

Canada Fishing Lodge Trip Planner 2026

Use this worksheet before sending deposits, booking flights, choosing dates, or comparing lodge packages.

Shortlist

- Province or region: _____
- Main species: _____
- Lodge style: drive-in / fly-in / all-inclusive / outpost / family / luxury
- Trip length: 3 nights / 5 nights / 7 nights / other

Access and Season

- Access: road / floatplane / boat shuttle / mixed
- Travel buffer needed: yes / no
- Best season confirmed for target fish
- Weather and cancellation policy checked

Lodge Fit

- Guide included?
- Boat and fuel included?
- Meals included?
- Fish cleaning/freezing/transport included?
- Non-anglers supported?

Rules, Safety and Packing Checks

A good lodge trip still needs licence, safety, and gear checks before arrival.

Licence and Rules

- Province licence checked
- Non-resident category checked
- Limits, slots, bait, barbs, live bait, and possession rules reviewed
- Park or special-water permit checked

Boat and PFD

- PFD/lifejacket fit confirmed
- Boat safety plan understood
- Cold water and weather risk discussed
- Emergency contact and satellite/remote communication expectations checked

Packing

- Rain gear and layers
- Medication and personal documents
- Tackle and rod limits
- Weight limits for floatplane trips
- Bug protection and sun protection

CanadaFever.com - Verify current official rules and lodge terms before booking or travelling.

Budget, Booking Questions and Trip Review

The advertised price is only part of the real trip cost.

Budget

- Package price: _____
- Travel cost: _____
- Licence/permit cost: _____
- Guide/fuel/boat extras: _____
- Tips, tax, gear, and insurance: _____

Booking Questions

- What is included and excluded?
- What happens if weather delays travel?
- What fish are realistic for the dates?
- What skill level is expected?
- What cancellation terms apply?

Trip Review

- Best bite window: _____
- Guide/lodge notes: _____
- What to pack differently next time: _____
- Would you return? yes / no / only in another season