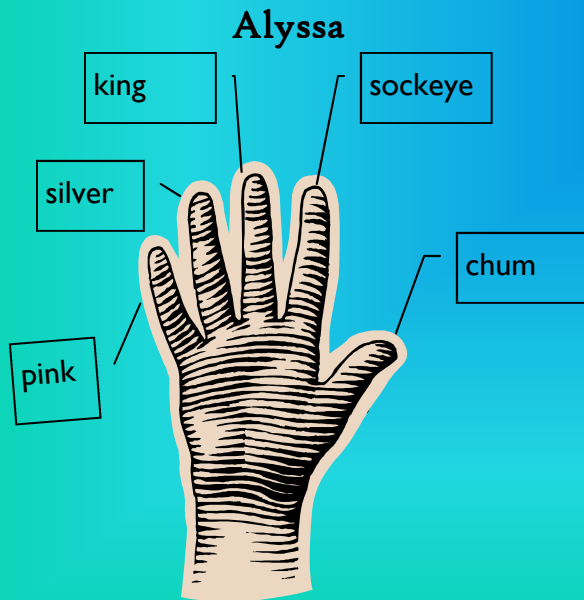
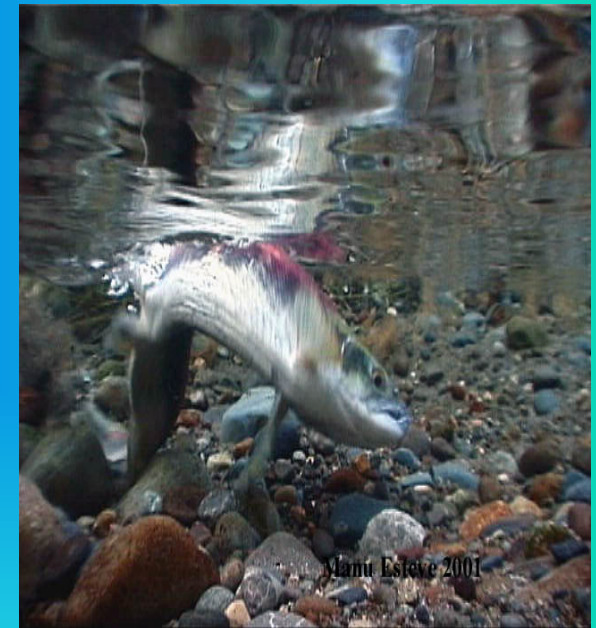


# The Five Species of Salmon

The five species of salmon are Chum salmon, Sockeye salmon, King salmon, Silver salmon and Pink salmon. An easy way to remember the five species of salmon is with your hand. Chum rhymes with thumb. With your index finger you point to your eye so that's Sockeye Salmon. Your middle finger is the biggest finger and so is the King salmon. For your ring finger you can wear Silver to remind you of Silver Salmon. And your pinky stands for Pink salmon.



# Sockeye Salmon



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# salmon lifecycle

## Sockeye Salmon

### Lifecycle Geography

### Salmon Facts

**Sockeye Salmon get an instinct to go to the ocean and they are called ocean phase adults.**

**A few years later they come back to the stream to lay eggs. They are called spawning adults.**

**The female digs redd at home stream. They lay eggs over period of days. The male fertilizes the eggs.**

**When Sockeye are one inch long they are called Parr for their stripes.**

**When the eggs hatch they have an egg sac attached with food. They are called Alevin.**

.....Local Sockeye salmon eggs hatch in North Creek then swim to Lake WA. They eat and grow there. Their instinct is to go to the Pacific Ocean. They go through the Ballard Locks, into Puget Sound, then to the Pacific and go north to Alaska or south to California. Then back to North Creek to spawn.

- **Sockeye salmon build nests called redds**
- **Sockeye live about 4-5 years**
- **Unlike other salmon sockeyes spend part of their lives in a lake**
- **Sockeye are 18 to 30 inches in length when they spawn**
- **Sockeye in Snohomish County are primarily found in streams located in the south part of the district.**
- **More than 400,000 Sockeye came through the Ballard locks this past year. The year before that only 179,000 traveled through.**

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