

# EARTH DAY AT SCHOOL



1 Read and write the correct name(s).

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**EARTH DAY** is celebrated on 22nd April. It's a day to learn about how precious and important the environment is, and how we should take care of it. We asked children around the UK how they celebrate Earth Day!



Our school organises lots of fun events on **Earth Day**. This year we're going to plant trees in the school grounds! If we plant more trees, we'll help reduce deforestation and have cleaner air. We'll make our school prettier, too!

Tina, 11, Edinburgh



We have so much fun on **Earth Day**! Each class makes their own **video** about how to look after the environment! Then we have a competition and present our videos to the whole school in the main hall!

Tom, 12, Bangor



We've got amazing '**green teams**' in our school! We go around the school, looking for ways to keep it green! We do everything, from making sure the lights are turned off in empty classrooms to putting recycling bins all around the school!

Harry, 11, Nottingham



This year, our school is hosting an event to **collect e-waste**! E-waste comes from old electronic devices, like computers and mobile phones. When people throw them away, they produce dangerous chemicals that go into the ground! To prevent this, we go around the neighbourhood, collect old devices and take them to special recycling centres.

Lydia, 11, Cardiff

This pupil(s) ...

- 1 picks up old technology in the local area.
- 2 does something outdoors at school.
- 3 helps celebrate Earth Day through a presentation.
- 4 is a member of a special group.
- 5 uses technology to raise awareness about Earth Day.
- 6 takes unwanted things to be recycled.
- 7 will help improve how the school looks.
- 8 walks around the school to make it more eco-friendly.

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2 How do you celebrate Earth Day at school? Tell the class.