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EARTH DAY ANTICIPATION GUIDE

Read each statement and decide if it is True or False. Complete the left column before the reading by circling the T for True or the F for False. Complete the right column after finish the reading. Did any of your answers change?

BEFORE READING	STATEMENT	AFTER READING
T F	n be recycled over and over again.	T F
T F	viation for carbon dioxide is CDX.	T F
T F	An esti fift billion trees are cut down e year.	T F
T F	M than 10 900 pe in China rode bikes on E Day.	T F
T F	Trees r se carbo oxide.	T F
T F	When gas pped, it may l to global warming.	T F
T F	The average perso tosses our pounds of ga ny.	T F
T F	2% of Earth's oxygen is duced b Amaz Rainfo est.	T F
T F	One reusable bag can prev the use 600 plastic bags.	T F

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DID YOU KNOW?

Over 175 countries wor celebrate Earth

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Earth Day

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Answer the questions below. Then on the coloring page, color each numbered section with the corresponding color. If there is any space left over, color it your choice! Follow the directions provided to cite evidence in the reading.

Questions	Text Evidence	Answer A	Answer B
#1 In what month is Earth Day?	Find proof in the reading and UNDERLINE it in RED	Ma[illegible] [illegible]GE	April RED
#2 What flower was planted in Panama on Earth Day?	Find proof in the reading and CIRCLE it in GREEN	Orchid PURPLE STRIPES	Sunflower BLUE STRIPES
#3 What is the most [illegible]led item?	Find proof in the reading and BOX it in RED	Aluminum cans YELLOW	Paper ORANGE
#4 In [illegible] country is [illegible] each [illegible]ll?	Find proof in the reading and BOX it in YELLOW	Iceland RED	Japan ORANGE
#5 [illegible]ar di[illegible] Unit[illegible]ations [illegible]nan[illegible] the day?	Find proof in the reading and CIRCLE it in ORANGE	2009 BLUE	2002 BROWN
#6 W[illegible] year were 28 million trees plan[illegible] in Afghanistan?	Find proof in the reading and UNDERLINE it in PURPLE	2016 ORANGE STRIPES	2011 GREEN STRIPES

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EARTH DAY

Earth Day is celebrated annually on April 22. Earth Day brings awareness around the world and teaches people how they can help save the [illegible] It was created to promote awareness for the Earth and the environment.

[illegible] show that over one billion people make an effort to help the environment on Earth Day. Some activities to improve the environment include planting trees, picking up trash, using reusable shopping bags, saving energy, cleaning lakes, rivers, beaches and parks.

In the United States, the first Earth Day celebration brought together 20 million Americans to show their support for environmental change. In 2009, the United Nations officially renamed the day as International Mother Earth Day.

The passage of the Clean Water Act, Clean Air Act, and the Endangered Species Act are considered to be in response to Earth Day. Many local groups around the world help to organize events and activities to celebrate Earth Day every year.

In 2012, more than 165,000 people in Chicago rode bikes on Earth Day to save fuel and reduce carbon dioxide emissions. In 2011, around 28 million trees were planted in Afghanistan.

To honor Earth Day in Panama, one hundred pairs of orchids were planted to prevent their extinction. Around the world, an estimated fifteen billion trees are cut down each year. Trees release oxygen and absorb CO2 (carbon dioxide). Twenty percent of the Earth's oxygen is produced by the Amazon Rainforest.

When we increase carbon dioxide levels in the atmosphere, global temperatures rise. The rise of temperature is called the greenhouse effect. The greenhouse effect is when the atmosphere is trapped by greenhouse gases such as carbon dioxide, methane and nitrous oxide.

Scientists say that if we didn't have the greenhouse effect, the

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