

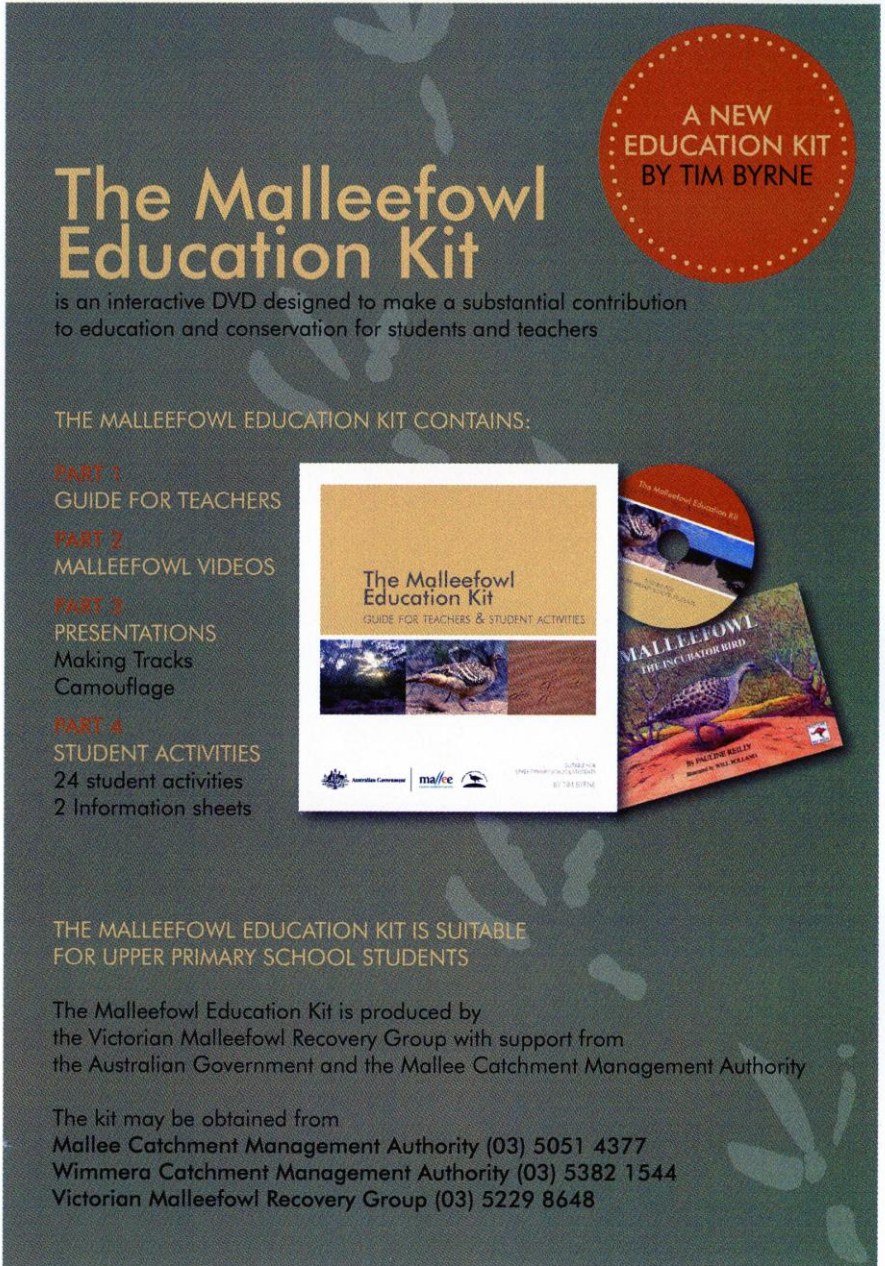
MALLEEFOWL EDUCATION KIT

The Malleefowl Education Kit has been developed by the VMRG and was released in September 2008.

The kit was written by Tim Byrne, an experienced Primary teacher who taught in schools in the Victorian Mallee and spent 18 years working at the Scienceworks Museum in Melbourne.

The Kit is aimed at Upper Primary Students but would also be suited for Lower Secondary Students.

- Activities are non-sequential, so teachers may pick and choose.
- All activities are cross referenced against the CSF and VELs (Victoria), Bloom's Taxonomy and Gardner's Multiple Intelligences.
- Videos and Powerpoint presentations are included.
- The kit is provided on a DVD and comes with a copy of Pauline Reilly's *Malleefowl, The Incubator Bird* in a printed folder.



The flyer for 'The Malleefowl Education Kit' features a dark green background with a faint malleefowl silhouette. A red circular badge in the top right corner reads 'A NEW EDUCATION KIT BY TIM BYRNE'. The title 'The Malleefowl Education Kit' is in large, bold, orange letters. Below it, a subtitle states: 'is an interactive DVD designed to make a substantial contribution to education and conservation for students and teachers'. The central text lists the kit's contents: 'THE MALLEEFOWL EDUCATION KIT CONTAINS: PART 1 GUIDE FOR TEACHERS, PART 2 MALLEEFOWL VIDEOS, PART 3 PRESENTATIONS (Making Tracks, Camouflage), and PART 4 STUDENT ACTIVITIES (24 student activities, 2 Information sheets)'. To the right, images show the DVD case, a CD-ROM, and a book titled 'MALLEEFOWL THE INCUBATOR BIRD'. At the bottom, it states the kit is suitable for upper primary school students, lists the producers (Victorian Malleefowl Recovery Group, Australian Government, Mallee Catchment Management Authority), and provides contact information for the Mallee CMA (03) 5051 4377, Wimmera CMA (03) 5382 1544, and VMRG (03) 5229 8648.

Funding was provided by the Australian Government and the Mallee CMA (Catchment Management Authority).

Schools interested in using the package can obtain a free copy from

- Mallee CMA
- Wimmera CMA
- VMRG

Contact details are on the flyer above.