

Earth Day Activities

Here are some virtual celebrations that the members can participate in on Earth Day freely available to them.

1. San Diego Zoo is having a virtual celebration with free activities and a day of free fun.

<https://zoo.sandiegozoo.org/earth-day>

2. Earth Day. Org will be doing a global campaign of things that the members and family can participate in. A dozen of the world's most inspiring musicians, artists, scientists and thought leaders will use the power of digital teach-ins to share their experience, their expertise and their lessons to a global audience across the 24 hours of Earth Day.

<https://www.earthday.org/campaign/digital-earth-day/>

3. For the 50th anniversary of Earth day, stopwaste.org is doing a virtual Earth Day participation gallery with an online forum for everyone to participate and share what good they did on Earth Day. They have tools for students and parents to use and take part in.

<http://www.stopwaste.org/at-school/virtual-earth-day-2020>

Planet Earth Mask

4 Easy Steps:

1. Take a paper plate/white paper shaped into a circle and a black crayon/marker and draw outlines of different continents.
2. Draw two eyes on the top portion of the globe and cut them out large enough where you can see through them.
3. Color in the mask with green and blue marker/crayon filling in the green land and blue water.
4. Take any string or small stick: with the string, make two small holes on either end of the mask and fasten string to them that will tie around the back of your head or with a small stick, glue the stick to the bottom of the mask.



Egg Carton Plant

1. Take your egg carton and with the help of a parent, cut the carton leaving the amount of egg cups you want to work with.
2. Take dirt and fill the egg cups half way, plant/put down the seeds of your choice, then cover them filling up the rest of the egg cup.
3. Water each egg cup.
4. Daily you can check on your plant and water it. Once it starts to sprout, you can move the plant to a larger pot or place it in the ground where it can continue to grow.



Bean Plant Activity

This activity will allow you to grow plants using items around your house.

This activity only requires a paper or glass cup, paper towel, water and a lima bean or pea.

1. Take the paper towel and line the cup all around it with paper towel along with stuffing the middle of the cup.
2. Wet the paper towel making sure you allow all of it to get wet.
3. Take the seed of your choice and place it in between the cup and paper towel spread evenly around the cup.
4. Set to the side where it won't be bothered making sure to check the paper towel everyday for moisture and once the roots have grown and the plant has started to grow, transfer the plant to soil.

This video shows step by step of the process:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U9SWwnWe0VQ>

Reduce, Reuse, Recycle

Let's get into recycling! As a family or by yourself, come up with a plan of what the whole family will follow in helping to reduce your carbon footprint. Start by learning what in your house can be used again, what can be used for other things and where things go when they are of no use anymore. If there is an extra box or bags laying around, assign each one to a type of garbage. You can decorate each box, bag or bin. One for plastic, one for paper, one for reuse. You can make a chart to assign each family member a material that they will be responsible for disposing. When leaving the house is necessary, make sure to have bags that are set aside to be reused at the store so as to keep the amount of new plastic coming in low.

PLEASE RECYCLE

Remember you can recycle:

- junk mail and cards
- paper
- disposable plates & cups
- newspaper & magazines
- plastic goods & bottles
- glass
- food cans (rinsed)
- aluminum foil

LET'S ALL RECYCLE! YOUR TURN IS ON:

