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# Care for Earth: Learn and Practice

Reduce, reuse and recycle

Read each question. Circle the best answer.

### 💡 Caring for Earth

- We can help Earth by making less trash.
- Reduce means use less. Reuse means use again. Recycle means make old things into new things.
- old jar: reuse as a pencil cup

**1** 💡 What should you do when you leave a room?

A. Leave the door wide open

B. Turn off the lights

C. Turn on more lights

**2** 🚰 How can you save water when brushing your teeth?

A. Turn off the tap B. Let the tap run

C. Fill the bathtub

**3** ♻️ Where should an empty plastic bottle go?

A. The ground B. The river

C. The recycling bin

**4** 🔄 What does reuse mean?

A. Use something again

B. Throw it away C. Break it

**5** ♻️ What does recycle mean?

A. Bury things B. Buy more things

C. Turn old things into new things

**6** 🗑️ What should we do with litter at the park?

A. Leave it there B. Put it in a bin

C. Throw it in the pond

**7** 🍌 Which can go in a compost bin?

A. Metal cans B. Banana peels

C. Plastic toys

**8** 🛍️ Which one can we use again and again?

A. A used tissue

B. A cloth shopping bag

C. A broken eggshell

✏️ **Draw it! Draw a picture that shows what you learned.**

**ANSWER KEY**

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**1** 💡 What should you do when you leave a room?

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**B. Turn off the lights**

C. Turn on more lights

*Turning off lights saves energy, which helps take care of our Earth.*

**2** 🚰 How can you save water when brushing your teeth?

**A. Turn off the tap** B. Let the tap run

C. Fill the bathtub

*Turning off the tap while you brush saves lots of clean water.*

**3** ♻️ Where should an empty plastic bottle go?

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**C. The recycling bin**

*Recycling turns the old bottle into something new instead of making trash.*

**4** 🔄 What does reuse mean?

**A. Use something again**

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*Reuse means using something again, like turning a jar into a pencil cup.*

**5** ♻️ What does recycle mean?

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**C. Turn old things into new things**

*Recycling takes old paper, cans and bottles and makes them into new things.*

**6** 🗑️ What should we do with litter at the park?

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*Putting litter in a bin keeps the park clean and safe for people and animals.*

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*Food scraps like banana peels break down in compost and become rich soil.*

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**B. A cloth shopping bag**

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*A cloth bag can carry groceries many times, so we make less trash.*