



2022 INFORMATION BROCHURE

USING CREATIVITY TO MAKE TEACHING SUSTAINABILITY FUN



THE KREATIVE KOALAS PROGRAM
IS INITIATIVE OF
ACTION4AGRICULTURE INC¹.



ACTION FOR AGRICULTURE

KREATIVE KOALAS IS A GROUND-BREAKING SCHOOLS BASED PROJECT LEARNING INITIATIVE FROM ACTION4AGRICULTURE.

This program provides the opportunity for students to be part of a team that welcomes their ideas and solutions and empowers them to act on global sustainability challenges at a local level as individuals, as a community and as the future decision makers for the planet.

The program has been designed and developed to connect and empower the community like nothing before. It connects students with Sustainability Ambassadors in the community, to facilitate intergenerational connections, collaboration, knowledge sharing and communication to achieve high-impact long-lasting outcomes.

THIS INNOVATIVE AND FUN PROGRAM PROVIDES STUDENTS AND TEACHERS WITH OPPORTUNITIES TO ENGAGE IN GENUINE EXPERIENCES AND GAIN KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS ABOUT THE ENVIRONMENT THEY LIVE IN."

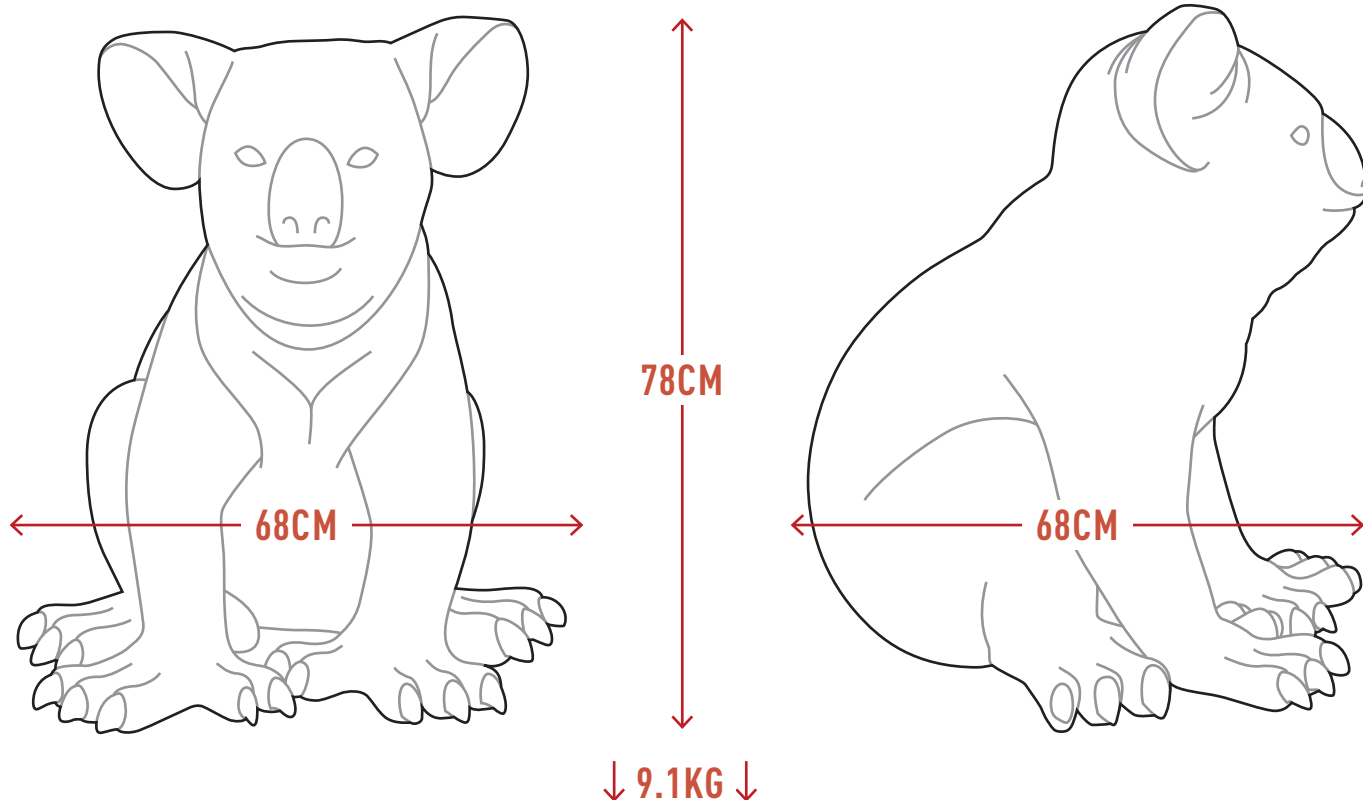
The program encourages students and teachers to have courageous conversations around the following United Nations Global Goals for Sustainable Development (Global Goals).



HOW DOES IT WORK?

This is an integrated program which engages primary school students in sustainability awareness, understanding and action through art, design, creativity, teamwork and project development by:

- Providing a blank fibreglass koala for students to create an artwork on or to use as the subject of an artwork which focuses on a global goal.
- Pairing schools with a Community Champion, who holds the knowledge, wisdom and experience to assist the students to learn about local projects which are already addressing Australia's Global Goals commitment.
- Supporting and empowering young people to co-create a project that they design, own and deliver either in-school or out in the community with their intergenerational mentors.
- Providing a vehicle for students to communicate what they learn in fun and creative ways to a broader online audience and their local community.
- Supplying a resource kit with curricular connections.
- Supplying Matisse paints..



