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Reading list with suggested and essential text for the course. There are also a number of online resources to use.



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Handbook for Phase 1 habitat survey - a technique for environmental audit. http://jncc.defra.gov.uk/page-2468.

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