

LEMUR CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION (AEECL)

The AEECL aims to advance the understanding and conservation of Madagascar's Lemur population through scientific research, captive propagation and protection of their natural habitat.

In 2022, Action for the Wild donated its £1,712.48 membership fee to support the work of AEECL

The Sahamalaza region in Madagascar has been the AEECL's focus of scientific and conservation interest since 1988. The AEECL aims to protect the habitat and ecosystems within the Sahamalaza peninsula, monitor and increase Lemur populations and be a strong conservation ambassador for the area.

In 2022, AEECL undertook a range of activities such as forest monitoring; reforestation of 150 bags of mangrove propagules in the village of Antafiatabalaka and 30,000 young plants over an area of 20 ha in Mahialambo Rural Commune Ampandriakilandy Antsohihy; subsidised 78 teachers; met secondary school students who receive an AEECL grant to provide encouragement in advance of their national exams and pledged to give more scholarships for the five best students who want to pursue university studies; and took part in various celebration days, such as World Environment Day, and a workshop to create a Protected Areas Manager Platform for the Sofia Region.

Investment in local communities through education, resource management and communication helps ensure the communities of today can forge a safe haven for wildlife tomorrow.



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