KEY DATES!

11TH MAR 2022

7TH APR 2022

27TH APR 2022

TBC 2022

2ND MAY TO
19TH SEP 2022

19TH SEP 2022

TBC NOV 2022

> EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST FORM DUE.

> ENTRY SURVEYS DUE.

> SUCCESSFUL SCHOOLS NOTIFIED.

> EVENT LAUNCH.

> PROGRAM RUNS IN SCHOOLS
TERM 2 AND TERM 3.

> ENTRIES CLOSE.

> AWARDS & CELEBRATIONS.

THE CHALLENGE?

Participating in the Kreative Koalas competition involves completing two exciting modules.

1. THE KOALA

Use the blank fibreglass Koala and the Global Goal you have chosen to create an artwork.

2. COMMUNITY PROJECT

Working with your Community Champion/Sustainability Ambassador and using the Sustainability Action Process (SAP)² to support students to identify, investigate and take sustainability action, the students will co-design a local community project.

The Sustainability Action Process has five steps:

1. Making a case for change
2. Developing the scope
3. Defining the proposal
4. Implementing
5. Evaluating and reflecting

Your project offers your students the chance to turn great ideas into practical solutions. The project can be in-school or out in the community.

Students will be empowered to decide what they want to do and what impact they want to have.

Please note to successfully complete the program, modules 1 and 2 must be submitted.

WHAT'S INVOLVED IN THE EXPRESSION OF INTEREST PROCESS

- Fill in the online expression of interest form on behalf of your school by COB 11th March 2022. The link to the EOI can be found [HERE](#).
- Students participating in the program complete an online entry survey by 7th April 2022. The online entry survey details will be supplied once you have submitted your EOI.
- Successful schools will be notified by 27th April 2022.
- The Kreative Koalas program will commence Monday 2nd May 2022.
- Selection of SDG/s to focus your artwork and project on.



² Sustainability Action Process <https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/learning-across-the-curriculum/sustainability/sustainability-action-process>

BEFORE YOU COMPLETE THE EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM

Please ensure you consider the following:

1. Participating schools receive:

- A blank fibreglass Koala.
- Web based resources with curricular connections.
- Matisse paints – all that you need to create an amazing piece of art.
- A visit from a Community Champion/Sustainability Ambassador who will present to your students, support your sustainability learning journey through regular touch points, and help you to co-create a community project.
- The opportunity to be named **Grand Champion Kreative Koala**.

2. Your expression of interest form is a contract between the program organiser and your school.

- Your Koala artwork, Digital Learning Journey and Community Action Project Report must be completed by 19th September 2022.
- Do you have other teachers in your school as enthusiastic about participating in the program as you?

- Is your student team and collaborating teacher/s 100% committed to delivering on all program commitments?
- Have you familiarised yourself thoroughly with what is required to submit an entry that meets the program obligations. You can access all the information you need to know here www.kreativekoalas.com.au
- Does your school IT provider allow your students to access our website www.kreativekoalas.com.au?
- Are you going on long service leave in any part of the program time frame? And if so, will you put in place measures to help the program continue in your absence?



THE KREATIVE KOALAS PROGRAM CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. This is a game of skill. All entries will be reviewed by an expert panel of judges appointed by project organisers.
2. Competition commences on the launch date. Only one entry per primary school.
3. To enter schools must complete the Expression of Interest Form supplied and must be received 11th March 2022.
4. Paint supplies will be supplied by commercial art supply company Matisse Derivan™.
5. The Koala remains the property of the school, except in the case where all elements of the program are not completed by the school for any reason.
6. Project organisers reserve the right to invite schools to provide the Koalas for promotional activities or public display without payment of any fee.
7. The winning entries will be announced at the exhibition and presentation day In November 2022 Date TBC.
8. Judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.
9. The Project Organiser collects entrants' personal information in order to conduct the promotion. By entering the promotion, unless otherwise advised, each entrant also agrees that the Project Organiser may use this information, in any media for future promotional, marketing and publicity purposes without any further reference, payment or other compensation to the entrant, including sending the entrant electronic messages. A request to access, update or correct any information should be directed to the Project Organiser at their address set out below.
10. The Project Organiser shall not be liable for any loss or damage whatsoever which is suffered (including but not limited to indirect or consequential loss) or for personal injury which is suffered or sustained, as a result of entering the promotion or taking the prize, except for any liability which cannot be excluded by law.
11. The Project Organiser accepts no responsibility for any tax implications that may arise from the prize winnings. Independent financial advice should be sought.
12. The Project Organiser is Action4Agriculture PO Box 241 Jamberoo 2533 ABN 39 055 985 661. Ownership of all information, materials, resources, videos, blogs and other electronic data (material) created or submitted to the project organisers as part of Kreative Koalas will be assigned to and vested in project organisers on submission. If vesting is not possible, the party submitting the material to project organisers grants a fee free, perpetual, assignable and non-exclusive licence to copy, use, distribute, modify and licence the use of the material. That party warrants that they are the sole owner of all intellectual property rights in the materials or that they are otherwise licensed to use and licence the use of the materials on the terms of this document. They also warrant that they will not breach the intellectual property rights of any third party by complying with these terms and conditions and indemnify the project organisers from all loss, liability and claims arising from its use of the material.

LOCATION OF EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM

THE EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM IS IN GOOGLE DOCS FORMAT AND CAN BE FOUND [HERE](#).

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