

Discover Nature with iNaturalist

iNaturalist is a free app that helps you record plants, animals, fungi and other living things you see. Your observations help scientists and communities learn about biodiversity.

What is an Observation?

An observation is a record of something living you find in nature.

It includes:

- Photo(s) of the organism
- Location (where you saw it)
- Date (when you saw it)

Why is it Important?

- Helps track species in your area.
- Supports conservation projects and research.
- You become part of a global nature network!

Download the App

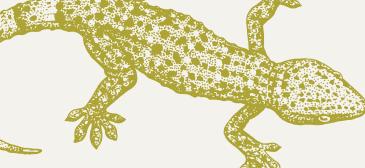
- Search iNaturalist in the App Store or Google Play.
- Sign up (you can use email or Google).



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How to make an observation



More photos = better identification.

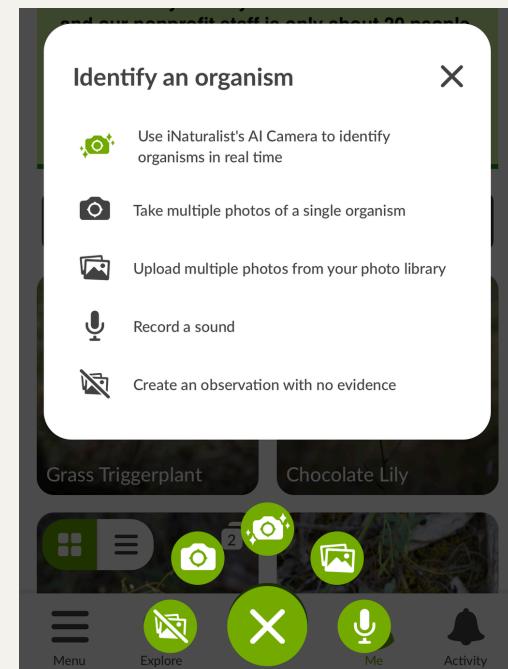
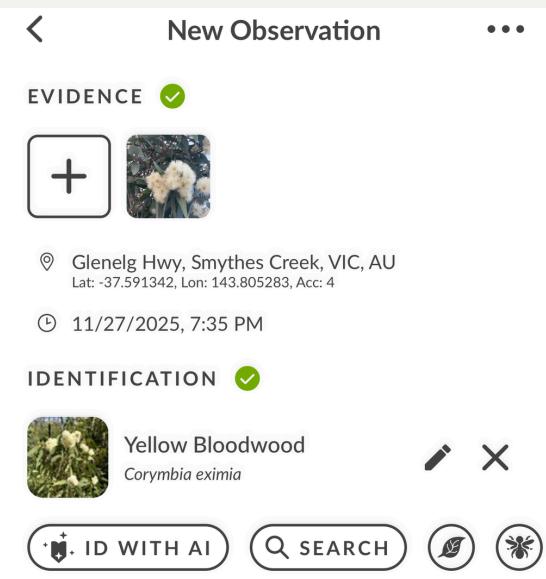


- Find something living, plants, animals, insects, fungi, anything wild!
- Avoid pets or garden plants unless they're growing naturally.
- Try to take photos and capture the whole organism and key details (leaves, flowers, patterns)



Upload your observation

- Tap "+" or "Observe" and you will get multiple options to upload an observation.
- Take clear photos, either in the app's camera or on your phone camera and upload them.



- Check location and date (usually automatic).
- Tap "Identification" and select a species (it will suggest a species to help).
- Press "Upload Now".

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