

Preventing the spread of invasive species

9. Adopt IAS-related teaching materials for use in municipal schools



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IAS-related communication and environmental education work is the most effective way to prevent the spread of IAS into nature.

Repeated communication helps increase awareness on the impact of invasive alien species and reduce their spread into nature.

Benefits of the action

Facts and actions learned at school often translate into joint family activities, which can reduce the intentional spread of IAS into nature.

Do this

Forward a link to IAS-themed teaching material and suggest for local high schools, upper secondary schools and colleges to use the material in their teaching.

Gather experience and improve IAS teaching as needed to supplement the goals of the curriculum.

More information

Get to know teaching materials (in Finnish) designed specifically for 7th-to-9th-graders and adopt them for use in schools:

[IAS materials in MAPPA-databank](#)

