

I live here - have you seen me?

Why don't you create a poster/information sheet about a species you've seen or you would like to see at Upton Towans Nature Reserve?



Below is a ready-made template that you can print and complete or that you could add images/text to on a computer, if you prefer.

If you haven't managed to visit Upton Towans to find a species to draw or to photograph, a list of some of the species that can be found here is provided on the next page. There are many more which aren't on the list, so you're very welcome to go exploring to see if you can find something different!

When you have completed your poster, you can send it to Sally at Budding Nature (see below), who will pass it on to Cornwall Wildlife Trust, who we hope will be able to publish it on their website and/or social media, and to place it at Upton Towans itself.

Email your poster to:

info@buddingnature.co.uk

Upton Towans species suggestions:

Plants

Pyramidal Orchid
Black Horehound
Sea Rocket
Musk Thistle
Carline Thistle
Sea Bindweed
Rosebay Willowherb
Hound's-tongue
Wild Carrot
Viper's-bugloss
Common Stork's-bill
Portland Spurge
Yellow Iris
Fairy Flax
Scarlet Pimpernel
Bog Pimpernel
Bogbean
Buck's-horn Plantain
Cowslip
Wild Mignonette
Yellow-rattle
Sea Campion
Great Mullein
Marram Grass

Reptiles/Amphibians

Common Toad
Common Lizard
Slow-worm
Adder

Birds

Skylark

Swift
Common Buzzard
Linnet
Raven
Northern Wheatear
Tawny Owl
Herring Gull
Common Kestrel

Insects

Red-banded Sand Wasp
Emperor Dragonfly
Dune Chafer
Orange-tip Butterfly
Garden Tiger Moth
Brown Argus Butterfly
Brown-banded Carder Bee
Common Field Grasshopper
7-spot Ladybird
Small Heath Butterfly
Dock Bug
Sulphur Beetle
Pantaloan Bee
Lesser Cockroach
Silver-studded Blue
Drinker Moth
Glow Worm
Speckled Bush-cricket
Small Copper Butterfly
Gold-fringed Mason Bee
Common Spiny Digger Wasp
Speckled Wood Butterfly
Common Froghopper
Marram Weevil

Gorse Shieldbug
Turtle Shieldbug
Yellow Dung-fly
Common Groundhopper
Six-spot Burnet Moth
Dune Spurge Bug

Other invertebrates

Common Pill Woodlouse
Spotted Millipede
Pointed Snail
Garden Snail
White Garden Snail
Great Black Slug
Woodlouse Spider
Nursery Web Spider
Thyme Gall-mite
Zebra Spider

Fungi/Lichens

Common Inkcap
Blushing Bracket
Dune Waxcap
Fairy Ring Champignon
Dead Man's Fingers
Scrambled-egg Lichen
Reindeer Lichen

Mammals

Rabbit
Brown Rat
Red Fox
Short-tailed Field Vole



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Write species name here

This space is for a **picture of your species** – draw/add a picture here, or you could insert a photograph you've taken.

Use this space for a **second picture** or a **continuation of your text**

This space is for text

Include some information about your species such as:

- what sort of species it is, e.g. bird, insect, mammal, plant
- what it looks like
- where to find it
- when to find it
- what it feeds on
- what feeds on it
- any other interesting facts
- why you like it