

TURTLE WATCH

School Accreditation Application

Tick at least three of the following activities your school has completed during the last year: 2017

Tick	Turtle Watch Activities	Date Completed	Evidence Attached
e.g. ✓	Participate in a wetlands/bushland planting activity.	23/6/14	Link to school website news
e.g. ✓	Collect litter from a waterway environment.	16/11/14	Photo of students collecting
	Participate in a wetlands/bushland planting activity.	21/7/2017	Photo + weblink
	Collect litter from a waterway environment.	6/6/2017	Photo
	Evidence of monitoring oblong turtle nesting site.		photo of
	Conduct at least one Turtle Watch lesson addressing e.g. external features, habitat, life cycle, threats.	27/7/2017	Students at Murdoch Uni at
	Conduct at least one Turtle Watch lesson addressing links with Noongar culture and knowledge.		SERCUL lesson
	Conduct a Turtle Watch theme event at an assembly to launch the nesting season.		
	One class commit to being the Turtle Watch program leader and do at least two feature articles in the school's newsletter or over the PA during the active season.		
	Design a Turtle Watch poster for display somewhere around the school or beyond.		
	Have a Turtle Watch display in the main foyer of the school/local shopping or eco centre for the wider community for one week during Term 1 or Term 4.		
	Create, label and display oblong turtle artworks.	23/5/2017 21/3/2017	World Turtle Day Clay Beads } Photos
	Create, label and display oblong turtle diorama with model turtles and habitat depicted.		
	Students present a workshop for a different audience to teach others about oblong turtles.		
	Participate in a fund raising activity for Turtle Watch.		
	Other – prior approval from the Turtle Watch Committee required.		

Name and Address of School: Coolbinia P.S., 104 Bradford ST, Coolbinia, 6050

Name and Email of Contact Person: Elaine Lewis Elaine.Lewis@education.wa.edu.au

Please email the completed form and evidence to: info@aaeewa.org.au and mark to the attention of: Turtle Watch Committee Convenor.

Thank you for your participation in this vital conservation initiative.

Summary of Turtle Watch Activities 2017

1. Bushland Planting Activity



Year 6 students working with their Year 1 buddy class, planting native seedlings in the Coolbinia bushland. All classes participated in the planting program:

<http://coolbiniaps.wa.edu.au/wp-content/uploads/T34-Oct-report-17.pdf>

(see River Rangers heading).

2. Litter Collection from Waterway



Students collecting litter at Eric Singleton Bird Sanctuary before conducting macroinvertebrate and Fab 4 water testing.

3. Turtle Watch Lessons



SERCUL conducted turtle lessons for Year 5 and 6 students at Murdoch University.

4. Turtle Artworks for World Turtle Day Display



Bead turtles for display



Clay turtles for display