

# Kids Teaching Kids

Building Resilience  
Through Environmental  
Education

DON'T  
KILL  
THE  
CORAL

STOP  
MINING!  
SAVE OUR  
REEF!

STOP  
THE  
DREDGING!

inspiring future  
environmental  
leaders

kids


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# Overview

- Brief history of the program
- The KTK Process
- Breaking down an event and workshop
- Examples from the program



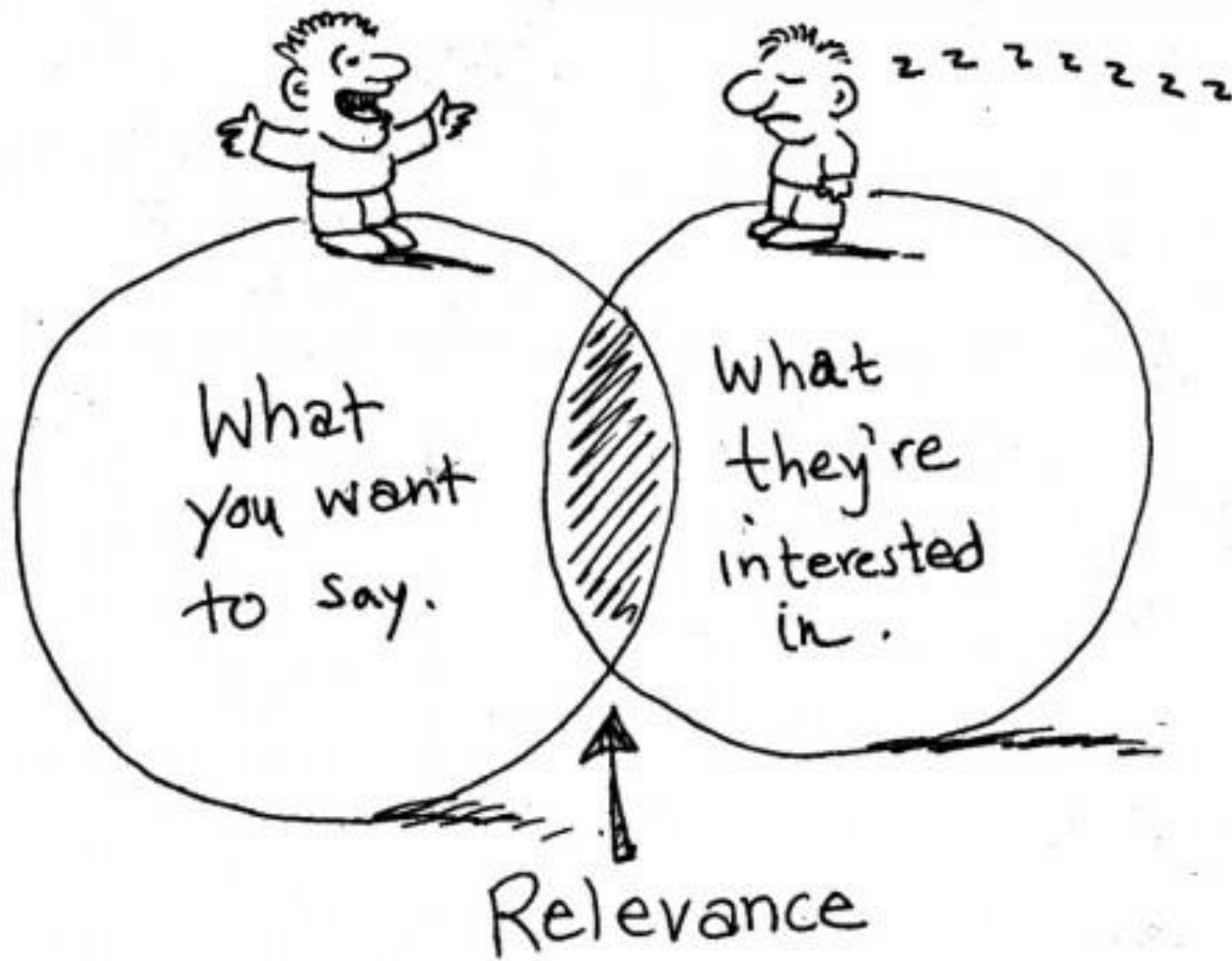
**So what is  
Kids Teaching Kids?**

# KTK History

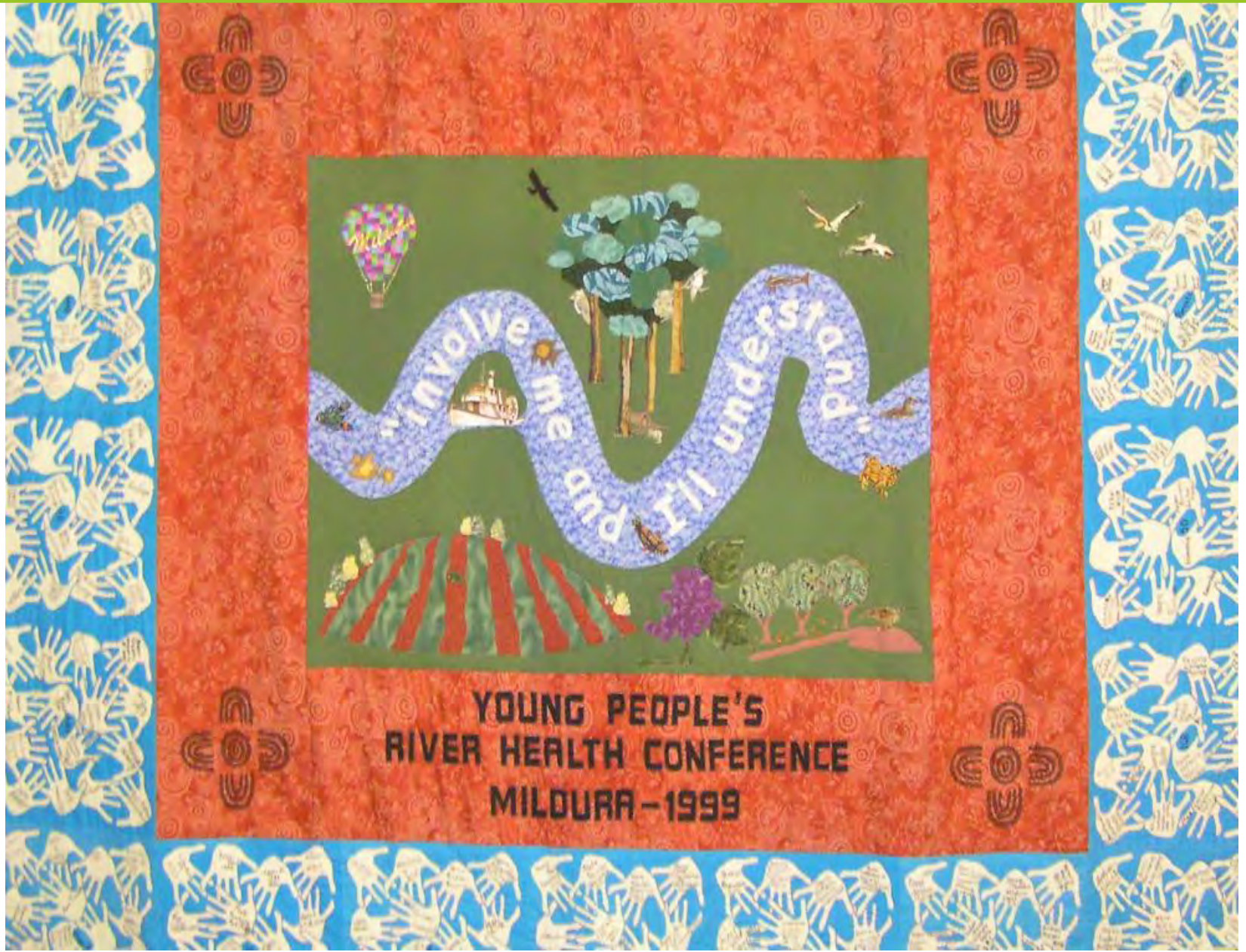
- Kids Teaching Kids is a national, peer teaching program that uses **environmental and social issues as a theme** and focus for learning.
- Absolutely **free** to take part in the program!

