



OCTOBER



CREEPIN' IT COMPOSTY



Worms don't have lungs — they breathe through their skin! That's why they love moist environments and hate being too dry or too wet. Moist like a squishy pumpkin, not a soggy mess!



"Don't be trashy this spooky season – compost it like a creepy-crawly pro!"



What should you do with your pumpkin after Halloween?

- A) Throw it in the trash
- B) Feed it to your worm bin or compost
- C) Hide it under your bed
- D) Mail it to a vampire

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

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- ♥ 9- Energy Efficiency Day
- ♥ 21 to 25- Waste Reduction Week
- ♥ 16- International Day for Climate Change
- ♥ 24- International Day for Climate Action
- ♥ 31- Halloween



Fun Time Activity:

Wormy Pumpkin Parade

Decorate a mini pumpkin as a worm (add pipe cleaner antennae, googly eyes, draw a little compost cape!) and create a display at home or in class.



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Challenge

See how many candy wrappers you can collect and reuse or recycle creatively (make art! glue into bookmarks!)



Energy Efficiency Day



Turn off lights, unplug chargers, and let the sunshine in!

Even worms don't waste energy, they move only when they need to (smart little guys!).



Waste Reduction Week



Monday: Circular Economy – Reuse craft challenge

Tuesday: Textiles – Fix or decorate old clothes

Wednesday: Waste – How much garbage can you reuse, or recycle?

Thursday: Plastics – Count how many plastic items you use in one lunch

Friday: Food Waste – Make a leftover lunch or snack with family



Halloween



COMPOST



Compost those pumpkins, reuse those costumes, and don't let candy wrappers escape into the wild! Worms give Halloween a Zero-Waste Treat stamp!



International Day for Climate Action

Time to speak up for the planet!
Create a "Worms for the Earth" poster or slogan like:
"Worms want cool soil, not a hot planet!"

