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Catching the Wandering Eel
Land Trustee

Job Description: A river trustee monitors the health of a river and what human impacts occur along the banks. As the river trustee for the group, you will report the number of dams, cities, and industries along the river your group selects to fish.

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. Obtain a map of your state and locate the rivers along the coast.
2. Note the cities and towns along each river.
3. Using the internet, research the industries along each river—do any of these have the potential to cause water pollution? If so, note the type of pollution and whether the pollution is seasonal or occurs randomly.
4. Research the dams along each river—do any provide ladders for fish to use?
5. Present your findings to your group.