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## Catching the Wandering Eel Fishery Biologist

Job Description: Traveling to the locations of the studies to be conducted, a fishery biologist collects and analyzes specimens, performs tests on water quality, and views and records fish habitats and populations. This also involves the study of land and water environments to research and record how environmental changes affect fish.

A fishery biologist often writes public reports and research information, so strong technical writing skills are required.

As a group we decided:

The Estuary we are studying \_\_\_\_\_

We are going to be fishing for \_\_\_\_\_

Your job is to research the following information and share it with your group.

1. What is the fishing season for your fish?
2. How many permits are allowed each year?
3. Are there limits to the amount caught/license?
4. What are the water quality parameters necessary for a healthy eel population?
5. How many fish were caught over the past 3 years in the state?