

Earth Day Essay

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When you walk outside first thing in the morning, what do you smell, the fresh air hitting your face, the quietness of the world? This will all change if people keep littering and polluting our waters.

Vermont to me means a lot because this is my home and I grew up here. Vermont is where I made a lot of memories so it is really sad when people throw trash out their window because I don't want Vermont to look bad and smell bad. When people throw trash out the window you are not just harming our world, but you are also harming the animals. When you throw out the plastic of a six pack of soda you are making it even harder for animals to survive, for example, if a duck is swimming in water and the plastic gets stuck on the duck's neck, it could choke the duck or hurt the duck badly. Also when you throw trash out the window there are some chemicals in plastic that could harm the environment. When you throw a piece of trash out the window thinking it is only one piece, stop and think how it will affect the environment.

We can do our part in keeping our environment clean by doing our part. We can clean the rivers or if we see a piece of trash on the side of a road, pick it up. If you have a piece of trash and want to throw it out the window, DON'T! By doing these simple things we can help the earth stay happy and healthy.

To me Vermont means a lot, doesn't it mean a lot to you? If so, stop littering and start cleaning up the earth. It will help so many animals and it will help so many people as well.

You might think it is only one piece of trash but one piece can always turn into a hundred pieces in a blink of an eye. Remember, be mindfull of our earth and the animals and people that live in it.