

PROJECT IDEA

Plant a Flower Day By Jessica Ryan

On **Plant a Flower Day (3/12/22)** or any day, spend the meeting outside! Fix up or create a quick garden space around your school. Go the extra mile and plant native pollinating plants and wildflowers that are pesticide free. Plan to send the children home with flower seeds to celebrate the day at home since it is on a Saturday. This could be an opportunity to coordinate with the principal for a fundraising drive since it will benefit the school.

HOW TO

Helpful Tips:

- Start planning by January to allow coordination with administration and time to gather supplies.
- Create a donation box for parent drop-off.
- Ask for specific items and possibly home-improvement store gift cards to stay organized.
- Ask local businesses to donate supplies including plants/seeds for your school beautification project.
- Take your mission to the streets. Find small business vendors to purchase from and support. Highlight their business!
- If you need a quick filler activity in a future meeting, make thank you cards for all that supported this effort.
- Educate the students on why we picked these specific flowers.



ITEMS NEEDED

- Gardening Supplies
- 2. Flower seeds to plant at home

Noteworthy Environmental Awareness Days:

- -World Clean-up Day 9/18/21
- -Energy Efficiency Day 10/6/21
- -America Recycles Day 11/15/21
- -National Skip The Straw Day 2/25/22
- -National Bike To School Day 5/7/22
- -National Learn About Composting Day 5/29/22
- -World Environment Day 6/5/22

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