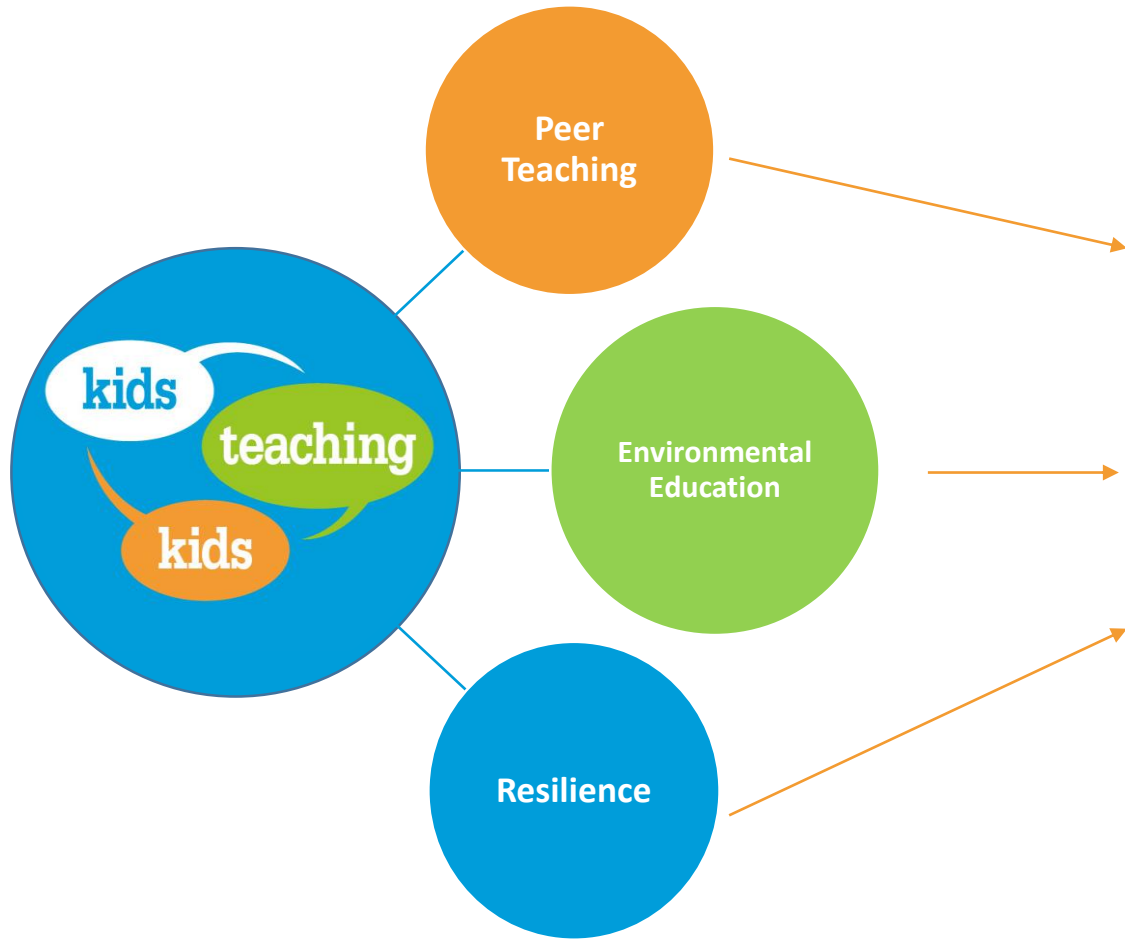






# River Health Conference





- Community connections
- Inspiring future leaders
- Flexible structure to accommodate schools
- Using personal connections to foster interest
- Providing students with a voice
- Building the school community through projects
- Cross-curriculum connections
- Involving parents
- Using mentors
- Wide variety of topics
- Networking opportunities between schools
- And more!





