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| Brioche Pasquier Autumn Childrens Picnic | simply.foodGo for a walk, hike, bike ride, fly a kite, or have a waste-free picnic in our beautiful outdoors. | Read along with **“The Lorax”** <https://youtu.be/EdWesdMfyd4>  Watch **“The Lorax” –** on **Netflix.ca**  A picture containing woman, photo, wearing, food  Description automatically generated |
| Be inspired by the website,  **Run Wild My Child**:  [**https://runwildmychild.com/earth-day-with-kids/**](https://runwildmychild.com/earth-day-with-kids/)  A picture containing object, clock  Description automatically generated | Choose from 50 kid friendly activities on **TinkerLab**, depending on what materials you have on hand at home:  [**https://tinkerlab.com/fifty-earth-day-activities/**](https://tinkerlab.com/fifty-earth-day-activities/)  A screenshot of a cell phone  Description automatically generated |
| **Enjoy a few Meewasin Valley Authority activities as a family:**   * + Outdoor Bingo <https://meewasin.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Backyard-Bingo.pdf>   + Print colouring pages of our local flora, fauna and wildlife:     - <https://meewasin.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Beaver-Monarch-Butterflies-Aspen.pdf>     - <https://meewasin.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Canadian-Geese-and-Western-Red-Lily.pdf>     - <https://meewasin.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Snowy-Owl-Northern-Harrier-Yarrow-Wildflower.pdf>     - <https://meewasin.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/Coloring-Pages-01.pdf>     - <https://meewasin.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/Coloring-Pages-02.pdf>   + Make Cookies for the Birds     - <https://meewasin.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Meewasin-Wild-Bird-Cookie-Recipe.pdf>     - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=20&v=NnWDNnvtk_0&feature=emb_logo>   + Do an Eco Scavenger Hunt     - <https://meewasin.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Spring-DIY-Eco-Scavenger-Hunt.pdf>   A picture containing drawing  Description automatically generated | |
| Help your parents plant seeds to help prepare for your summer gardens (compostable egg cartons work well). Once the weather is warmer (in about a month), you will be able to help transplant them into the ground. Check out the suggestions below from the Farmer’s Almanac website:   * + Plant wildflowers**!**[**Read our article on native wildflowers to plant in your garden**](https://www.almanac.com/content/growing-wildflowers-list-native-plants). Also, see our video demonstrating [**how to grow wildflowers**](https://www.almanac.com/video/how-grow-wildflowers-and-help-pollinators)**!**   + Bring nature into the garden with [**plants that attract butterflies**](https://www.almanac.com/content/plants-attract-butterflies) and [**plants that attract hummingbirds**](https://www.almanac.com/content/plants-attract-hummingbirds)**!**   + Invite [**native bees**](https://www.almanac.com/content/native-bees-best-pollinators-your-garden) to your garden. These are the bees that pollinate your plants for more flowers and food! Perhaps add **a**[**native bee house**](https://www.almanac.com/content/bee-houses-solitary-bees) to your backyard.   + Recycle in the garden! See our videos on how to [**reuse plant pots and containers**](https://www.almanac.com/video/reusing-plant-pots-and-containers)**,**[**practice plastic-free gardening**](https://www.almanac.com/video/plastic-free-gardening-how-garden-without-plastic)**,** and gather other [**items you can recycle and reuse in the garden**](https://www.almanac.com/video/reusing-and-recycling-household-items-gardening).   + Learn how to [**reuse in the kitchen**](https://www.almanac.com/content/reuse-renew-and-refresh-kitchen) and [**reuse in the home**](https://www.almanac.com/content/reuse-renew-and-refresh-home)and [**re-purpose everyday household items**](https://www.almanac.com/news/home-health/natural-living/upcycling-ideas-reuse-and-repurpose)**!**   A close up of a persons hand  Description automatically generated | |
| A picture containing sitting, photo, black, dark  Description automatically generated  Check out all the cool activities and links available on the NASA website: [**https://www.nasa.gov/feature/goddard/2020/earthdayathome-with-nasa/**](https://www.nasa.gov/feature/goddard/2020/earthdayathome-with-nasa/)  in addition to their 50th Anniversary “Earth Day at Home” Toolkit:  [**https://www.nasa.gov/content/earth-day-2020-50th-anniversary-toolkit**](https://www.nasa.gov/content/earth-day-2020-50th-anniversary-toolkit) | |
| A picture containing table, indoor, cup, object  Description automatically generated  Celebrate one hour with your family with all electrical components in your house turned off – play a board game by candle light, and at the end of the hour, sing happy birthday to mother nature because 2020 marks the 50th anniversary since Earth Day was first celebrated.  Learn more about Earth Day: <https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/explore/celebrations/earth-day/> | |

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