Victim Empathy

Understanding how the offense has affected everyone, especially the victim, can be difficult for children and sometimes their parents to do. These questions are some to help you start thinking about empathy (we talk to your child about these same questions in treatment).

Please follow up with your clinician to discuss this topic further.

We feel empathy is important to talk about, and is different for each person.

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What does it mean to be a victim of something?

What kinds of things can people be victims of?

What does empathy mean?
What does the term *victim empathy* mean?

Give an example of a situation where someone was a victim of something: