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# **Does Fly Fishing Impact on the Environment?**

Fly fishing is a very rewarding activity especially when one catches a big fish. The sight of it caught in a hook brings the fisher a sense of pride and accomplishment. Although, this activity can also have a serious impact on the environment too if unregulated and done irresponsibly.

Here are a few things that individuals can do to prevent fly fishing from creating adverse effects on the environment :

Only catch fish during the fishing season. Doing so would ensure that the species of fish will continue to thrive for generations to come.

Follow the rules and regulations set by the local government. They are there for a reason and its for the protection from the local wildlife including the fish.

Catch only the number of fish that the person intends to eat and return the others to the water. The age from the fish must also be taken into consideration here. Young fish must be given the chance to grow.

Fishers must bring their garbage with them until they return to their homes. No trash must be left behind on the waters and within the surrounding areas.

Keeping the environment clean must not only be the responsibility of environmental activists but also by those individuals who find joy within the sport of fly fishing. Otherwise, there is a risk that there would be little fish left for the next generation to catch, if at all.

Saving the environment is a far a lot more rewarding experience than merely catching fish and doing whatever one wants to do with them.

Probably the best way for [fly fishing](#) novices and experienced fly fishermen to improve their technique is through [fly fishing books](#). There is a very large selection of books available online which teach great fly fishing technique along with other skills such as those found within [fly tying books](#).

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