



## Mario's Green House

8 X 30 MINUTES

EPISODIC BREAKDOWN

### 1. Green Peebles?

Hollywood star Mario Van Peebles decides to go green by getting his whole family to change their habits and constructing an eco-conscious addition to their house.

### 2. What is Green?

Mario and the whole family check out several different styles of green house and we meet Van Jones who teaches inner-city youth to install solar panels.

### 3. The Green Mile

Mario and the family try to find more fuel efficient ways to travel, from a Smart car to a skateboard to a special guest's hybrid.

### 4. Food for Thought

Mario and the family explore locally-grown food sources and wonder why it's so hard to find healthy eating options in certain areas.

### 5. Troubled Water

Mario and the family try to stop wasting so much water by imposing a shower time-limit and the kids come up with a fun and creative use for discarded plastic bottles.

### 6. Recycle or be Recycled

Mario and the kids discover that recycling can be fun as they discover new uses for old clothes and other items.

### 7. Power to the Peebles

Solar power never looked so good. Mario discovers stylish solar panels while Chitra and the kids discover they have the power to make social change.

## **8. Eyes on the Prize**

The house is finished, but needs furniture so Mario and Chitra check out some eco-friendly designs. Then the family wins an award for the kids' video about how they went green.