

Celebrate Earth Day

Did you know that this Wednesday, April 22nd is the 50th Anniversary of Earth Day! More than 190 countries and one billion people observe this special day by taking actions to help protect our planet.

Leidos participates annually in Earth Day because we are passionate about taking care of the environment. For more than 40 years we have been working hard to help our planet.

Below please find three activities that will help you learn more about the Earth and how you can help it be a fun and thriving place to live for years to come.

Directions:

1. Follow the instructions for part 1 and 2 of this activity.
2. Take a photo of your writing and drawing—post using your parent/guardian's social media account.

Methods for posting:

- ▶ Go to the Leidos Twitter or Facebook page. Find this week's activity post and reply to the post.
 - ▶ Post a photo to your personal social media accounts. Be sure to tag @LeidosInc (@Leidos on LinkedIn) and #LeidosJrInnovator. Your post must be public for us to see it.
3. In the caption please include your first name and school grade or year.
 4. Enter to win no later than Sunday 26 at midnight (EST)
 5. *Stay tuned to see who wins.*



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PART 1:

Activity: Choose one of the three activities below.

GOAL-ING

Watch this [animated video](#) about the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) with Malala and learn about the World's Largest Lesson!



Tell us which goal is your favorite and why? What makes you care about it? How do you hope to help reach the goal now and/or in the future (max 10 sentences)? Draw a picture to help illustrate what you wrote.

DO-ING

Help in the global campaign to end plastic pollution and reduce waste by following the...

5 Rs



REDUCE



REFUSE



REUSE



RECYCLE



REPAIR

Give us an example of what you can do for each R to help the Earth and draw a picture to illustrate your example.

ODE-ING

Oh Earth...Oh Earth how I love thee! Words can be a powerful way to express how you feel when you really care about something. By sharing these words with the world, you remind others of how much they care too.

POEMS



SONGS



STORIES



The earth sustains us. With a poem, song or story tell the earth how much you love it and why. Get creative and draw a picture to go along with what you write.

If you are writing a poem or a song we would love to see you perform it on video instead of through an illustration! Videos should not exceed 90 seconds and you will need to add the lyrics/poem to the comment when submitting.

WANT MORE OF A CHALLENGE? TRY COMPLETING ALL THREE!



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PART 2:

Complete the activity. Add your illustration and writing to the template below.
Can't print this page? No problem! Simply use an 8.5x11 sheet of paper to complete the exercise.

DO-ING

REDUCE	REUSE	REFUSE	RECYCLE	REPAIR

