

URBAN ARK Take conservation

Learning Outcomes

- ✓ Identify species that are introduced, native and endemic to New Zealand
- ✓ Give examples of species that have been introduced to New Zealand and the impact they have on New Zealand plants and animals
- ✓ Recognise how Auckland Zoo and other organisations are helping endemic species
- ✓ Discuss ideas for personal actions they can take to help endemic and native species

Session Outline:

This session will look at some of our unique species and their threats. We will discuss the impacts of introduced species and share examples of monitoring and pest control. Students will be encouraged to think about how they can personally take action to attract or protect New Zealand species too.

Key Competencies: Thinking; Managing Self; Participating and Contributing; Relating to Others

Auckland Zoo Conservation Actions: Protect what's precious; Get involved



action in your own backyard!

Urban Ark

CURRICULUM LINKS

Year 9 & 10

Science - Living World

Ecology:

investigate the interdependence of living things (including humans) in an ecosystem

Evolution (L4):

explore how groups of living things we have in the world have changed over long periods of time and appreciate that some living things in NZ are quite different from living things in other areas of the world

Nature of Science:

understanding about science

EfS concepts

Responsibility for action; sustainability; interdependence; biodiversity

