

Endangered Species Adult Guidance

Use these sheets to mix and match whole-class research for endangered species.

You will need:

- Blank animals research sheets available
- Internet research equipment
- Optional: UKS2 All About Endangered Animals PowerPoint for targeted research

Organisation:

Children can work individually, in pairs or small groups to find out more about the animals on their sheet. Children could choose the sheet or sheets they wish to complete or they can be allocated certain sheets. Children can individually or in pairs do some greater-depth research into an animal.

What to find out:

On the sheet, children are prompted to find out:

- Habitat/country
- Reasons for being endangered
- Ways to help

In addition to this, you may want children to find out:

- Facts about the animal/s
- Why they need saving - their place in nature/where they fit in the food chain/usefulness

These can be noted down separately for use later in a non-chronological report or presentation.

Outcome options:

1. Filled in sheets and a chat about what they have found out
2. Make the sections into a booklet
3. The start of an endangered animal awareness campaign project
4. Non-chronological reports
5. Presentations on particular animals and how to save them.
6. Linked art work and other cross-curricular links with science or geography.