

Outdoor Education

Lesson 3 : Grades Gr. 3-6

Earth Day

Wednesday, April 22, 2020





Earth Day

**Learning Intentions:
I can learn 3 new things about Earth
that I did not know before today.**



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You've been outside, observing birds by listening and watching.



When doing this, you have been connecting with nature and Earth.



So, in this week's lesson, we will celebrate Earth Day with some thinking about our planet.





Look carefully at this picture of Earth.

Can you point to where British Columbia is in this photograph?

What else do you see in this photo?

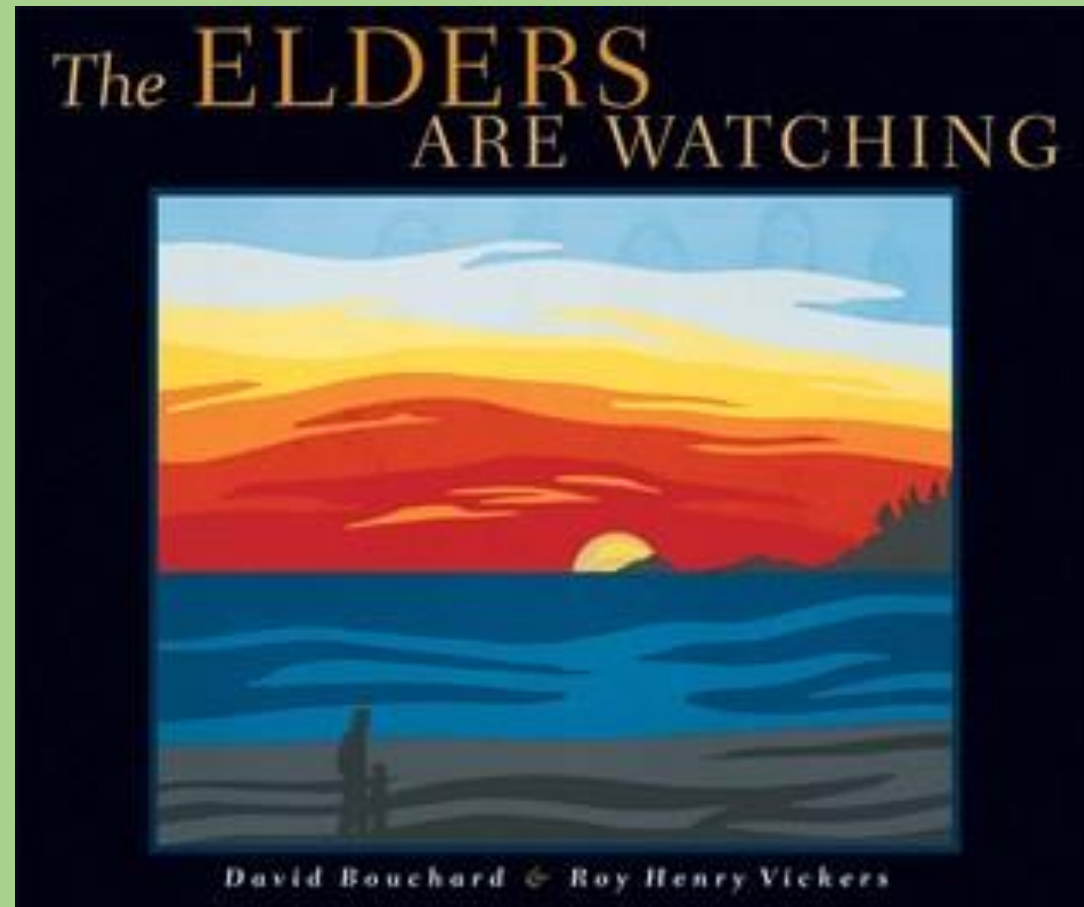
Can you recognize a continent or ocean seen in this picture?

**Earth is a precious place. Our home.
Getting to know Mother Earth is our duty to her.**

The Elders are Watching

by David Bouchard

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9pQftknij8k>



One way we study Earth is by being outside and noticing the life all around us, and appreciating how all of that supports us in our lives everyday.

In what ways does land, the earth, around your house and neighbourhood support you?



