

A scenic photograph of a river flowing through a forest. The water is a murky, brownish-green color. On the left bank, there are several bare, thin trees and some green shrubs. In the middle of the river, a person wearing a hat and waders is standing, holding a fishing rod. The background is filled with tall evergreen trees and deciduous trees with yellow and orange autumn foliage. The sky is a clear, pale blue.

A Trout's Diet...

What trout eat

Alevin

A close-up photograph of a small, translucent fish, likely a minnow, resting on a bed of smooth, light-colored stones. The fish has a large, reddish-orange yolk sac attached to its belly. Three pinkish-red, oval-shaped eggs are visible in the foreground, resting on the stones. The background is filled with more stones of various shades of brown, tan, and grey.

What do Rainbow Trout Eat?

A Fry's Diet



Zooplankton and Phytoplankton
(small aquatic animals and plants)

An Adult's Diet



Insects
(aquatic & terrestrial)

mollusks
(snails & clams)

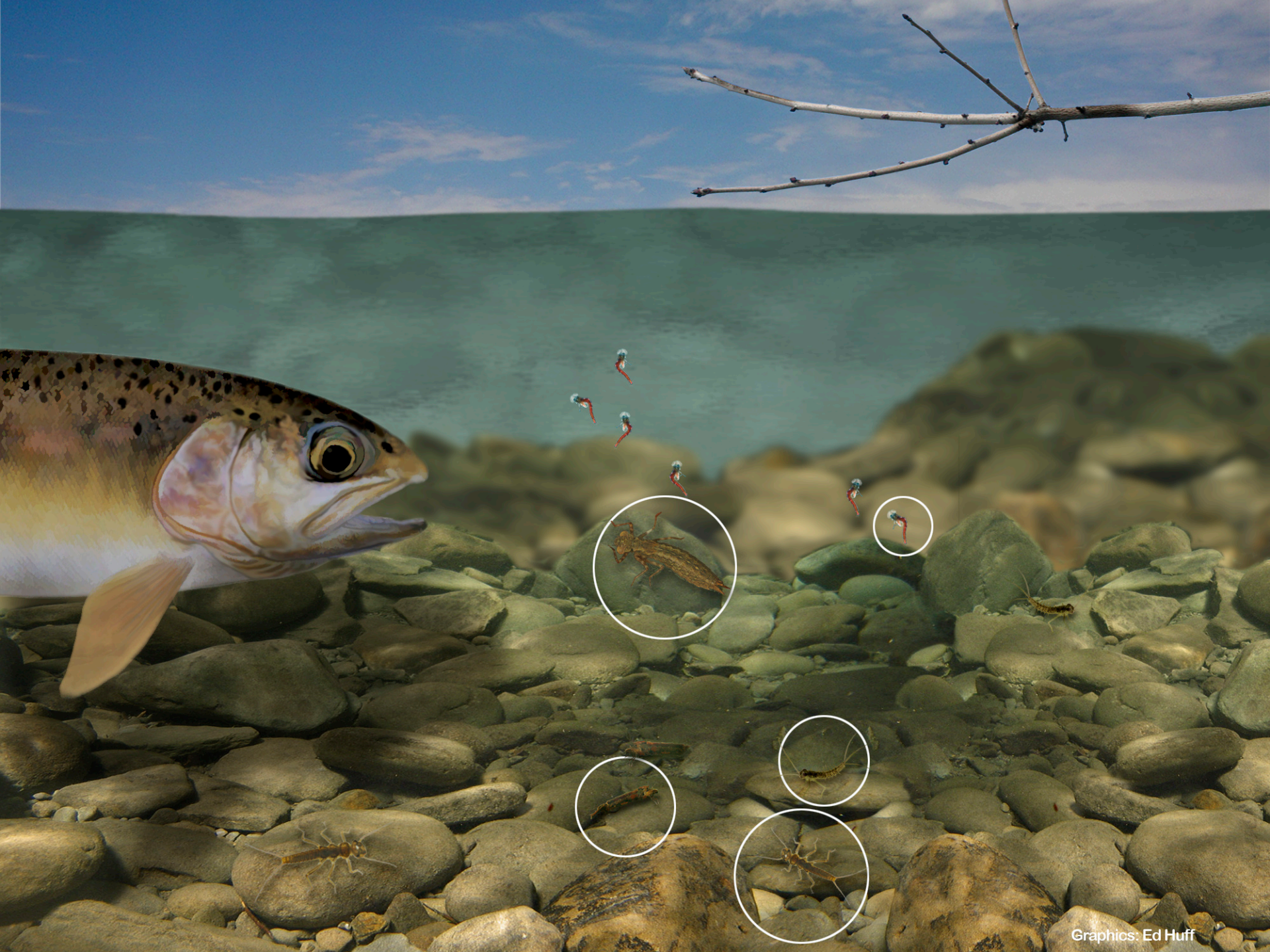
crustaceans
(crayfish & scuds)

small fish
(including trout)

