

WOODSY OWL



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ACTIVITY

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Deliver Woodsy's Message

Review Woodsy's message
"Lend a Hand – Care for the Land!"
with your children and have them
share this awareness with others.



What you need

Poster board, Paint, Brushes, Construction paper, Scissors, Tape or Safety pins, Hangers, String, Paper, Pens, Envelopes

Time

40-60 minutes to think of a simple message and create items



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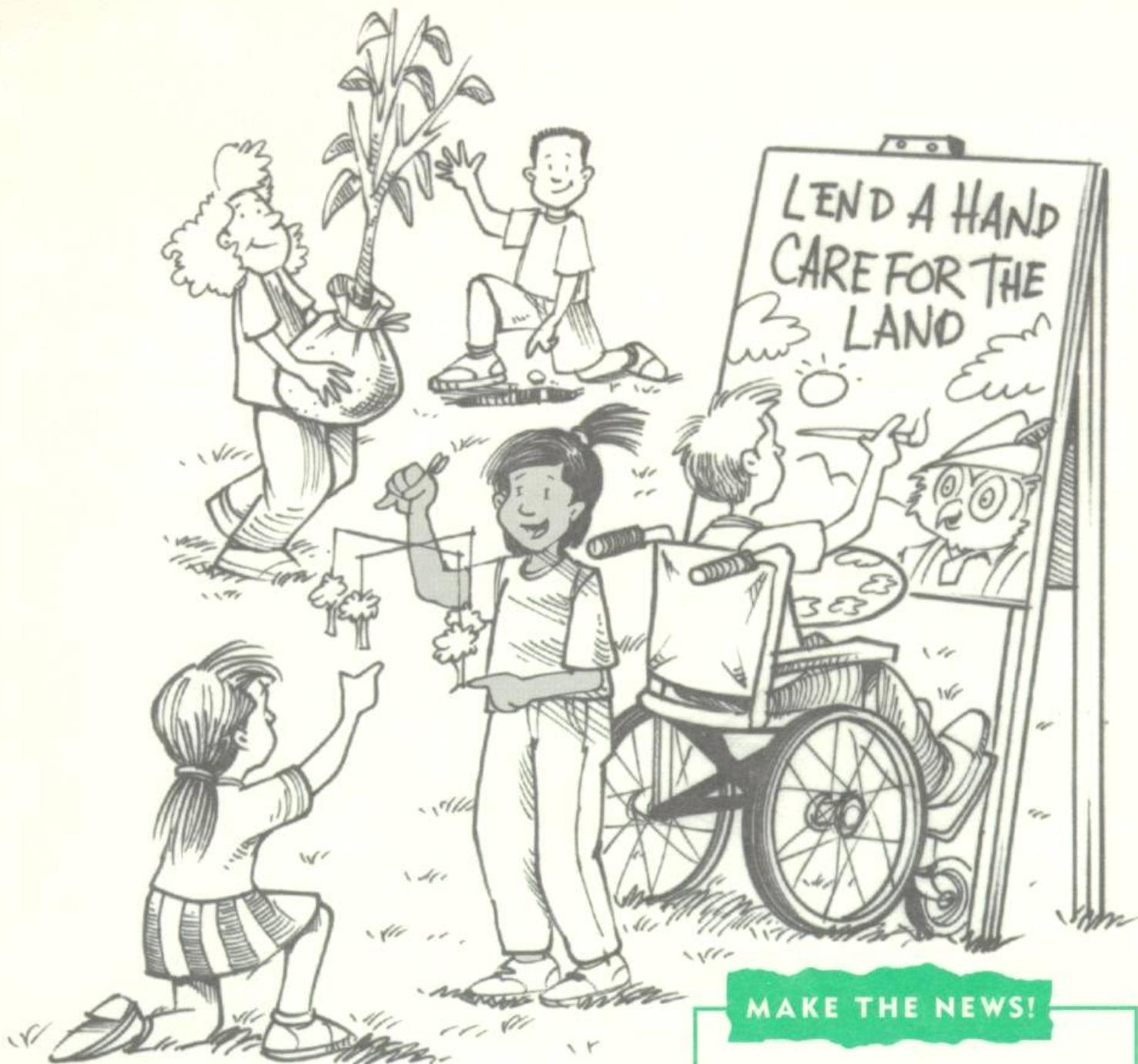
- Posters—One group can make posters that feature Woodsy Owl and show what people in their school can do to help keep the local environment clean. Help your children find good places to display their posters where other children will see them, such as schools and libraries.
- Mobiles—One group can make mobiles to hang in the room. The mobiles should present positive images such as Woodsy, a tree, or a recycling symbol. Mobiles can be hung from hangers or sticks.
- Play—A group of children can choose to write the script for and put on a play about The Cleanups, a family that loves to clean up litter and has just moved into the neighborhood. Invite families and other residents of the community.



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MAKE THE NEWS!

Invite local news media to interview the children as they create their Lend a Hand—Care for the Land! projects.

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- Clean Environment Rap—Small groups can create a rap song about reducing pollution to create a cleaner environment. Then, have them give a concert.
- Plant a Tree—Plant a tree on the grounds of your school or after-school center. Hold a new tree ceremony and invite friends and family members.

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Close with each group sharing their messages and projects.

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