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PART I: Answer the following questions about the origins and impacts of Earth Day.

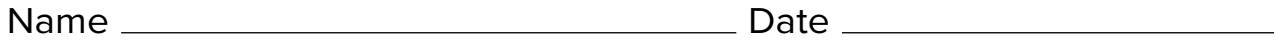
1. Why was Senator Nelson inspired to create Earth Day?

2. How did Senator Nelson organize the first Earth Day?


3. Describe the first Earth Day.

4. What happened in the decade following the first Earth Day?

5. How has Earth Day changed in recent years?



PART II: Make a plan to protect the planet. Draw a picture of an Earth Day activity, and write at least once sentence describing the activity. Then, write a short paragraph describing two different ways you can help the environment.

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