

Earth Day Every Day

The heavens are telling
the glory of God

Celebrate the uniqueness of creation with this pop-up card. Make a different version for each environmental theme.

You will need:

- ♦ green construction paper or light card (size: A4 or A5 depending on the size of card you want to make)
- ♦ picture of the earth
- ♦ pictures of animals etc.
- ♦ pictures or symbols for recycling, refusing, re-using and reducing what we use of the world's resources
- ♦ glue sticks
- ♦ scissors
- ♦ paper, textas

What to do:

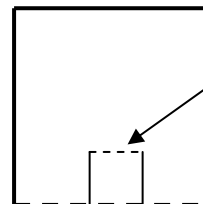
- ♦ Fold coloured construction paper/ cardboard in half to create a card.
- ♦ Cut two snips (approx 2.5 cm long) approx 3cm apart on the centre fold. This creates a 'chair' that pops up in the centre of the card when it is opened.
- ♦ On a piece of white construction paper, draw the Earth with textas and cut out the drawing. (Alternate: print one from the internet or from clip art.)
- ♦ Glue the Earth to the "chair" inside the card.
- ♦ Cut out pictures of animals etc. from magazines, clip art etc. and glue to the card behind, around and in front of the earth.
- ♦ Finish the card with the words

Refuse, re-use, recycle, reduce

Celebrate the environment with this pop-up card.

Suitable for:

- ♦ Clean Up Australia Day: 1 March
- ♦ World Water Day: 22 March
- ♦ World Environment Day: 5 June
- ♦ Threatened Species Day: 7 September
- ♦ World Habitat Day: 5 October



Fold when card opens, to form 'chair'

2 snips 2.5 cm in, 3cm apart, on centre fold

Alternative:

Use dark blue card, use pictures of the birds and sea creatures, and write words from Psalm 8: 5-8:

You have given us responsibility over the whole of your creation...sheep and cattle, wild animals, the birds and the fish and the creatures in the seas.

