

# ENDANGERED ANIMALS

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## 1 What do these words mean:

Endangered .....

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Rare .....

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Extinction .....

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Protected area .....

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Protected species .....

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## 2 What endangered species living in Finland do you know?

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## 3 What does the EEP label next to many species mean?



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## What about the endangerment scale?



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Find out what the other abbreviations on the scale mean and look for an example species for each category.

LC: .....

NT: .....

VU: .....

EN: .....

CR: .....

EW: .....

## 4 How can zoos help protect endangered species?

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- 5** Choose, for example in small groups, one endangered animal at Korkeasaari Zoo for inspection.

**SPECIES** .....

**Find out at least:**

Distribution .....

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Habitat .....

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Endangerment category .....

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What threatens this species? .....

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What conservation measures have already been taken? .....

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Something else? .....

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- 6** Also think about your own opinions:

What do you think should still be done to help protect endangered species?

What are the good and bad aspects of zoos in protecting endangered species?