

stream  
morphology

The form and shape of  
the river.

habitat

A place with food water  
and shelter for an animal.

anadromous  
fish

A fish that lives part of its  
life in the ocean and then  
migrates to fresh water to  
spawn.

redd

Salmon eggs in a nest.

smolt

The stage in a salmon's life  
cycle when they prepare to  
live in the ocean.

meander

A river's winding and turning curves through the land.

spawn

When the female salmon lays her eggs and the male salmon fertilizes them.

alevin

A newly spawned salmon still carrying the yolk-sac.

fry

Small salmon that no longer have their yolk-sac and live in the fresh water.

