



Today's at-home learning theme:

Composting



- Start with this video from Ag in the Classroom about composting basics: <https://youtu.be/9QvAwNQhEQE>
- For more specifics on composting, visit Learn How to Compost: <https://www.sodgod.com/composting/>
- Use these printables by Healthy Happy Thrifty Family to discuss what items should be composted, thrown away, and recycled: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B91gnJdJQlBwbzRfLW5fMlZEcHM/view>
- Create your own mini-compost with a recycled 2-liter bottle with this activity and explanation from Florida Extension: <http://nwdistrict.ifas.ufl.edu/4hn/2015/04/24/composting-with-clubs/>
- If you would like to make a bigger compost, here are instructions for a compost bin from National 4-H: <https://4-h.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/03/Composting-FINAL.pdf>
- Grow a Surprise Garden with the U.S. Forestry Service by combining mud from your shoes and compost: <https://www.fs.fed.us/wildflowers/kids/activities/surprisegarden.shtml>
- Looking for a reading comprehension and writing activity? Enjoy this *A Day in the Life* short story about a farming family and what they are doing to protect the environment: <http://www.myamericanfarm.org/activities/BiographyInvestigation.pdf>
- Help plan your farm with this math activity by My American Farm: <http://www.myamericanfarm.org/activities/MathInAction.pdf>
- Watch the reading of *Compost Stew* by Mary McKenna Siddals brought to you by Arizona Farm Bureau Ag in the Classroom: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xuu4bj18aSE>

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