

Materials: Family Conservation Plan handout (see second page), pencil

Description: Encourage all children to think about ways they can conserve our natural resources. Distribute the Family Conservation Plan handout to children and their families and challenge them to work as a family to complete it. Each family should first determine how they are using water, energy, paper, and other natural resources in their home. After identifying ways in which these resources are being used, families should think of ways they can better conserve these resources. Conservation plans should be hung in a place in the house where everyone is able to see it.



Family Conservation Plan

This conservation plan will guide you through surveying your household and determining what you and your family can do to better conserve resources. Fill out each column below with input from your entire household. Challenge yourselves to complete some of the actions from the right-hand column!

How do we use this resource in our household?	What steps can we take to further conserve this resource?
Paper 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	Paper 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____
Energy 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	Energy 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____
Water 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	Water 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____
Other 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	Other 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

