Resources for Children

Title	Description	Tips for the Reader
Rosie Remembers Her Mommy: Forever in Her Heart National Child Traumatic Stress Network	A simple short, illustrated story to assist children who have experienced a mother's death. Also in video format.	Published in 2015. Available in English and Spanish.
The Golden Sweater New York Life Foundation	A one-minute video exploring the grief of a young boy. Also available as a downloaded PDF. Discussion guide available.	A donation is made for each download up to 175,000.
Bereavement Resources for Children New York Life Foundation	A compilation of articles, expert tips, personal stories and local resources for families, educators and community members.	Includes materials related to COVID-19 and lists of local and national organization that support bereaved children and their families.
Simple Activities for Children and Adolescents in Evacuation/Shelter/ Lost Power/When Play Outside Is Limited Texas AgriLife Extension Service 4-H Program	A multi-purpose guide that suggests ways to entertain and engage children and teens during the temporary disruptions caused by disasters.	These activities have been taken from a larger publication used by Texas 4-H to support After School Programs. The lessons are set up in a "say and do" format and can be led by youth. The activities do not require any additional supplies.
Children and Disasters American Academy of Pediatrics	A general guide for pediatricians on the unique roles that they play in preparing for and responding to the needs of children in disasters. Includes information about a fund to support physicians caring for children after a disaster.	Updated with emerging issues and news about disaster training and education.
Disaster Safety for Children American Red Cross	This guide is geared toward assisting home caregivers in developing safe practices for preparing for and surviving disaster events.	Includes instructions for making a disaster kit and an evacuation plan.

<u>Children in a Disaster Tools and</u> <u>Resources</u> Centers for Disease Control	Advice for caregivers and materials targeted for children, including building an emergency toolkit and guidance for children with special health care needs.	A special section is devoted to grief and COVID-19.
Tips for Helping Children Cope with Hurricanes, Storms, and their Aftermath Trauma and Grief Center, Texas Children's Hospital	Although primarily geared to parents and caregivers, these materials also include resources targeted directly to children.	One resource focuses on how to speak with children about suicide.