

## Lesson Plan

### Land Lessons

**Book:** *Saving Earth's Land*

**Series:** Saving Our Planet

**Level:** Pioneer

### Objective

To help students identify if statements are true or false based on details from a text.

### Supplies

- *Saving Earth's Land* book
- Land Lessons worksheet (attached)

### Before the Activity

Print out a Land Lessons worksheet for each student. Then, read *Saving Earth's Land* out loud, or assign it to students to read on their own.

### Activity

Pass out the Land Lessons worksheets. Explain that *Saving Earth's Land* has many facts about land pollution and what people can do to help prevent it. Students should read each statement on the worksheet and determine whether it is true or false. If students need help, they can look back at the book. Some answers are in the book's main text, but others are in fun facts or other special features.

### Evaluation

Use the attached answer key to give students 1 point for each correct answer, for a total of up to 8 points.

### Standards

This lesson may be used to address the Common Core State Standards' reading standards for informational text, grade 1 (RI 1.1, 1.5).

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