



Celebrate the Earth Poster



Design and repurpose a poster to inspire care for our Earth.

Mindy and her friends discover that Earth is a perfect place to live for many reasons. For example, it has air, water, and good temperatures. What do you think makes Earth so special? How can we take better care of it? Create a poster that challenges you and your friends to celebrate and protect our amazing planet, then recycle your creation into something new!

Materials

- Printable *Ready Jet Go!* Cutouts (next page)
- Scissors
- Poster-sized paper (or whatever size you want!)
- Glue or tape
- Markers or crayons
- Optional: recycled items such as pictures from a newspaper or magazine

Tip

Taking care of our Earth is everyone’s job! Try using some of these ideas in your poster: **reduce** by turning off lights when leaving a room or turning off water when not needed; **reuse** by borrowing a book or drinking water from a reusable bottle instead of buying a plastic one; and **recycle** anything you can instead of throwing it away. Do you have other ideas?



Make and Share Your Poster

1. Design your poster using the *Ready Jet Go!* “Reduce, Reuse, Recycle” cutouts and your own inspiration.
2. Share it with a friend. You may want to try these ideas too:
 - a. Invite other friends or family members to create a Celebrate the Earth poster. Find a fun way to combine your posters for a bigger impact, just like Mindy and her friends did.
 - b. Every day is Earth Day. Use your poster to encourage your friends, family and neighbors to start a new Earth-friendly habit. For example, start recycling, turn off the lights or safely pick up trash on daily walks. Celebrate everyone’s success!
 - c. Do friends and family live too far away to enjoy your creation? No problem! With an adult’s help, take a picture and email, text, mail or find another way to spread your Celebrate the Earth message beyond your neighborhood.

Give Your Poster a New Purpose

Reusing items is a great way to help our Earth. When your poster has lived its life (and you’ve taken a great picture of it), make it into something new! Draw new pictures on the back, make a paper airplane, wrap a gift with it or come up with your own creative idea.

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Ready Jet Go! Character Cutouts

Cut out the characters along the dashed lines.
Use them to decorate your poster.

