

NSW Environmental Trust

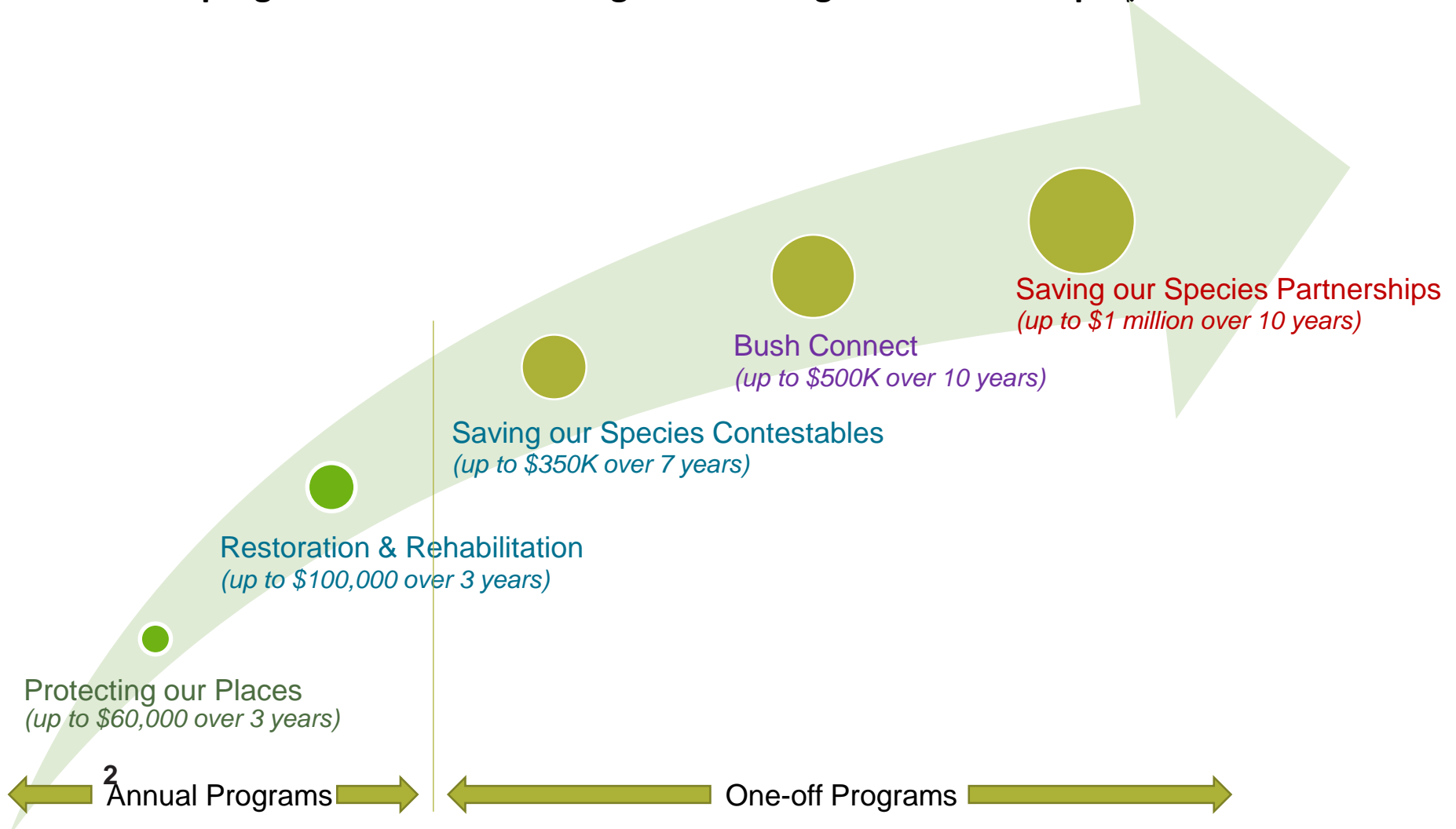
Contestable Grant Programs

What YOU need to do to have the best chance of being awarded funding?



