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Just for **RCU** kids

APRIL IS NATIONAL CREDIT UNION YOUTH MONTH!

Every April, credit unions from around the country join together to support young people like you and encourage healthy financial habits! "Be a credit union saver, and your savings will never go extinct" is the official theme of this year's National Credit Union Youth Month. It's a great reminder about the importance of putting money aside.

This April, head to redwoodcu.org/youth to explore the special activities, information, and contest prepared just for you! While you're there, check out our student wellness video series on how to deal with (and share) big feelings.



ALL ABOUT EARTH DAY!

April 22nd is an important day: Earth Day! On this day, we think of the many ways we can conserve our home planet. Below are some fun facts about Earth Day to amaze your friends and family:

- 🌿 U.S. Senator Gaylord Nelson founded Earth Day in 1970 as and the Environmental Protection Agency was formed that same year!
- 🌿 Earth Day promotes awareness and appreciation for our environment and encourages responsible conservation efforts.
- 🌿 Earth Day occurs every year on the same day: April 22.
- 🌿 Over 175 countries worldwide celebrate Earth days.
- 🌿 About one billion people recognize Earth Day each year.
- 🌿 It's known as "International Mother Earth Day" around the world.

Talk to your parents and think of two things you'll do to help the planet!

EARTH DAY ACTIVITY: MAKING AN ENCHANTED GARDEN



Not sure how to celebrate Earth Day? Try making an enchanted garden to show your appreciation for the beauty of the outdoors!



An enchanted garden is made in a pot and gives you a great place to learn gardening and be creative. These gardens are tiny so they can fit in any space: a corner of the yard, on the patio, under a tree, or on a windowsill. You can decorate them with tiny houses, chairs, figures, ponds, and of course plants! All you need is a space, some soil, and a some imagination. Have your parents help you find fun plants, figures, and houses at local stores, or use what you already have. Arrange your treasures and plants for a magical home garden!



After your enchanted garden is done, you can care for the plants, play with your figurines, and change up your garden as often as you like. See what magic you can grow this Earth Day by starting your very own enchanted garden!



Reddy the Redwood Planting Trees



REDWOOD CREDIT UNION ANNUAL MEETING This year's annual meeting will be held virtually on April 29, 2021, at 5:30 p.m. For more information or to RSVP, visit redwoodcu.org/annualmeeting.

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Upcoming Holidays

Redwood Credit Union will be closed on the following holidays:

- 5/31 **Memorial Day**
- 7/5 **Independence Day (observed)**