Aquatic Insects

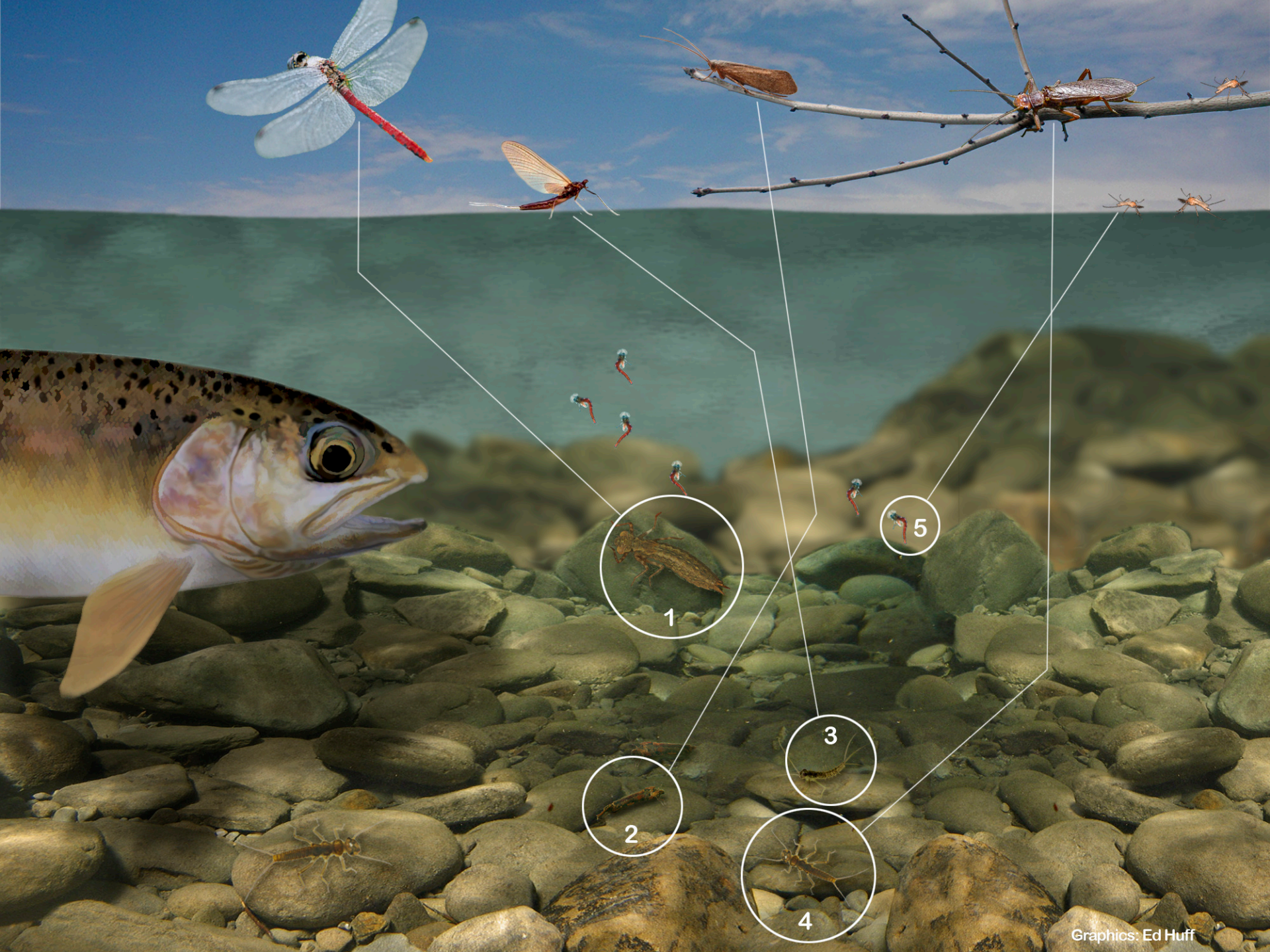
Larval stage

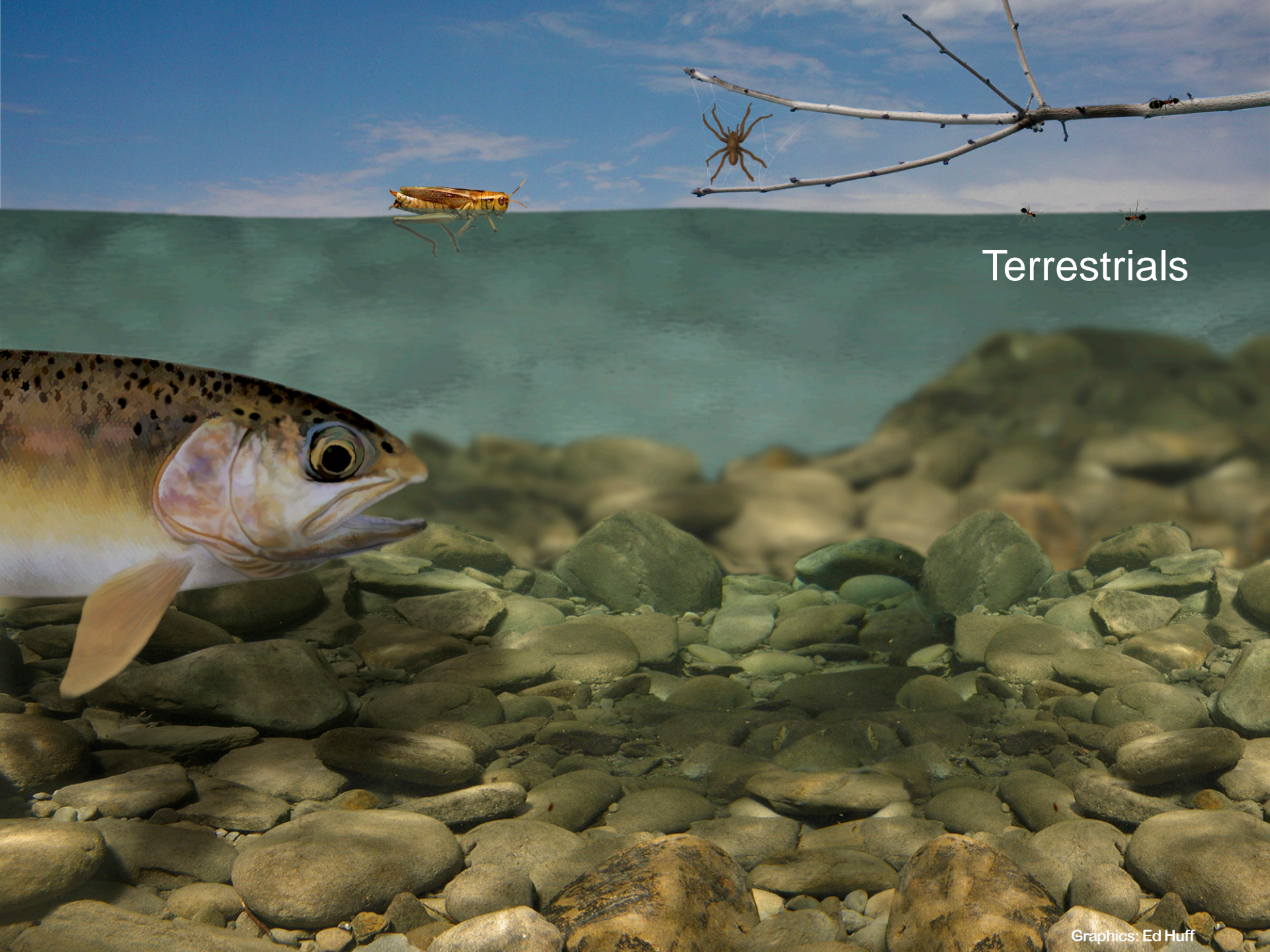






Adult Stage





Terrestrials

Mollusks





Crustaceans





Fish and Amphibians







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Trout in the Classroom

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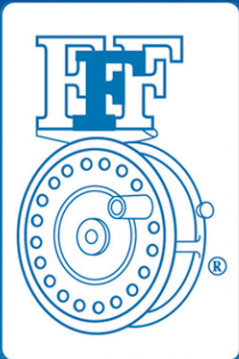


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