**How do we make it  
happen?**

# The Process



- Select a topic
- Undertake research



- Link up with a mentor who can help build understanding
- This could be a professional or someone from the local community



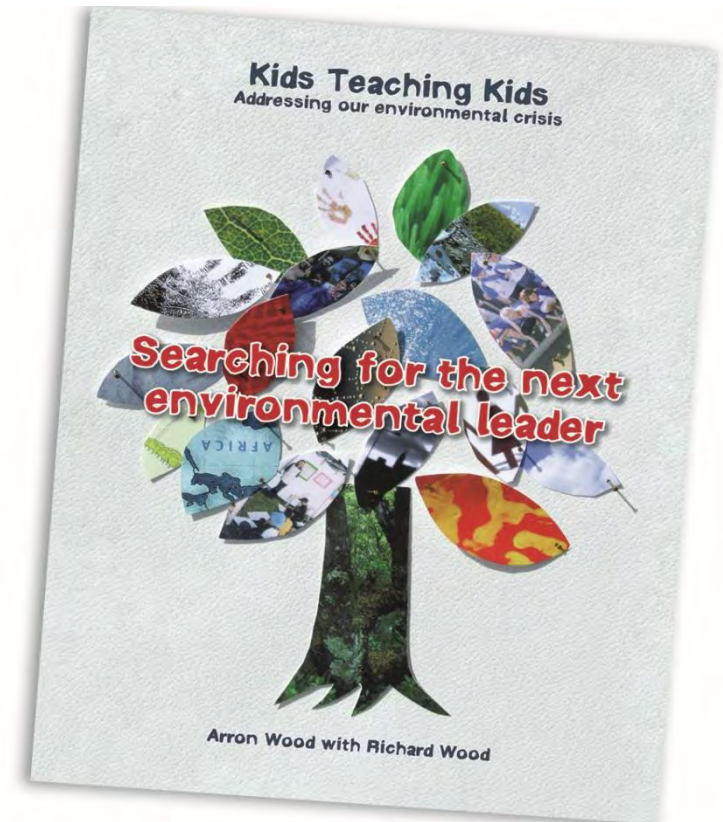
- Consider the changes that could be made in your local community.
- Take responsibility for change



- Come up with a fun, engaging way to teach others
- Run a workshop at a Kids Teaching Kids Week event and pass on the knowledge

# Program Support

- In-school workshops
- Inspiring the Next Young Environmental Leader book & DVD (& Workshop Development Manual)
- Free phone, email, online and Skype support
- Education templates (Workshop Toolkit)
- YouTube Channel: KidsTeachingKids1
- Connect through social media – Facebook and Twitter





**What is an 'event'?**

**In-school event**

**Non-school event**



# Kids Teaching Kids Week 4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> September 2017





# WATER WARRIOR

## 2017 MELBOURNE WATER

### KIDS TEACHING KIDS CONFERENCE





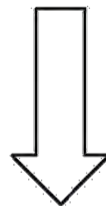
**What does a workshop  
look like?**



Typical Workshop  
Structure (40 minutes)



How do you like to LEARN?





