

Post 16 Cheetah Conservation Case Study



Session Description

This conservation session focuses on reasons why species become threatened and explores conservation management strategies used to mitigate the threats.

Using case studies students explore conservation management strategies and discuss the economic, social and ethical reasons for the conservation of species. The students will gain an understanding of some conservation methods, specifically based on the cheetah.

Please note: no live animals will be used in this session.

Lesson Objectives

Consider captive breeding programmes as a method used to conserve endangered species and genetic diversity.

Consider the importance of international cooperation in captive breeding and release programmes.

Discuss the economic, social and ethical reasons for the conservation of species including consideration of land-use conflicts.

Curriculum Links

AQA biology 3.2.9,3.3,3.4

(AS) AQA biology 3.3, 3.4

(A2) EDEXCEL biology unit 4

OCR biology 3.1,2.3.4 (AS)

Linked Resources

View the related resources using the link below to our resources page

[Wildlife conservation booklet](#)

[Threatened species trail/answers](#)



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Key Skills

During this session students can practice key scientific skills including: critical thinking, research and communication skills.