

Join a community of kids who are making the world a better and brighter place. TFK Service Stars know that even the smallest actions can make a big impact.

MISSION: PROTECT THE PLANET

You don't need to be a superhero or a famous climate activist to help protect the environment. Everyone has a part to play. From starting a compost program at your school to picking up litter in a park, every action counts. People who care about the environment work to keep Planet Earth clean, green, and beautiful. Are you an advocate for the environment? How will you make a positive difference?

NEED INSPIRATION?

- Make posters promoting an environmental cause. Hang them in your community. What will you draw?
- Pick up trash at a park or playground. Will family members and friends join you?
- Speak up about a way to make your school greener. How can you persuade others to make a change?
- Sign up for an environment or "eco" club at your school. If there isn't one yet, can you start your own?
- Make an effort to turn off lights and faucets when they aren't in use. What other resources can you conserve?
- Learn how to start a compost bin at home. Can you use the scraps to help a garden grow?

Need help getting started? Talk to an adult or pair up with a friend to find an idea that feels right for you.

Kids teaming up to go green is a powerful thing. Why not hold an eco talent show? Invite classmates to share their nature-themed songs, artwork, and more. Charge optional admission to raise money for a cause. Inspire your audience to take action.

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