

R&D Snapshot

Pig Production Education Resources

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Purpose:

• Improve student knowledge of the Australian pork industry, where their food comes from, how it is produced and ultimately the important role agriculture play in our everyday lives.

Take home messages:

- The units contain activities aiming to educate students and the wider school community on the following:
 - Systems of care used by farmers for pigs that are grown, raised and processed for food and how farmers manage these systems;
 - Sustainable resource management practices in food and fibre production, and;
 - Food production (pork) in managed systems and how these systems are becoming more sustainable.
- The resources have been successfully trialed in over 20 primary and secondary schools across the country and were officially launched by Dr Darryl D'Souza at the Pan Pacific Pork Expo 2014 on 21–22 May 2014.

Additional information:

- Click here to view the launch video
- For a copy of the resources contact Imogene Gardiner at Imogene. gardiner@australianpork.com.au or (02)6270 8823

