



CLYDE RIVER FOUNDATION

Education Programme 2001-2017



'Clyde in the Classroom' delivered to five schools in Glasgow. Children raise brown trout from eggs to fry before releasing them into their local river. The project has run annually from 2001-2017 with funding from a large number of supporters.



First **'Meet Your River'** delivered on the Douglas Water for six Primary Schools. Children learn about the biodiversity of their local river, how to sample and identify invertebrates and how to measure river health.



'Carron in the Classroom' (2008, 2009, 2011) A 'Clyde in the Classroom' for the River Carron in the Forth catchment.

'Kids and the Kelvin' combined elements of Clyde in the Classroom and Meet Your River - 357 pupils from 14 schools in the Kelvin Valley LEADER area participated.



'Trout 'n' Trees' introduced pupils from 16 Primary Schools in the upper Kelvin Valley to the ecology and health of their local rivers in collaboration with the Central Scotland Green Network Trust. The project was inspired by the work of biologist Kenneth Radway Allen (1911-2008).



'Write a story in 60 minutes' a partnership between Clyde River Foundation and children's author Mike Nicholson to deliver Scottish Book Trust **'Living Literature'** sessions to 3 Primary School classes.



'Greener Greenock' introduced four schools to the Carts Burn in Greenock. Pupils learned about local biodiversity and took an active part in improving their local environment. Supported by the ScotRail Foundation and the Craignish Trust.



'Scotland to Sargasso' European eel project trialled - Chryston and St Dominic's Primary Schools are the first schools in Scotland to raise European eels in the classroom.



'Fish in Schools' Raising trout to encourage children to engage with nature and develop a positive attitude towards their local environment and its conservation. Supported by the Greggs Foundation.

'Rediscovering the Douglas Water' Pupils from Primary 1-7 at three primary schools carried out projects investigating the Douglas Water. Supported by the Hagshaw Hill Windfarm Trust.



'Clyde in the Classroom' successfully delivered in a Secondary School for pupils with additional support needs. First of ten years of funding from Scottish Natural Heritage.

'Clyde in the Classroom' delivered across all eight local authorities within the River Clyde catchment - 1191 pupils from 45 schools.

'Fish go to school' (2006-2010) A 'Clyde in the Classroom' for all 19 Clackmannanshire Primary Schools which gained national recognition from the Scottish Government.

'Meet the Mouse' - a 'Meet Your River' for the Mouse Water with schools from Carstairs, Braehead and Forth.



'Clyde in the Classroom' in 20 schools across five local authority areas; Glasgow, Renfrewshire, East Renfrewshire, North Lanarkshire and West Dunbartonshire.

Project partnership with Glasgow Science Centre begins.



'Trout at Transition' (2013-2017) An interdisciplinary collaboration between the Clyde River Foundation, artist Holly Keasey and Biggar High School learning community. This transition project began in Primary 7 and continued in S1/S2.

'Flying Fish' took pupils from ten primary schools in the Clydebank High School catchment area to the Duntocher Burn to learn about the river and its wildlife. Supported by Glasgow Airport Flightpath Fund and West Dunbartonshire Council.



'Clyde in the Classroom' welcomes its 20,000th participant.

A partnership with Leadhills Primary School and local artist Fiona Foley results in a community event called **'Guddle the Glengonnar'**.

'Healthy Rivers, Healthy Communities' A river adoption project with a whole school-community approach involving four Clyde and one Ayrshire school. In partnership with Ayrshire Rivers Trust with support from the Greggs Foundation, Keep Scotland Beautiful and RAFTS.



'Flying Fish 3' continued the Flying Fish project with pupils from twelve primary schools in the Drumchapel High School and Bearsden academy catchment area. Supported by Glasgow Airport Flightpath Fund, the Greggs Foundation, The Crown Estate, The Hugh Fraser Foundation and the River Kelvin Angling Association.

'Clyde in the Classroom' welcomes its 25,000th participant.

'Scotland to Sargasso 2' project allowed pupils from 4 schools to raise European eels in the classroom.

