Trout in the Classroom
Volunteer Levels

(You don’t have to know everything about trout to help students appreciate conservation.)

Level I:

1. Plan to visit some schools with experienced RRTU TIC volunteers to become familiar with the nuts and bolts of trout tank care.
2. Try to go on at least 1 field trip to release trout in April or May.

Level II:

1. Be familiar with the TIC Manual on the monitoring and care of the trout tank.
2. Assist in the setup and preparation of the water for trout eggs in August.
3. Assist in the take-down of tanks at the end of the school year in April and May.
4. Back up Level III TIC volunteers for trouble-shooting during the school year.

Level III:

1. Become the primary mentor/ liaison for at least one school.
2. Help train teachers and students to care for the tank and the trout.
3. Visit the school periodically to ensure the system is working well.
4. Go on the field trip to release the trout.

Now that you know, just do it!

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