



Term 2, Lesson 6

National Nest Predation Survey - Data Collection

Learning Objectives:

1. Collect and accurately record data.



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Data Collection

National Nest Predation Survey data collection requires two people. The first person will stand at each wooden stake with the relevant photo and guide the second person to each nest location.



Data Collection

If the nest has been dug up, egg shells and a hole will be present.

If the nest has not been dug up, it may require some time and effort to find.

Once you have located all 10 nests, record how many have been dug up.



**Turtle nest
depredated by a fox**

Wetland Activities

Activity 1 -

- Return to the site of your National Nest Predation Survey and record nest predation rates.



Classroom Activities

Activity 2 -

- Reflect on what you observed during data collection for the National Nest Predation Survey.
- Write a brief summary of your findings and how your involvement in the survey made you feel.