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Earth Rise



NASA Celebrates Earth Day 2020

NASA studies the earth and the entire universe!

Look at this picture. Where do you think the earth is being viewed from?

Hmmm What does NASA stand for? Do you know? Can you find out?

Check out these videos which shows you some of the ways NASA studies the earth.

Earth Day 2020: NASA Puts Space to Work for the Planet

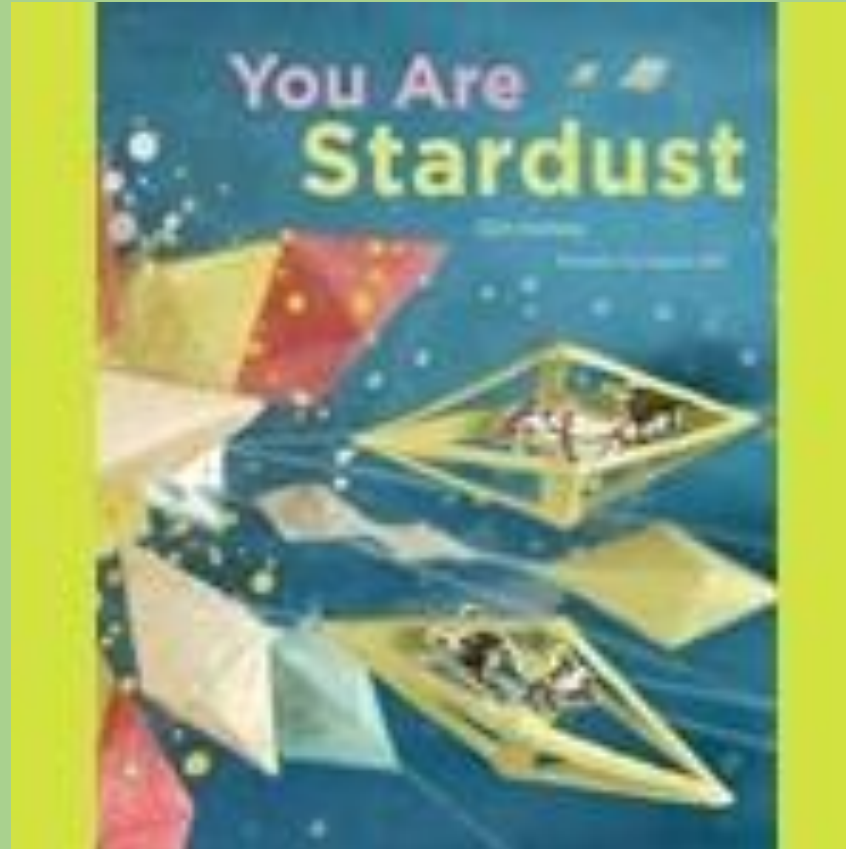
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d815wa7aIMs>

NASA Looks Back at 50 Years of Earth Day

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BqA1iXYFRIU>

You Are Stardust by Elen Kelsey

All things on Planet Earth came from stardust. That's one reason why we, all things on this entire planet Earth, are connected. Sounds strange, I know. Check out the book in the Tumble Library from this link: <https://deroche.mpsd.ca/E-Learning/Reading/Pages/default.aspx#/=>



Planet Earth is worth getting to know.



Knowledge is power.

Getting to know the earth and the precious things on our planet like plants, animals, rocks, air, water, etc. can pay off ... in more ways than one.

Check out this video of one girl who learned some specific details about the earth and created an invention where you, the human, holds the power in your hands. Literally!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DLECJbWrKrs>

For more inventions, check out this link:

<https://www.cbc.ca/kidscbc2/the-feed/5-inventions-changing-the-world>



**Now, it's your turn.
Go outside and observe the world around your
house. Do you notice something today you did
not notice yesterday?**



**What is your favourite part about where you live?
How do you help to make your community a great
place to live and be?**



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What new things did you learn about Earth today?

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Want to learn more? Check out Wonderopolis!

https://wonderopolis.org/wonders?category=&subcategory=&order_by=&q=earth





Let's keep getting to know Mother Earth by observing her and learning how we can help her stay strong for all us Deroche Bears.