Monday

Tuesday

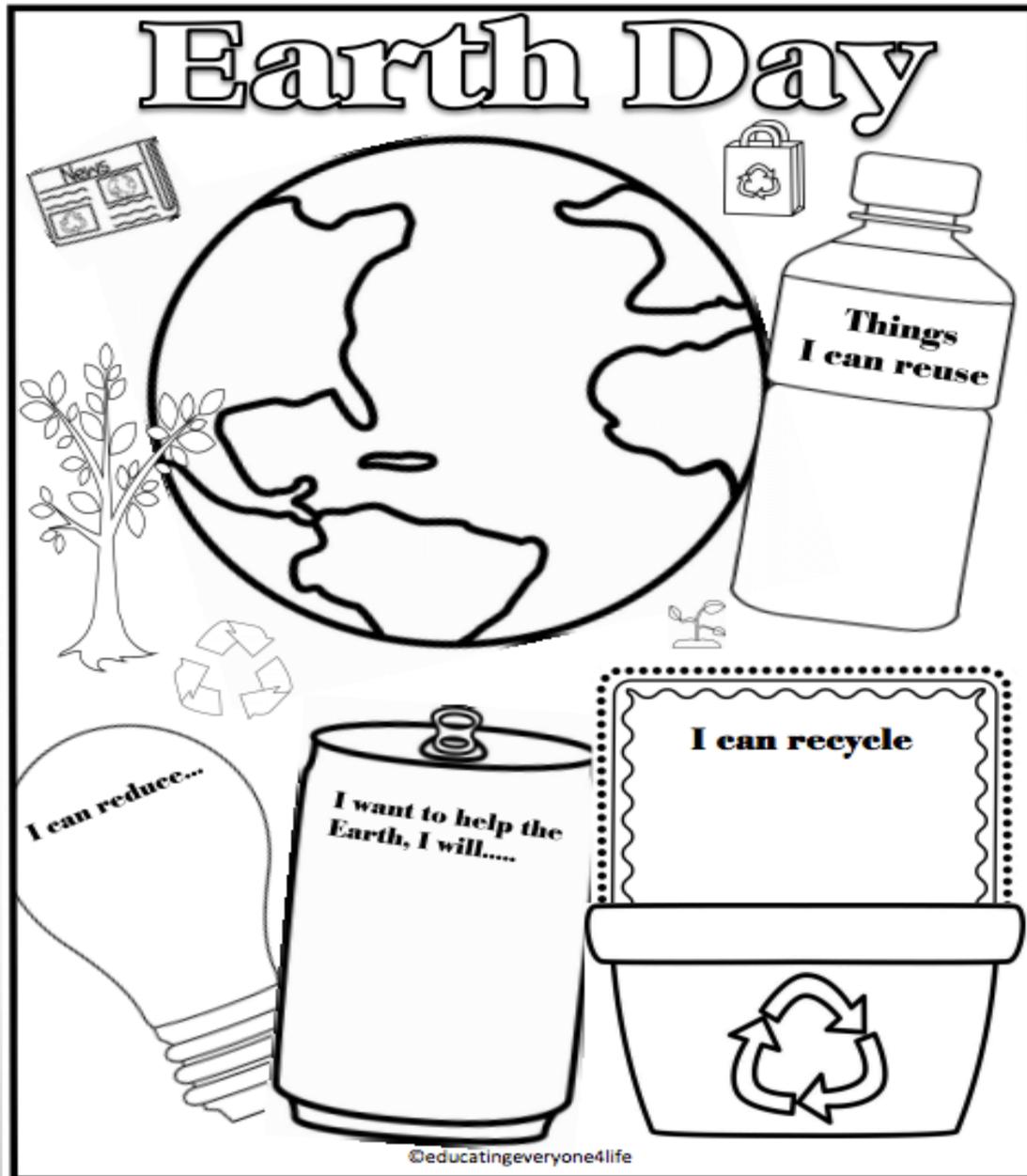
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Thursday

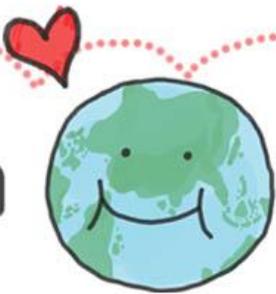
Friday

Sat/Sun

You can print this or make your own at home!



You can print this or make your own and share!

Earth day  Pledge

by

(your name here)

 I will _____

 I will not _____

You can print this or make your own and share!

Name: _____
Date: _____

Subject: Earth Day
Sheet: Acrostic poem



Earth Day - Acrostic Poem

E	_____
A	_____
R	_____
T	_____
H	_____
D	_____
A	_____
Y	_____



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