



Australian Government

## BE A JUNIOR BIOSECURITY OFFICER

Biosecurity is how we protect our plants, animals, food and nature. Visit [www.agriculture.gov.au/JBO](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/JBO) to find out more.



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## WHAT DO BIOSECURITY DETECTOR DOGS DO?

Biosecurity detector dogs work as a team with biosecurity officers who are dog handlers. They love working together in airports, seaports, and mail centres.

They use their superpower noses to sniff out meat, plants, insects, seeds, dairy, vegetables or fruit in passenger luggage or parcels.

Dogs have specialised training to become biosecurity detector dogs and learn how to smell all of these, even things hidden in bags. Labradors are used as biosecurity detector dogs because they have an amazing sense of smell and are very friendly.

