

Careers in environmental management

Skills

- Interested in the environment
- Good verbal and written communication skills
- Able to work indoors and outdoors
- Good project management skills



Career options

National Parks Ranger

- Biodiversity conservation
- Wildlife management
- Fire management
- Heritage protection
- Visitor services
- Managing assets/infrastructure

Research

- Botany
- Ecology
- Soil science
- Climate change
- Zoology
- Sustainable agriculture
- GIS

Land management

- Pest plant and animal management
- Sustainable farming
- Irrigation
- Advice and assistance to landholders
- Fire management

Community engagement

- Communications
- Education
- Volunteer management
- Facilitation
- Marketing and design
- Indigenous engagement
- Local government

Planning and Policy

- Project management
- Water allocation planning
- Managing funding
- Evaluating and monitoring
- Administration
- Legislation

Ecologist

- Monitoring water, animals, soil etc.
- Bush regeneration
- Wetlands and floodplains management
- Advice and assistance to landholders

Educational pathways

Volunteering

- Local community group
- NRM event or program (e.g. tree planting day, etc)
- Youth Environment Council of South Australia
- Work experience
- Bushcare
- Community nurseries
- Trees For Life
- CFS/SES

Further study

- VET
- Traineeship (e.g. Green Army)
- TAFE or University (e.g. degrees in Science, Agriculture or Conservation and Land Management)



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