

Who's Who? Gecko or Skink?

Have a go at guessing if the images below are a gecko or a skink?
Be a scientist and try researching the answers that you are not sure about.
While you are researching write down what area of NZ they can be found?

Can you work out who is who?

- Waiharakeke Skink - Marlborough Green Gecko - Plague Skink - Marlborough Mini Gecko -



Waiharakeke Grass Skink
Found in Marlborough and North-eastern parts of the South Island.

Marlborough Mini Gecko
Found in non-forested regions of Marlborough, north-east Nelson, and northern Canterbury. A population is also present on the western coastline of Wellington.



Marlborough Green Gecko
Restricted to the northern Marlborough region, bounded to the east by the Wairau River. Occurs on a large number of islands throughout the Marlborough Sounds.

Plague Skink
Native to Australia but sadly now found in many regions of NZ.
Auckland, Whanganui, Palmerston North, Foxton Beach and Marlborough.

