

Earth Day 2020 Activities

April 22 is Earth Day. April 22, 2020 is the 50th Anniversary of the birth of Earth Day. Although we will not be at school to acknowledge it together, there are many things that you can do to celebrate at home and to make changes to better the Earth. This year, we should take time to try and heal the Earth- especially with the challenge at hand. I listed a few things that you can do, but please feel free to come up with some on your own.

One of your corona break assignments is to spend the week trying to find ways to make the Earth better. Please share with me either by picture, writing, or both of ways that you have found to make the environment better.

Some Ideas (please try to do 5 or more for the assignment). Remember you can find other ways:

- **Use a reusable water bottle- no cans, no plastic bottles or cups, no styrofoam, etc.**
- **Plant trees, flowers, shrubs, a garden, etc.**
- **Clean up a flower bed**
- **Pick up trash around your house (due to the coronavirus, I do not recommend going outside of your property to do this)**
- **Make a social media video about ways to heal the Earth**
- **Make a Compost**
- **Recycle paper, cans, metal, etc**
- **Make an art project with recycled materials**
- **Make a poster that would promote Earth Day**
- **Research 5 plants/animals that are endangered and ways to increase their population.**
- **Analyze your personal impact on the planet- energy you use, the amount of water**
- **Go dark for a day- no electronics!**
- **Watch or read a documentary- there will be plenty this week with it being Earth Day!**
- **Clean out a closet to donate to the St. Clair Closet when we return- donate and recycle!**

Please turn in pictures or written descriptions by April 26, 2020.