



DUNK ISLAND

GREAT BARRIER REEF



NO DOGS ON DUNK

HELP PROTECT OUR WILDLIFE & NATURAL HABITAT

Dunk Island and the Family Group of National Park Islands are internationally significant endangered migratory sea and shore bird nesting sites. To keep this unique environment thriving, domestic animals (including dogs) are prohibited.

How you can help

- **Don't bring dogs to Dunk Island.** help keep our delicate eco system thriving.
- **Leave only footprints.** Take all rubbish and belongings with you. Don't feed wildlife – Human food can make wild animals sick.
- **Respect all flora and fauna.** Please leave everything as you found it. Plan ahead – Campsites must be booked ahead of time via dunkisland.com
- **Report incidents.** If you see someone potentially harming our environment, please report it to a Dunk Island staff member or phone a caretaker on 0460 855 111.

WHY NO DOGS?

LITTLE TERNS NEST ON THE FORESHORE



Birdlife at risk

More than 100 species of birds live here, including rare and vulnerable birds like the little tern. Dogs can disturb nesting birds, frighten wildlife, and damage habitats.

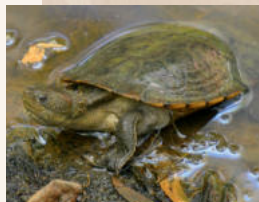
MELOMYS ARE ONE OF SEVERAL SPECIES THAT CALL DUNK HOME



Small mammals & reptiles

The island is home to several species of animals including melomys, monitors, and tree snakes. The presence, scent or barking of dogs can stress native species.

SAW-SHELLED TURTLES LIVE IN FRESHWATER CREEKS



Turtle protection

Freshwater creeks are home to saw-shelled turtles and sea turtles lay eggs in burrows in the sand above the high tide line.

FAILURE TO ADHERE TO THESE RESTRICTIONS MAY SEE PENALTIES APPLIED.

Assistance dogs excepted dunkisland.com

Leave nothing but footprints