Exercise

You are entering a competition to understand Banteng ecology and conserve the species. Firstly, read the document entitled 'Banteng threats and conservation' that shows the IUCN Red List summary for this species. To enter this competition you must design a research project to study habitat preferences in Banteng so that a suitable conservation programme can be implemented.

You should think about these questions for designing research

- What are the gaps in our knowledge?
- What do you think we need to find out?

Once we know this, how can we conserve this species?

- What are the main threats?
- What conservation methods would be efficient?

Please use the structure below to write a proposal for how you would study and protect this species.

- 1. STUDY DESIGN
- **1.1 Aims**
- 1.2 Methods
- 2.3 Desired outcomes
- 2. CONSERVATION PROGRAMME DESIGN
- **2.1** Aims
- 2.2 Methods

2.3 Desired outcomes

- 3. OTHER SPECIES
- 3.1 What other species could this research and conservation scheme be applied to?

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