

UNESCO Biosphere Reserves in the United Kingdom and Crown Dependencies

UNESCO Biosphere Reserves are 'learning places for sustainable development', promoting and working towards a positive future by connecting people and nature. They are sites for learning and research, testing local solutions to global challenges, generating experience and innovation for a sustainable future.

Covering over 300 Sites of Special Scientific Interest and 20 Marine Conservation Zones, as well as cultural landscapes, the seven UNESCO Biospheres in the UK & Isle of Man are at the forefront of the country's work to mitigate and adapt to the impacts of climate change, limit biodiversity loss and promote sustainable ways of living.

The Biospheres are supported by the UK MAB National Committee, which manages the application of UNESCO's Man and the Biosphere (MAB) Programme in the UK and Crown Dependencies.

- 1 **Biosffer Dyfi**
- 2 **Brighton and Lewes Downs (The Living Coast)**
- 3 **Galloway and Southern Ayrshire**
- 4 **Isle of Man**
- 5 **Isle of Wight**
- 6 **North Devon**
- 7 **Wester Ross**

