

Bringing Back the Bush

Creating Habitats at Home

What native animals live near you?

What you need:

Water
Native tree or shrub
Shovel

Mulch
Rocks
Sticks

Bamboo
Nesting box materials
Smartphone or tablet

Let's get started!



Put out a water source

Plant native trees or shrubs

- Visit your Local native plant nursery
- Dig a hole bigger than the pot
- Remove the pot and place the plant in the hole
- Push soil up to cover the roots of the plant
- Mulch with Leaves, bark, or straw
- Water



Create homes for native animals

- Using rocks and sticks, build a home for a Lizard
- Build or install a nesting box for birds and possums
- Making a native bee hotel using sticks or bamboo (native bees do not sting!)
- Hollow Logs on the ground or in trees make perfect homes



Record your native animal sighting using Citizen Science apps

- [Aussie Bird Count](#)
- [Frog ID](#)
- [iNaturalist](#)



Keep cats indoors and walk dogs on Leashes



Western Sydney
Parklands

