



Uniting "Wee" Communities Across Ontario

TOGETHER WEE CAN "EXPLORE OUR PLANET" 2019

Wee Watch's unique program, "Together Wee Can", provides a wonderful opportunity to bring all of our homes across Ontario together to participate in themed activities and events on specific days, weeks and months throughout the year. Planning a few events each year strengthens the Wee Watch community we are all part of as well as the community we live in.

This year's Together Wee Can program is called "Together Wee Can Explore our Planet". It's easy to forget that we live on one tiny planet in a huge universe; children are only familiar with their surroundings, which is just a tiny part of planet Earth.

The natural inquisitiveness that children possess will spark some fantastic discovery throughout the year. Each month Providers and children will explore a different component of our planet; desert life, different bodies of water, forests, seasons, bugs, mountains & volcanoes, the arctic, animals big & small, weather, people and space!

May 13-17, 2019: Celebrate the Seasons!

The year is divided into four seasons: spring, summer, fall and winter. The seasons are caused by the Earth's orbit around the Sun, which affects the amount of sunlight each place on the planet gets and how it changes daily.

So this month we will spend the week exploring each season by learning fun facts and participating in activities related to spring, summer, fall and winter.

Providers: Don't forget to send in photos of children participating in this month's Together Wee Can activities to enter our contest!

June 17-21, 2019: Book Inspired Bug Week

This month we will spend a week exploring five different kinds of bugs: caterpillars, bees, spiders, ants and lady bugs through coinciding books for each insect.

Bugs are small insects that can be found in nearly all environments, and are the most common animals on the planet.

Our lives are greatly influenced by insects as they pollinate many of our fruits, vegetables and flowers. We would not have much of the produce we enjoy and rely on without these pollinating critters.

Providers: Don't forget to use the "Planting for the Planet" seed paper matchbooks designed for kids to easily plant and grow wildflowers.

