

2008 Year of the Frog

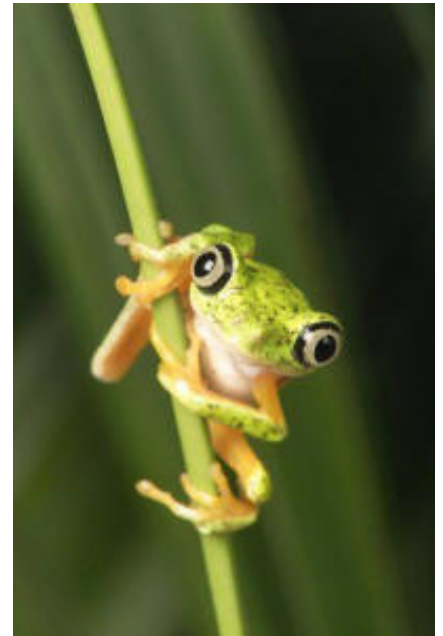
Pledge for Amphibians

Amphibians are facing an extinction crisis rivaling that of the dinosaurs. In response, the global conservation community has declared 2008 the ‘**Year of the Frog**’. Together, we aim to save the top 500 most endangered amphibians from extinction – and we need your help to do it!

Use the checklist below to make a Pledge for Amphibians. Each item that your class can commit to will make a real difference in the life of a frog.

8 Simple Things YOU Can do for Frogs

- Educate yourself and your students about amphibians.
For ideas see: <http://www.helpafrog.org/toolkit.htm>
- Use the amphibian crisis to introduce advanced biological concepts in your classroom.
- Invite a local expert from a zoo or university to your classroom to talk about amphibians and their importance to ecosystems.
- Plan a field trip to an AZA accredited institution near you and experience your very own amphibian adventure!
- Encourage your students to practice eco-friendly behavior. Reduce, reuse, and recycle in your classroom.
- Create an amphibian habitat at your school.
http://www.helpafrog.org/toolkit.htm#Build_a_Frog_pond
- Take your students into the field to observe amphibians.
- Become a champion for the Large-crested Toad! Help us fundraise and even better, share your newfound passion with others.
www.helpafrog.org/fundraising.htm



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