

2022 EARTH DAY PROGRAM OUTLINE

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9

DATE OF EVENT: THURSDAY, APRIL 21

LOWER GWYNEDD, SHADY GROVE, HOLY ROSARY... 9:30 AM – 11:00 AM

BLUE BELL, STONY CREEK, SAINT HELENA... 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM

GRADES K - 2 (PICTURES)

Students draw a picture that represents Earth Day.

GRADES 3 - 5 (POEMS)

Students write a poem descriptive of Earth Day.

Please ensure **ALL** entries are legible and include...

- Student's name
- Grade
- School
- Shirt size
- Teacher's name

Important

- **Maximum Paper/Poster Size: 12"x18"** – must fit in provided envelope
- Poems and drawings without the above identifying information will be disqualified
- Shirt sizes are not guaranteed – we will do our best to ensure each child receives their requested size
- Transportation and supervision must be arranged by the teachers and principals from each school.

Teacher Instructions

- Please encourage students to be creative, work independently, and draw/write neatly
- To avoid students' disqualification, please make sure all identifying information is included on entries
- Collect and forward all work in the provided envelope to the school office
- **Envelopes should be clearly labeled with teacher's name, grade, and school**
- Envelopes must be submitted to the front office by **Wednesday, March 9**

Additional Details

- Members from the Whitpain Township Shade Tree Commission review and judge entries
- The 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners from each grade will have their drawings & poems on display during the Earth Day Celebration at Prophecy Creek Park
- First place poem winners will read their poems during event
- **Please note:** 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners are selected from each grade, NOT classroom!

All winners will receive:

- Certificate and medal
- Pine sapling
- Earth Day t-shirt (will receive ahead of time to wear on April 21st)
- Earth Day craft to complete at home

Suggested Topics

- Clean Air
- Composting
- Litter Clean-Up
- Nature Trails
- Climate Change
- Open Space
- Parks
- Recycling, Reducing and Reusing
- Trees
- Watersheds and Streams
- Wildlife Conservation