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ways to

**CELEBRATE**

**World Environment Day**



- A** Adopt a 'green' way of life  
Art made of recycled materials  
Auctions to benefit an environmental project  
Award presentations for environmental competitions  
Awareness campaigns
- B** Bicycle parades/races  
Broadcast of public service announcements (TV and Radio)  
Buy a fuel-efficient car
- C** Calculate your carbon footprint  
Carpools  
Celebrity support  
Clean-up campaigns  
Competitions (banner, drawing, essay, painting, poster, poetry)  
Conferences on the environment
- D** Debates on environment issues  
Dedicate your blog to World Environment Day on 5 June  
Distribute leaflets, brochures and posters  
Donate to an environmental cause
- E** Environmental education programmes in schools  
Excursions to nature sites  
Exhibitions (drawings, posters, photos, paintings)
- F** Fairs  
Festivals  
Film festivals on the environment
- G** Give a gift membership of an environmental organisation  
Guidelines to community-based environmental activities
- H** Hoist banners at major road intersections  
Help local environmental groups organise WED events
- I** Inform all your friends about WED  
Involve various partners (NGOs, ministries, youth groups, celebrities, private sector)  
Issue First Day Covers (stamps)
- J** Join an environmental group  
Join UNEP's carbon neutral network
- K** Keep your neighbourhood clean  
Kick-start an environmental campaign  
Kick the CO<sub>2</sub> habit!  
Know your rights
- L** Launch of government environment policies, books, reports  
Lobby local authorities to adopt sound environmental policies
- M** March for the environment  
Media coverage and activities
- N** Never litter
- O** Offset your emissions  
Organic farming/cooking  
Organize a WED themed event in your neighbourhood
- P** Parades  
Performances (plays, songs, poetry)  
Plant a tree  
Plastic bags: avoid them!  
Promotional material (t-shirts, stickers, bookmarks)  
Puppet shows for children with an environmental message
- Q** Quizzes about carbon emissions for schools, youth groups, company staff, etc
- R** Rainwater harvesting  
Rallies  
Ratify international environmental conventions  
Reduce, re-use, recycle  
Rehabilitate natural habitats  
Replace your light-bulbs with energy saving ones
- S** Save paper  
Seminars
- T** Take action  
T-shirts for WED
- U** Use sustainable transport (walking, jogging, cycling)
- V** Vehicle emission monitoring  
Vermicomposting  
Visits to botanical gardens and national parks  
Volunteer for organizations such as Clean Up the World
- W** Waste less!  
Workshops  
Write plays, poems, songs  
Write letters to civic leaders, members of parliament, government and newspapers
- X** Xchange ideas  
Xpect environmental responsibility
- Y** Youth-led activities
- Z** Zero emissions
- M** Sort rubbish  
Speeches  
Sponsorship from private sector  
Sports activities  
Switch off stand-by TV and computer