unnecessary
sentence and phrase

Yours
Li Hua

✓ Writing sample

Dear Tom,

It's true that many people are infected with coronavirus in China and we are doing our best to fight the disease.

To prevent you being infected (infect), some measures could be taken. Firstly, due to droplet transmission, it's better to wear face masks (mask) when not at home. Secondly, you are supposed to wash your hands frequently (frequent), for it can kill the virus scattered. In addition, you'd better stay indoors (indoor) to avoid some unnecessary (necessary) contact. Last but not least, it's also an essential idea to exercise more to strengthen (strong) your body, which could boost the immune system.

Hopefully, the epidemic will be under control soon. Thank you for your concern.

Yours,
Li Hua

Thank you!

THANK YOU!