

Species at Risk in BC's Grasslands

Agriculture is very important to our world because it provides us food to survive. It is important to know the animals that are affected by agriculture, and how we can keep them safe. Below are bubbles that tell of threatened or endangered species, and what we can do in agriculture to help them thrive. Colour in the landscape and the animals!



Burrowing Owl

The Burrowing Owl is an endangered species in BC. Agriculture can help the Burrowing Owl by switching from rodenticide to traps for rodents so they don't get chemicals in their bodies.

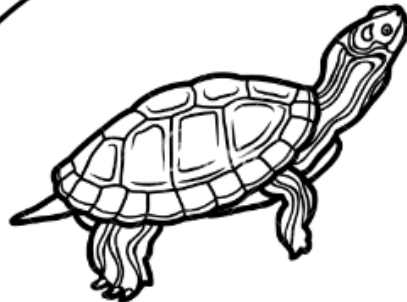
Gopher Snake

Gopher Snakes are threatened in BC. By using traps instead of rodenticide for rodents, agriculture can protect the Gopher Snake from ingesting harmful chemicals.



Toothcup Plant

The Toothcup Plant is a threatened species in BC that lives on lakeshores and ponds. Protecting wetlands by removing invasive species and not disturbing them is a way we can keep this plant safe.



Western Painted Turtle

Western Painted Turtles are a species of special concern in our area. The best way agriculture can protect them is to avoid disturbing their nesting sites located near wetlands.



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