

## **New E-cards Make it Easier for Classroom Kids to Become Great Lakes Stewards**

New fishing licenses are available!! Many of you have looked into ways to purchase licenses for your classroom kids to show them how they can be stewards by purchasing a fishing license. For them, it is a volunteer license which is \$2 (per year), and they need a \$1 sportcard (one time purchase, keep this for years). This is a way to teach them about what license money is used for in our state. With every license purchased the DNR will get not only the money \$3, (more for the adult license) but also will receive more than \$9 from the Federal government through the **Dingell-Johnson Act**, also called the **Federal Aid in Sport Fish Restoration Act**. I thought this link was fairly educational:

[http://www.google.com/archivesearch?client=firefox-a&rls=org.mozilla:en-GB:official&channel=s&hl=en&q=dingell+johnson+act&um=1&ie=UTF-8&scoring=t&ei=C\\_qrSaKSPIXGMo3joJcD&sa=X&oi=timeline\\_result&resnum=11&ct=title](http://www.google.com/archivesearch?client=firefox-a&rls=org.mozilla:en-GB:official&channel=s&hl=en&q=dingell+johnson+act&um=1&ie=UTF-8&scoring=t&ei=C_qrSaKSPIXGMo3joJcD&sa=X&oi=timeline_result&resnum=11&ct=title)

Anyway, the DNR has made buying licenses in your classroom a bit easier because they are offering E-Cards. These will be able to be used at your computer in your classroom to teach the kids how to buy an on-line license, (our future buyers should know how to do this life skill).

Here is the link to the e-license section <http://www.mdnr-elicense.com/welcome.asp> Since this is so new, there is not a link directly to the e-card, so you have to act as if you were going to buy a license and look for these codes:

**220** Miscellaneous 15 Dollar GiftCertificate  
**221** Miscellaneous 30 Dollar GiftCertificate  
**222** Miscellaneous 50 Dollar GiftCertificate

### **Making Great Lakes Stewards of Michigan Classroom Kids:**

**\$3.00 (theirs) + \$9.36'ish (Fed.DJ Dollars) = 12.36'ish for our Michigan DNR**

It's for the kids.

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