



Planes, Rain, and Atmosphere

DFW Airport Earth Day 2021

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Butterfly Observation Kit Instructions



The butterfly observation kit includes one Monarch butterfly chrysalis, milkweed seeds, and wildflower seed paper. Students and teachers can work with your school's groundskeepers to plant the seed paper and milkweed plant to create a pollinator garden. Watch as your butterfly emerges from its chrysalis and release it in the newly created habitat.

Students and teachers can use this kit to engage in meaningful conversations about the Monarch butterfly's lifecycle, habitat preservation, and ecosystem services provided by pollinators.

Learn more about the Monarch butterfly's lifecycle here: <https://www.monarchwatch.org/rear/index.htm>

Learn how to create and register your new Monarch friendly habitat:

<https://www.monarchwatch.org/waystations/#register>

Check out these Monarch Butterfly citizen science projects to see if one is right for your classroom:

https://www.fs.fed.us/wildflowers/pollinators/Monarch_Butterfly/citizen-science/index.shtml



As you and your students are working on the STEAM Activity Kits, we encourage you to capture your student's participation, directly or indirectly, by taking photographs and sharing with DFW Airport your school's fun energy and positive vibes.

Email photos to the following address – DFWearthday@dfwairport.com

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