

Abby Kirk



Research interests

My main area of research interests lies within Animal behaviour. I studied the proximity behaviour of captive Western Lowland Gorillas and how this changed with the birth of a newborn for my undergraduate dissertation at the University of the West of England. With my current Master's research interests looking at Bumblebee behaviour. I also have research interests in Ecology, Conservation and Evolution with my bachelor's degree focusing on these areas.

Employment

Bristol student theses

Bumblebee's (*Bombus terrestris*) preference to moving artificial flowers over stationary flowers, and an investigation into flower movement in the wild

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