

Habitat Investigation 2011



The Habitat Investigation Program guides students through an investigation of the habitat values of a patch of remnant vegetation. The program includes a field trip to Irongate Conservation Park where students examine ecological processes, site biodiversity and management options for the park under the guidance of technical staff from the Queensland Murray-Darling Committee.

Teachers are provided with a detailed resource manual to guide student learning and students are provided with a workbook for the field trip.

When: Thursday, August 4

Where: Irongate Conservation Park, Pittsworth

Who: The program is aimed at senior secondary Biology and Geography students

Costs: School registration — \$200

Includes:

- Habitat Investigation Program teaching resources
- field trip activities led by experienced technical staff
- assessment of student reports by technical staff
- student prize for winning report.

Student fee — \$10

Includes:

- workbook
- all equipment and resources for field activities
- the opportunity to meet and discuss career pathways with technical staff working in the natural resource management sector.



The Habitat Investigation Program fits into both the Senior Biology and Geography Syllabus. Throughout the program students will have the opportunity to practice and develop the following skills:

- use appropriate techniques and equipment to collect primary data in the field,
- handle specimens of living material responsibly and ethically,
- record observations of biological specimens
- utilise geographical skills such as interpreting maps, and
- interpret data including tables, graphs, diagrams and photographs.

Habitat Investigation 2011 Registration Details

Please complete one registration form per school and attach a list of student names and supervising teachers. It is the school's responsibility to provide an accurate, updated list of names to QMDC staff upon arrival at the field site.

Registration closes Friday, June 24, 2011. To register, schools must return this form. Schools will be invoiced after the field day. Teacher resources, field day program, maps and other details will be sent to your school at the beginning of Term Three. In the event of a cancellation less than two weeks before the event you will be charged 50% of the registration fee.

Coordinating teacher's name	
School	
School address	
Telephone & fax	
Email	
Year level/s of students	
Special requirements (e.g. access)	

Item	Number of participants	Cost
School Registration—\$200	—	
Students—\$10/ student		
Staff—no charge		
Total cost:		



To register or for more information:

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