**COSEE Hands-On Activities**

**USA Science & Engineering Festival**

**Grouping: Biological Oceanography**

**Lesson/Activity:** Fashion a Fish

<http://www.projectwild.org/ProjectWILDK-12AquaticCurriculumandActivityGuide.htm>

**Materials**

* Copy of adaptations table
* Copies of adaptation cards
* Paper
* Crayons, pencils, markers

**Instructions**

1. Divide the adaption cards into five groups of four cards each, one each of coloration, mouth type, body shape and reproduction and give a set to each student or student group.

2. Ask the student to “fashion a fish” from the characteristics of the cards in the set they receive. Each student or group of students should:

* Create an artform that represents their fish
* Name the fish
* Describe and draw the habitat for their fish