WATER WARRIOR



WATER







# Waste and Our Waterways



Snakes and Ladder Game

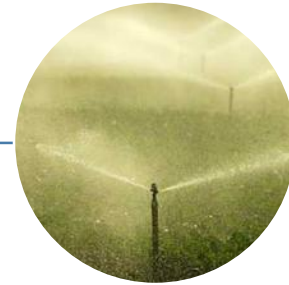


Sifting Sand



Awareness Sticker

# Learning about the Bilby



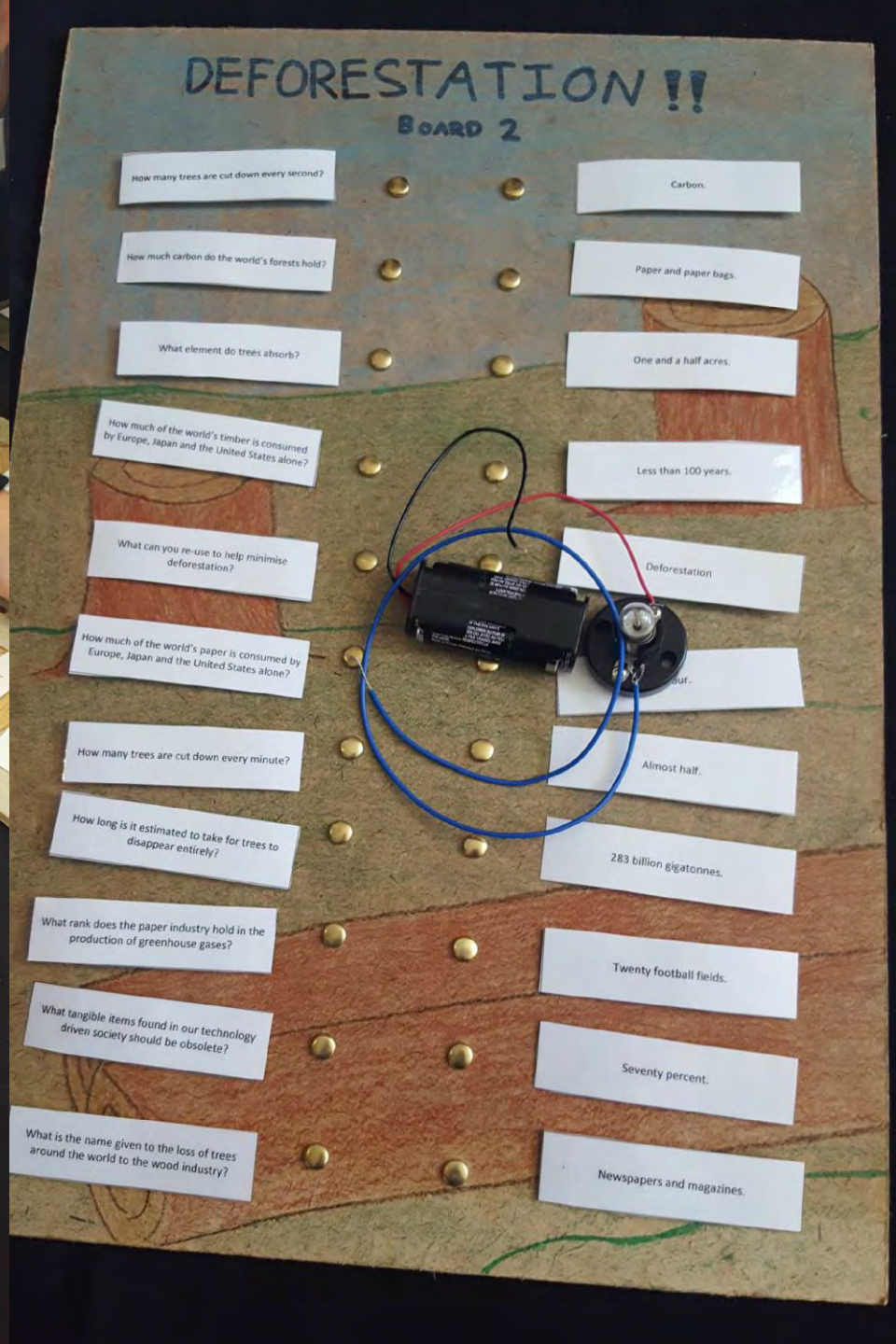
Game to explore the threats to Bilby population over time.



Grasslands food web



Characteristics and captive breeding



# DEFORESTATION !!

## BOARD 2

- How many trees are cut down every second? Carbon.
- How much carbon do the world's forests hold? Paper and paper bags.
- What element do trees absorb? One and a half acres.
- How much of the world's timber is consumed by Europe, Japan and the United States alone? Less than 100 years.
- What can you re-use to help minimise deforestation? Deforestation.
- How much of the world's paper is consumed by Europe, Japan and the United States alone? Almost half.
- How many trees are cut down every minute? 283 billion gigatonnes.
- How long is it estimated to take for trees to disappear entirely? Twenty football fields.
- What rank does the paper industry hold in the production of greenhouse gases? Seventy percent.
- What tangible items found in our technology driven society should be obsolete? Newspapers and magazines.
- What is the name given to the loss of trees around the world to the wood industry?







## ***Our Tribute to the Great Barrier Reef***

Back in time when the reef radiated colour,  
But recently our reef has become increasingly duller.

With majestic colours such as blue, yellow and red,  
But the colour and character appears to be dead.

Gases released turn into pollution,  
Humans are struggling to find a solution.

The conditions in coral is altered and the algae is leaving,  
The underwater ecosystem is slowly grieving.

Thanks to our ignorance the coral is bleaching,  
Higher temperature the water reaching.

Thanks to our disregard the bleaching process is forming,  
Our reef once bewildering no more due to global warming.

If we don't act soon the colours will fade,  
Our reef once beautiful is the reef we betrayed.





# Questions



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