

DIY CRAFT AT HOME - MAKE AN ORNAMENT

for the Bryant Ranch & Travis Ranch GREEN TEAM DEDICATION TREE

What is the “GREEN TEAM DEDICATION TREE?”

This year, to raise environmental awareness, the Bryant Ranch and Travis Ranch GREEN TEAM will hang ornaments with students' Earth Week pledges on a tree at Travis Ranch during the week of April 26-30th.

What is an Earth Week Pledge?

It is a commitment to be kind to the Earth from April 19-23. Examples are below...



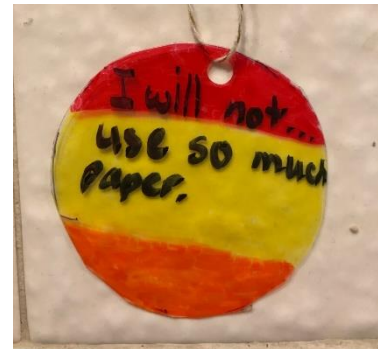
DIY INSTRUCTIONS

You will need the following items:

- 2"x2" flat piece of rigid plastic
Ideas: cut up plastic milk gallons, strawberry containers, or water bottles.
- permanent marker (Sharpies work great!)

OPTIONAL

- hole puncher
- piece of string



Instructions:

Commit to an Earth Week pledge from April 19-23. You can choose one of the following, or make up your own:

- *I will use only reusable utensils, food containers, water bottles, etc.*
- *I will pick up trash around my community.*
- *I will ride my bike or walk to school.*
- *I will upcycle a single-use plastic item by turning something used into something new.*
- *I will eat vegetarian meals.*

1. Use a permanent marker to write your Earth Week pledge on the plastic.
2. You can decorate the ornament with colors or paint, but remember, it will hang outside for 1 week.
3. *If you have a hole puncher, punch a hole in your plastic ornament, if not, the GREEN TEAM will do it for you. Then, weave your string through the hole and tie a knot.*
4. Turn your ornament into school before April 23rd. You can turn it into your teacher, or collection boxes will be in the front offices.