

Dear Educator,

It's that time of year again. That's right, EARTH DAY!! And once again, the Town of North Hempstead invites your students to participate in our "Keeping It Green!" Earth Day Contests. In an effort to save paper the complete lesson plans and worksheets can now be found on this website.

Through our contests students share their thoughts, ideas, and concerns about the environment. We hope the students of your school are able to participate in this community event that is both educational and fun.

Please mail all contest entries to:

**Town of North Hempstead
Department of Community Services
1601 Marcus Avenue
New Hyde Park, NY 11040
ATTN: Outreach Team**

The Earth Day Task Force will be choosing the winners of our Grocery Bag, Letter Writing, and Earth Day Poetry Contests who will be honored at our Environmental Outreach Awards Nights at the Town of North Hempstead Main Building at Clinton G. Martin Park in early June. We will contact your main office by Friday, May 25th to announce your school's winning students. The winners of our Earth Day T-shirt Contest will be honored on the evening of Tuesday, April 17th and we will notify you via your main office as well.

In addition, information about other upcoming environmental events is also available on the "Events" section of the Teacher's Corner website. Please feel free to share this information with your colleagues if they did not receive a copy.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact the Outreach Team by dialing 311 or (516) 869-6311 emailing OutreachTeam@NorthHempsteadNY.gov.

Thank you very much for your time and your continued dedication to the young people of our community.

Sincerely,

The Outreach Team