

TAKE IT OUTSIDE!

Supporting the Earth First Grade



Location

Any open, outdoor area.

Activity Length

20 minutes

Materials Needed

- Parachute
- Inflatable Globe Ball

Preparation

None

Activity

- Students will use the parachute and globe ball to play games.
- Theme can be taking care of the planet (Globe Ball) or any other theme you choose.
- Ideas
 - Support the Earth, don't let it fall from the parachute's surface!
 - Discuss things we can do to support our Earth.
 - While rolling or tossing the globe ball back and forth, students shout out names of animals, plants, or other natural resources.
 - While rolling or tossing the globe ball back and forth, students shout out how we rely on the Earth and how we can keep it healthy.
 - Be creative!

Standards Connections

- *Next Generation Science Standards*
K-2-ETS1-1
- *NRC Framework*
Scientific & Engineering Practices: 1
Crosscutting Concepts: 1, 4, 5, 7
Disciplinary Core Ideas: LS1, LS2, LS4, ESS2
- *Common Core State Standards*
ELA/Literacy: W.2.8

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