

Celebrate Earth Day!

Wednesday, April 22



Let's celebrate Earth Day with our children! April 22 is Earth Day. The perfect time to talk about caring for our world. During this time teachers talk about recycling, reducing and reusing while allowing children to step outside and embrace what nature has to offer.

Here are some hands-on activities that provide children with some ways to explore caring for the earth and recycling.

Earth Day Songs

Enjoy these fun Earth Day sing along songs that teach about recycling and more!

Go Here to sing along!

[EARTH DAY SING ALONG SONGS](#)

Recycling Activity

Make your own recycling center in your home with your children!



Go here for activity details! [AT HOME RECYCLING CENTER](#)

Cardboard Bird feeder

Bird feeders aren't just for winter. Make this easy bird feeder with your children for Spring! It's a great way for children to watch and study nature.



Go here for activity details! [CARDBOARD BIRD FEEDER](#)

Earth Day Scavenger Hunt

Make a list of items for your child to collect outdoors, like pinecones, leaves, flowers, rocks, and sticks. When all the items on the list have been gathered, talk about what role they have and the impact they make on the surrounding environment. For example, sticks are gathered by birds to make nests, and flowers have nectar that bees carry back to their hives to make honey.

Plant a Seed

Here are two really great ways to start a garden!

Make a mini green house!



Go here for activity details!

[UPCYCLED GREENHOUSE](#)

Grow seeds in a plastic bag!



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[GERMINATION IN A PLASTIC BAG](#)

DIY Kaleidoscope

A DIY Kaleidoscope is a really great way to recycle materials and also use it in the great outdoors.



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[DIY KALEIDOSCOPE STEAM ACTIVITY](#)

Make a Journey Stick

This such an easy, fun outdoor craft to do with kids. A Journey stick is essentially a memento of a nature walk, featuring items collected whilst on the walk. It's an easy way to have some fun family time on a nature walk.



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[JOURNEY STICK ACTIVITY](#)