



WELCOME



BACK TO SCHOOL



2026		SEPTEMBER					
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- ♥ 16- International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer
- ♥ 21- Zero Emissions Day
- ♥ 27- BC Rivers Day

See you soon!



Are you interested in worms or taking care of the planet? Then ask your teacher about registering for REAPS school programs through the link!!

Hello, welcome back to another exciting school year! We know our Red Wiggler worms cannot wait to get back into the classroom to meet new friends this year.

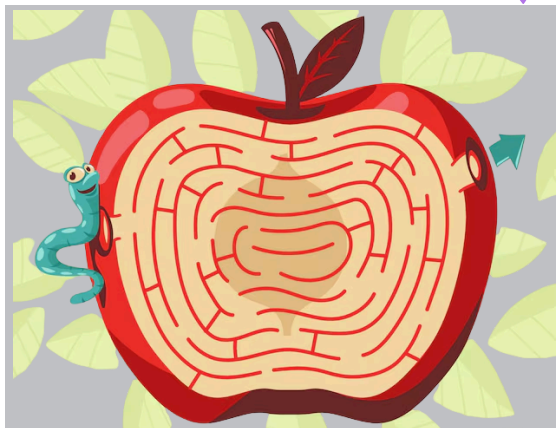
For everyone taking part in the REAPS Adopt-A-Worm program we are so excited for all the fun you will have feeding, watching and learning about vermicomposting and worms. There will be some hands-on learning with the worms, along with presentations and monthly check-ins from The Worm Lady at REAPS.

<https://www.reaps.org/school-programs/>

WHY YOU SHOULD COMPOST



- Composting diverts organic waste from the landfill. Landfills cost a lot of money to maintain and release lots of pollution.
- Composting turns organic waste into a rich, nutritious amendment to add to our soil. This helps plants grow super strong and healthy!
- You can compost at home, at school, or even in small indoor bins with worms. It's easy to do and a lot of fun!



Send any questions, art or inquiries to:
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LORRIE OTTO Born September 9, 1919



An environmentalist and author. She was a strong supporter of native planting in gardens to improve biodiversity and reduce need for pesticides. She also organized many scientists to fight against the unsafe use of DDT, which is a strong, harmful pesticide.

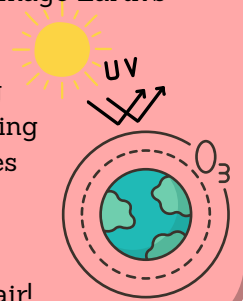


World Ozone Day

The ozone (O₃) is an important part of keeping our planet cool. Without the outer ozone layer in our atmosphere, our planet would receive too much ultraviolet (UV) rays that would damage Earth's surface.

This day is to recognize that during 1987 we all made a change from using ozone depleting substances like ones found in hairspray, or in chemicals from old refrigerators.

Let's rethink before we pollute our air!



Zero Emissions Day

This day is dedicated to give our planet one day off in the year from harmful air pollution, but we should be avoiding air pollution everyday! Instead, let's spend some time this day to write down new ways to reduce pollution and help the environment. Some examples would be to ride your bike, walk, or take the bus, and remembering to turn off lights and appliances.



BC Rivers Day

Rivers are home to the most endangered wildlife on Earth. They are vital for all life by providing fresh drinking water for people and nature. Rivers also provide some of us with freshwater fish. This day is to remind us we need to protect our freshwater ecosystems.



DECODE THE SOLUTIONS TO POLLUTION!

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