

Report on Supporting Land Ecosystems through Education



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Protecting and extending campus ecosystems is the work of the Eco Club, under the University's Biodiversity Conservation and Ecosystem Protection Policy. The policy protects existing trees, plants and habitats, calls for more native plants and green space, provides for birds, butterflies and beneficial insects, and gives special care to plants and animals that are vulnerable or under threat where they are identified.

To know what is on the campus, the Eco Club carries out a biodiversity census every three years, recording plants, trees, birds, animals and insects with their numbers, locations and status, and comparing each census with the one before.

The findings go into an Action Taken Report that sets each issue found against the action taken, for example water points and bird houses for birds, a butterfly garden and pollinator-friendly planting, native and fruiting plantations, protection of selected green areas, restoration planting, better waste segregation and eco-friendly garden maintenance. Students and staff sign a biodiversity and ecosystem conservation pledge when they join, and awareness events keep them involved.

The census, the Action Taken Report, the policy, the record of awareness events and the pledge are attached.



DOCUMENTS REQUIRED

- ✓ Census of plants and animals on the university campus (Campus Biodiversity Census table)
- ✓ Action Taken Report (three-year census action report and action cycle)
- ✓ Biodiversity Conservation and Ecosystem Protection Policy
- ✓ Awareness events (reports, photographs, attendance)
- ✓ Student and Staff Biodiversity and Ecosystem Conservation Pledge

