

(K-2) Week 5: Stewards for the Earth

Continue your journey of learning over the summer.
You can choose to explore as many activities as you wish each week.
Challenge yourself to at least 3 in a row- just like playing Tic Tac Toe!

Earth Day Actions

Read the book [Earth Day!](#) This book talks about all the ways you can celebrate the earth.

Each page starts with an action word or verb. List all the action words you see in the book (Climb, Dance...etc)

Write 2 more pages of the book, and ask an adult to take a picture of you doing the action celebrating the earth!

A Whale's Tale

Watch this short film without words, [A Whale's Tale](#).

Write or record some some narration and dialogue (words the characters could be saying). What do you think they would say? How would they say it? How are they feeling?

Think about their voices, expressions and any other sounds they could be making!

Animals- Care and Compare

Let's compare animals. Imagine the animals you might see on a trip to the zoo (or to a farm or forest).

[Learn about animals here.](#)

Choose 3 animals and compare them using these words:

- Tall....taller...tallest?
- Heavy...heavier...heaviest?
- Fast...faster...fastest?

How did you decide which animals to compare? Are there other ways to compare animals?

Serving God by Helping Others

St Francis believed that the best way to do God's will was to care for all God's creations with joy and love. [CLICK HERE](#) to learn about some of his random acts of love. Your task today is to do 2 small acts of kindness.



Renewable Energy

Read or listen to the book Renewable Energy. [Click here.](#)



Use the [3-2-1](#) template to record 3 things you've learned, 2 things you found interesting, and 1 question you still have.

Up Close with the Animals

If you want to try the Care and Compare activity in the square above in real life, you can visit the [High Park Zoo](#) or the [Riverdale Farm](#) (both free activities).

The Toronto Public Library also offers free passes for families to visit the Zoo, the Aquarium, the Science Centre and many other Museums around the city.

[Click here](#) to read how an adult with a Library card can get access to the pass!

How Long is a Blue Whale?

A blue whale is a marine mammal. This species can reach a length of 29 meters. What does 29 meters look like? Head outside with some sidewalk chalk (or get some yarn/string) and draw a line on the sidewalk that's 29 meters long. That's one big whale!

Accommodation/ Modification:

Use one metre of string to find items that are 1m in length. Record how many things in and around your home are 1m long. Imagine how long a blue whale is.

Lights Off, Life On

By remembering to turn off the lights when not using them, we can help protect our planet from some harmful gases. **Create small signs and post them at home by the light switches.** You'll help preserve the environment and save your parents some money too!

[CLICK HERE](#) for some ideas.



Green Ride

Invite your family to go on a "green" adventure! [CLICK HERE](#) to find information about Toronto's top cycling routes and discover amazing "hidden parks"! Wear your bike helmet. Bring a small backpack with a water bottle, snacks, and a camera or phone to photograph the treasures you will find! If you don't have a bike, try hiking instead! [CLICK HERE](#) for info on TO's 25 best hiking trails.