EARTH DAY & EDIBLE NASTURTIUMS: DAILY PROCRAMMING

Here are more activities, games, movies and poems to help strengthen memories and to connect to our Earth Day Lesson throughout the month!

Earth Day Themed Art & Printables:

- Make fingerprint flowers (noted in Lesson Materials- for gift cards, use orange, red, yellow & green to match nasturtium colors! <u>Link here</u> (Print photos of nasturtiums for inspiration! <u>Link here</u>)
- Earth Day Crossword Puzzle: Link here
- Earth Day Jokes: Link here
- Adult coloring pages to remind folks of this important day: Link here
- Earth Day Bingo: Link here
- Coloring Pages for Earth Day: Link here

Learn More about Earth Day and Preserving the Planet:

- "Kiss the Ground" documentary with Woody Harrelson: Science experts and celebrity activists unpack how the earth's soil may help to combating climate change: <u>Link Here</u>
- 10 Netflix Films and Documentaries About the Environment: Link here
- The History of Earth Day: Link here

Soothing Music for Folks of All Ages

- According to the Alzheimer's Foundation of America, **music can "shift mood, manage stress**induced agitation, stimulate positive interactions, facilitate cognitive function and coordinate motor movements." Here's a list familiar old-timey music: <u>Link here</u>
- Nature Symphony Earth Day: Link here

Activities to Celebrate and Learn About Earth Day

- **Plant a Tree!** When people plant trees they are doing more than just beautifying an area. Trees are beneficial to the environment in numerous ways.
- Make Wildflower Seed Bombs: Link here
- Make Sun Prints on Fabric: <u>Link here</u>
- If you had fun making fingerprint nasturtiums, turn them into flower magnets: Link here
- Earth Day's 2025 theme focuses on tripling renewable energy by 2030: "Invest In Our Planet."
 Article Link here
- Learn about Sustainable Fashion: Link here
- Reassess your wardrobe and see if there are any clothes you can donate to people in need.
- Try the Earthday.org. plastics calculator and learn simple ways to lower your impact: Link here

Edible Nasturtium Recipes

- Nasturtium fingerprint cookies: Link here
- Nasturtium Recipes: Food, drinks, remedies and more! Link Here