



# At Home K-2 Teacher's Guide

## Teacher Note

Encourage students to share their Clean Earth Challenge activities and experiences with their families by sending home the [Clean Earth Challenge Family Packet](#). It includes literacy connections and social-emotional guiding questions, Clean Earth Challenge family participation instructions, and a child activity page.

## Class Action

- As a class, schedule time to pick up litter on the school grounds or nature nearby (don't forget to recycle what can be recycled). Remember to use the [Clean Earth Challenge data collection form](#) to track what's collected. Use the online collection form or print the form and take it to your cleanup. Once complete either take a legible photo or scan as a PDF and email it to [cleanearthchallenge@nwf.org](mailto:cleanearthchallenge@nwf.org). Find other details here: <https://cleanearthchallenge.com/>.



# At Home K-2 Family Guide

**Literature Connections--Check your local library for these books that celebrate the different ways we experience nature. Then use the guiding questions to talk as a family.**

1. I Am A Bird, Hope Lim
2. The Hike, Alison Farrell
3. Where Wonder Grows, Xelena González
4. Señorita Mariposa, Ben Gundersheimer

- **Guiding Questions for Families**
  - How does the story make you feel?
  - Is there something you like in the story that you want to find in nature?
  - What do you like most about being in nature?
  - Parents/Guardians: When you were a kid, what did you do in nature with your family?

## **Family Page Activities**

- Go to [www.cleanearthchallenge.com](http://www.cleanearthchallenge.com) and follow three easy steps to participate and help us reach our goal of keeping one million pieces of trash and debris from harming wildlife and communities.
  - Register and watch the video.
  - Together, choose a day and location to pick up trash.
  - Measure your impact using the provided data collection worksheet.
- Complete the family activity page together or as an additional learning opportunity for your child(ren).

