

Biosecurity in the Falkland Islands

The Falkland Islands are a remote archipelago at the gateway to the Antarctic. They are home to globally significant seabird populations, and species of plants and animals that are unique to the islands and found nowhere else on earth. The Falkland's remote location has in the past protected them from the introduction of pests, diseases and alien species that are common in most other parts of the world. Today more and more people are visiting the Islands for work or pleasure and it is therefore vital that each and every one of us protect this pristine environment from harm. Some items that you may wish to bring to the Falklands could cause harm to our environment, economy or inhabitants.

Biosecurity affects everybody

