SEPTEMBEE



Worms never go to school—but they're always learning from their environment!

They can sense temperature, moisture, and light, and they move to where they feel most comfy. Smart little wigglers!



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- 16- International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer
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How do worms help us at school and at home?

- A) They do our homework
- B) They turn food waste into healthy soil
- C) They eat plastic wrappers
- D) They sing songs at lunch

Answer: B! Worms help reduce waste and make soil for growing veggies!

Fun Time Activity:

Decorate Your Compost Bin for Back-to-School!

Turn your compost bin into "Worm School"! Draw little worm students, add labels like "Wiggly Writing Class," or "Lettuce 101" and give your worm bin a silly teacher name!

→ Great classroom or home activity with markers, paper, and creativity!



"Worms may be silent, but their work speaks loud in the garden!"



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REAPS READER



ZERO EMISSIONS DAY

"A Day with No Smoke in the Sky"
(To the time of "Twinkle Twinkle")

Zero emissions, let's be clean, No smoke puffs or gasoline.

Turn off lights and ride your bike, Walk to school or take a hike.

Breathe in fresh and happy air, Worms say thanks for showing care!



International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer

Fun Fact:

The ozone layer is like Earth's sunscreen — it protects us from too much UV radiation! Without it, worms (and humans!) would have to wear tiny sunglasses all the time.

Trivia Time:

What used to hurt the ozone layer the most?

A) Worm burps
B) Carrots
C) Hairspray cans and fridges

WORM WALK CHALLENGE

Walk, bike, or roll to school once this week!

Count how many pieces of litter you see on the ground. Can you pick up 3 pieces safely?



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Dr. Shiva is a scientist and
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people to save seeds, farm
without chemicals, and take
care of the land with love and
respect. She believes
that every kid, worm,
and tree has a role in
healing the Earth!



Rivers dance and waters flow,
Past mossy rocks and fish below.
They feed the worms, the trees, the land,
With muddy waves and grains of sand.
So let's be kind to every stream—
And keep their waters fresh and clean!

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