## **KOOKABURRAS**

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# INTRODUCTION

The Laughing Kookaburra is found right across Victoria and most of eastern Australia, including Warrawee Public School to north Queensland.



#### Did You Know?

Kookaburras are the largest kingfisher in the world.

## **DESCRIPTION**

The Kookaburra has off-white underparts, brown wings with lighter flecks and a reddish-brown tail with pale tips. Kookaburras are not selective feeders. They feed on a wide range of food sources depending on what is available.



#### **Useful Facts**

Average length: 46cm

Average weight: 370-450g

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### **FACTS**



#### **Diet**

Kookaburras feed mostly on insects, worms and crustaceans, although small snakes, mammals, frogs and birds may be eaten.

#### Habitat

Kookaburras live in eucalypt woodlands and open forest.

#### **Breeding Season**

Kookaburras breed from September to January.

## 5 REASONS TO PROTECT THEM...



Because they're native animals.



They eat and control the number of insects.



They help plants by pruning them and spreading seeds.



They are important to the balancing the food web and the wider ecosystem.



We need to protect birds because they might go extinct.

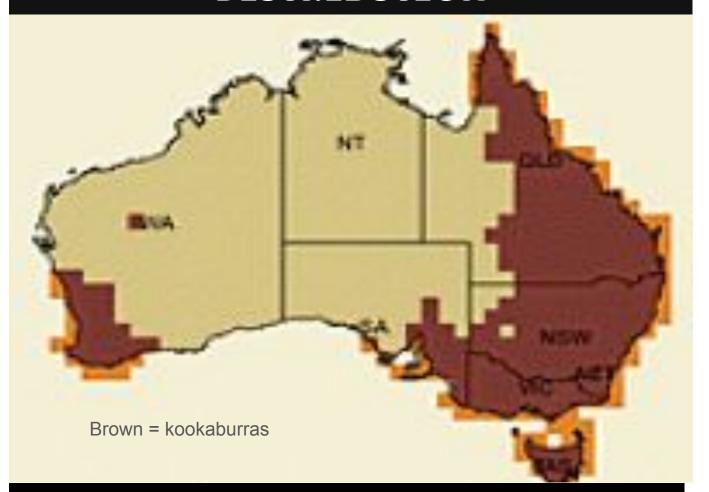
## **Photos**



Cute Kookaburra



# **DISTRIBUTION**



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## **SOURCES I USED**

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