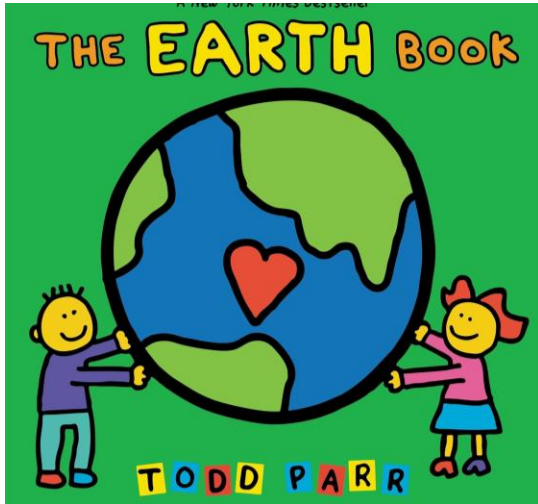


## Discussion Guide for Families



### The Earth Book

*Author:* Todd Parr

*Illustrator:* Todd Parr

**Themes:** Environment and Sustainability

**Book Brief:** Todd Parr's eco-friendly picture book teaches kids simple ways to protect the environment, like planting trees, saving energy, and reusing items creatively. With recycled materials, colorful art, and a poster of green tips, it inspires readers to help keep the Earth happy and healthy.

### READ ALOUD

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#### Before Reading: Build Background

- Read aloud the title of the story. Flip through a couple of illustrations and ask to make predictions about what the story is going to teach them.

#### While Reading: Make Connections

- What is this page teaching us about?
- Why is the author making a change on this page?
- How does this change help the earth?

#### After Reading: Ask Questions

- What is something new you learned from this book? How can you help the earth?

### RELATED ACTIVITIES

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#### If your child enjoyed this book, consider:

- Encourage them to talk about it during other conversations.
- Check out RIF's [Sustainable Futures](#) center to learn more about sustainability with related books and resources.