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Animal Fact Sheet

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Frilled Dragon

Chlamydosaurus kingii

The frilled dragon, also known as the frill-necked lizard, is a distinctive Australian reptile renowned for the large frill of skin around its neck, which it can fan out as a defensive display. This …

Quick facts

Classification: Reptile
Family: Agamidae
Habitat: Tropical and subtropical forests and woodlands
Diet: Carnivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 10-15 years
Weight: 0.5-1 kg
Scientific name: Chlamydosaurus kingii

Did you know?

- Despite their fierce display, frilled dragons are harmless to humans and will almost always choose to flee rather than fight.
- The frilled dragon's iconic neck frill is supported by long cartilage spines and is brightly colored on the inside. When not threatened, the frill li…

What I learned

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