



**DEADLINE AUGUST 12, 2016**

**FISH FRIEND CLUB APPLICATION  
Mobile Education Outreach**

Lead Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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School/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_ Title I School:  Yes  No

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Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_

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School/Org. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Lead Teacher Home/Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

How many students are in each grade level at your school?

Grade Level	Pre-K	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
# of Students							

**Lead Teacher and Principal must agree to these expectations:**

Please read below and sign here: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

As the Lead Teacher, I will act as my school's Fish Friend Club Advisor. As the Advisor, I will:

- Provide opportunities for all students in my school to participate in the Fish Friend Club to help remove litter from the schoolyard. This will not be a punishment, but a nurturing, learning opportunity to expand the entire school community's understanding of how litter affects our natural surroundings and ourselves, and what we can do to fix the problem. I will do my best to make the experience fun, cooperative, and engaging.
- Act as liaison between my school and the East Bay Regional Park District's Mobile Education Outreach staff to:
  - Attend two Fish Friend Club Advisor's meetings- First in mid-September, 2016, second in early January 2017.
  - Coordinate a Mobile Fish Exhibit assembly day in the fall of 2016 for all students at my school.
  - Orchestrate, encourage, and document student-led litter removal from the schoolyard on a regular basis.
  - Manage the use and care of litter collection tools provided to our Fish Friend Club by the Regional Parks Foundation. My school can keep these materials for as many years as our Fish Friend Club chapter remains active. I will give the materials to future Fish Friend Clubs/Advisors if I quit after this year.
  - Provide one standards-based lesson plan associated with the Fish Friend Club's activities/data which will be shared with other teachers, schools, and Fish Friend Clubs.
  - Lead and orchestrate a Naturalist-guided field trip in spring, 2017 with 40-50 students who have actively participated in schoolyard cleanups, paid by the Regional Parks Foundation.
  - Document and share the efforts of my Fish Friend Club in social media, print media, and school/parent newsletters, providing copies to the Regional Parks Foundation and EBRPD.
  - Do everything reasonable to encourage the teachers and administrators of my school to support the Fish Friend Club at their greatest possible capacity.