## GIANT BARRED FROG

## Mixophyes iteratus

I am a very large, ground-dwelling frog. I am ENDANGERED !

- **HABITAT** I like flowing streams and I must have rocks overhanging the water for successful breeding. I also need deep leaf litter to provide for shelter and foraging.
  - FOOD I feast on large insects, snails, spiders and other frogs.
- HABITS My eggs are laid and fertilised in the water. The female kicks them out and they stick onto an overhanging bank. The hatchlings wriggle into the water.

## WHAT'S SPECIAL ABOUT ME ?

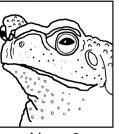
I am a very large frog. I have a beautiful golden eye with a vertical pupil. My back toes are like flippers ! I sit upright when alert. My large tadpoles grow to about 11cm.



## WHICH IS WHICH ?

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I am often mistaken for a cane toad because it is BIG like me. Cane toads' eyes have horizontal pupils, they have bony head ridges and poison glands. I have vertical pupils and I'm not as warty.



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MAIN COLOURS: Browns.

FAVOURITE PLACES: Flowing streams, deep leaf litter.

SIZE: Adult female can be 11.5cm from vent to snout. SOUND: A deep grunting noise "wawk ....wawk"

