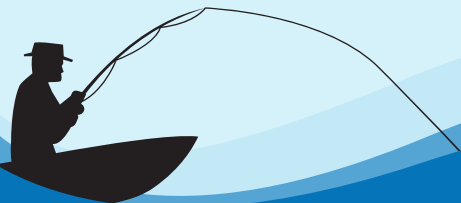


FISHING IN THE DISTRICT



REQUIREMENTS

Any person, age 16 to 64, fishing in District of Columbia waters, including from the Virginia shoreline or National Park land, must possess a current DC Fishing License.

QUICK FACTS

How much does it cost?

- DC Resident (annual): \$10.00
- Non-resident (annual): \$13.00
- 14-day (temporary): \$6.50

Where can I buy one?

To purchase a license online visit:
doee.dc.gov/service/fishdc

COMMUNITY

To share your recreational experience or to report a violation:

- Twitter: [@DOEE_DC](https://twitter.com/DOEE_DC)
- Facebook: [@DOEE.DC](https://www.facebook.com/DOEE.DC)
- Instagram: [@DOEE_DC](https://www.instagram.com/DOEE_DC)
- Email:
fishandwildlife.photos@dc.gov

RESTRICTIONS

- Striped Bass (Rockfish) season is from May 16 through December 31.
Size and possession limits apply.
- Cast and seine nets; snagging of any kind; and the possession of shad and herring species is prohibited.

PENALTIES

Violating fishing license regulations is a misdemeanor and carries the following fines:

- First offense: \$100
- Second offense: \$150
- Third and subsequent offenses: \$200

NOTE:

A **consumption advisory** is in effect for all District waters.

Do not eat eel, carp, or striped bass.

For the complete guide to fishing in DC visit:
doee.dc.gov/service/fishdc.

Catch & release is encouraged for all species.