

# Greater Cincinnati Earth Coalition

48<sup>th</sup> Annual Earth Day Celebration

Saturday, April 21, 2018

Noon – 7:00 p.m.

## Student Recycled Costume Contest Form

Earth-friendly Competition for K thru 8<sup>th</sup> Graders

Entries will be judged and prizes awarded at the 48<sup>th</sup> Earth Day Celebration at Summit Park

Name of School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Classroom/Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Awards will be given to the top three costumes in each category**

(Categories to be determined after all entries are received)

**1<sup>st</sup> Place**

**\$100**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place**

**\$75**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Place**

**\$50**

***Please complete a separate form for each grade entered.***



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Submit Registration Form to:  
Email: [contest@cincinnatiearthday.org](mailto:contest@cincinnatiearthday.org)  
Fax: (513) 961-1192

G.C.E.C.  
Mail: 126a W. 14<sup>th</sup> Street  
Cincinnati, OH 45202

**Deadline for Submission is March 28, 2018**

# Student Recycled Costume Contest

Earth-friendly competition for K thru 8th graders

With Earth Day 2018 quickly approaching we would like to introduce students to the benefits of recycling in a way that is fun for the entire class. This contest is open to K thru 8<sup>th</sup> grade students from area schools as an enjoyable and educational way to involve young environmentalists in:

## Greater Cincinnati's 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Earth Day Celebration

Saturday, April 21, 2018

Noon –7:00 p.m.

Summit Park, Blue Ash, Ohio

Contest Time: Midafternoon (Exact time TBD once registrations are in)

### OBJECTIVES:

- Create a wearable costume made entirely from recycled materials.
- Submit an 11x14 or larger poster showing a drawing of the costume and a list of the different types of recycled/reused items applied to the costume.
- Student(s) will be required to 1.) Wear the Costume, 2.) Hold the Poster, 3.) Explain both the costume and the poster to judges, on stage\*, for the chance to earn cash prizes
  - Awards will be given to the top three costumes in each category. Categories will be determined after all entries are received.
    - First Place: \$100 Second Place: \$75 Third Place: \$50

***\*TEACHER OR AUTHORIZED ADULT MUST ACCOMPANY THE STUDENTS TO THE STAGE AREA\****

### JUDGING CRITERIA:

- Recycled materials used for the costume must be collected by class members.
- The concept/design must be conceived by the students.
- Costumes may be made of any combination of recycled materials such as newsprint, cardboard, plastic bottles/bags, caps, egg carton, cans, paper bags, labels, printer spools, magazines, etc.
- ***NO GLASS OR ITEMS THAT CAN SPLINTER OR SHATTER MAY BE USED***
- Judges will consider how many types of recycled items were used.
- You may use tape, glue, paste, thread, etc. as needed to bind the recycled materials together.
- Costumed students should not be on stilts or raised cans in the interest of safety.

### REGISTRATION:

- Fill out and return the attached Student Recycled Costume Contest Form. Be sure to include:
  - Complete mailing address of the school
  - School phone number, including area code and fax number
  - Name of the Science or Classroom Teacher
- Send or fax your registration ASAP - participation will be determined on a first-come basis
- ***Should you be chosen as one of the contestants, you will receive further information with additional details about the contest, contestant staging area as well as directions to Sawyer Point.***

For more information please contact Emily Cigolle (Greater Cincinnati Earth Coalition) at 330-984-3779 or email Emily at [Contest@cincinnatiearthday.org](mailto:Contest@cincinnatiearthday.org)

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