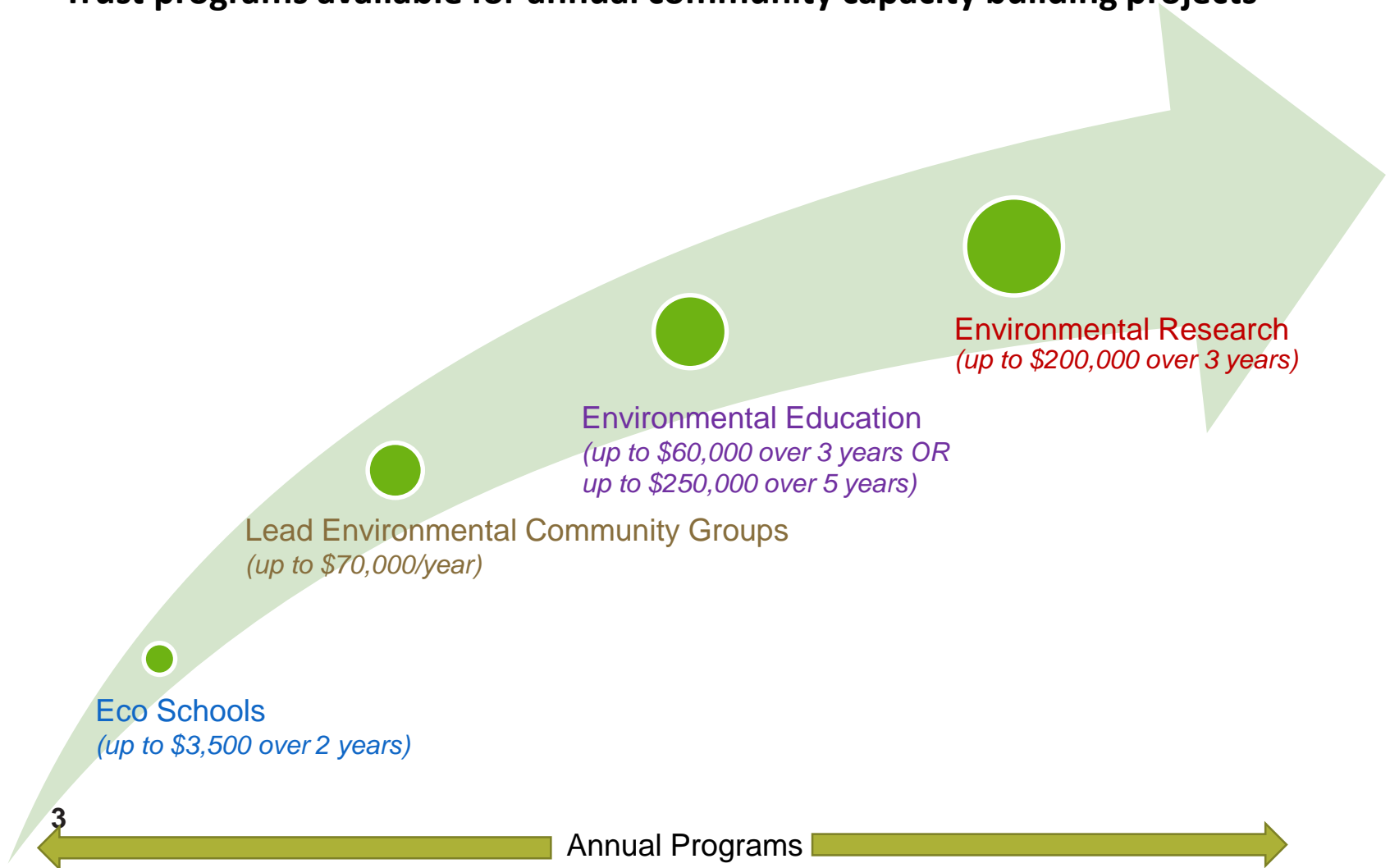
Ecological restoration programs

Trust programs available for on-ground ecological restoration projects



Community capacity building programs

Trust programs available for annual community capacity building projects



Contestable Programs funding allocation

Restoration & Rehabilitation

- R&R Community / Government - \$4 million/year
- Protecting our Places - \$700,000/year
- Saving our Species Partnerships - \$10 million (multi-year)
- Saving our Species Contestables - \$9 million (one-off)
- Community Bush Regeneration - \$8 million (one-off)
- Bush Connect - \$8 million (one-off)

Environmental Education

- Education Community / Government - \$1 million/year
- Eco Schools - \$280,000/year
- Lead Environmental Community Groups - \$600,000/year

Environmental Research

- Research - \$1 million/year

Approximately 600 active projects worth \$55 million at any one time.









Tips for increasing your chances of getting funding

1. Identify the environmental issue or problem
2. Be clear on why it's a problem and why it needs to be fixed
3. Work out what needs to happen to fix that issue or problem
4. Work out how (and if) you could fix that problem
5. Identify anyone else who needs to be involved
6. Take the time to properly plan the project (what, how, who, when, etc)
7. Determine how much it will cost to fix the problem (realistic budget)
8. Investigate your funding options

Then, and only then.....

9. Apply for Trust funding



Next programs opening for applications

- **Restoration & Rehabilitation** – Currently open (3 December 2018)
- **Protecting our Places** – June 2019
- **Environmental Research** – February 2019
- **Environmental Education** – April 2019
- **Eco Schools** – April 2019



More Information

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Any questions?