

GRASSES OF DUNBLANE ESTATE

Scientific Name	English Names	Afrikaans Name	Months Seen	Habitat	Where to look on the Estate	Tick
<i>Andropogon eucomis</i>	Snowflake Grass	Kleinwitbaardgras		Disturbed soils, moist	Nursery area	
<i>Apochaete hispida</i>	Hairy Trident Grass	Harige-drieblomgras		Grasslands	Top of the Estate	
<i>Aristida congesta congesta</i>	Tassel Three-awn	Eenjarige Steekgras		Disturbed soils	Donkey Pass Road	
<i>Aristida junciformis</i>	Ngongoni Three-awn	Ngongoni Steekgras		Shallow soils	Along Ngogo River top of Estate	
<i>Cymbopogon excavatus</i>	Broad-leaved Turpentine Grass	Breeblaarterpentyngras		Stony, sandy soils	Below and above Site Office	
<i>Cynodon dactylon</i>	Couch Grass	Kweek		Any soil type	Top of the Estate; Golf Course	
<i>Digitaria eriantha</i>	Finger Grass	Vingergras		Moist Grassland	Top of the Estate; Nursery area	
<i>Elionurus muticus</i>	Wire Grass	Koperdraad		Grassland	Top of the Estate	
<i>Eragrostis capensis</i>	Heart-seed Love Grass	Hartjiesgras		Grassland	Top of the Estate	
<i>Eragrostis curvula</i>	Weeping Love Grass	Oulandsgras		Disturbed areas	Behind Site Office and workshops	
<i>Eragrostis plana</i>	Tough Love Grass	Taaipol-eragrostis		Disturbed soils	Donkey Pass Road	
<i>Eragrostis racemosa</i>	Narrow Heart Love Grass	Smalhartjiesgras		Grasslands	Top of the Estate	
<i>Eragrostis superba</i>	Sawtooth Love Grass	Weeluisgras		Disturbed areas	Donkeys Pass Road	
<i>Harpechloa falx</i>	Caterpillar Grass	Ruspergras		Moist stony slopes	Top of the Estate	
<i>Heteropogon contortus</i>	Spear Grass	Assegaaigras		Grassland	Socks! Top of the Estate	
<i>Hyparrhenia hirta</i>	Common Thatching Grass	Dekgras		Grassland	Below Site Office	
<i>Imperata cylindrica</i>	Cottonwool Grass	Donsgras		Damp soils	Nursery area	
<i>Loudetia simplex</i>	Common Russet Grass	Stingelgras		Grassland	Top of the Estate	
<i>Melinis repens</i>	Natal Red Top	Natal-rooipluim		Disturbed areas	Donkeys Pass Road	
<i>Microchloa caffra</i>	Pincushion Grass	Elsgras		Shallow soils	Top of the Estate	
<i>Monocymbium ceresiiforme</i>	Boat Grass	Bootjiegas		Grassland	Very common at the Top of the Estate	
<i>Panicum natalense</i>	Natal Panicum	Suurbuffelsgras		Grassland	Top of the Estate	
<i>Paspalum distichum</i>	Couch Paspalum	Kweekpaspalum		Rivers, pans, vleis	Wetlands at the top of the Estate	
<i>Paspalum dilatatum</i>	Common Paspalum	Gewone Paspalum		Moist Grasslands	Wetlands at the top of the Estate	
<i>Pennisetum clandestinum</i>	Kikuyu	Kikoejoe		Cultivated	Golf Course; any cattle feeding area	
<i>Perotis patens</i>	Cat's Tail	Katstertgras		Disturbed areas	Donkey Pass Road	
<i>Setaria nigrirostris</i>	Black-seed Bristle Grass	Swartsaadmannagras		Grassland	Top of the Estate	
<i>Sporobolus africanus</i>	Ratstail Dropseed	Taaipol		Disturbed areas	Donkey Pass Road	
<i>Themeda triandra</i>	Red Grass	Rooigras		All veld types	Grasslands below the Site Office	
<i>Trachypogon spicatus</i>	Giant Spear Grass	Bokbaardgras		Grassland	Socks! Top of the Estate	
	Any additional species please notify Tony Roberts at e-mail address: tony@bushbaby.co.za					