

Sport fishing in Québec

Fishing periods, limits and exceptions

(April 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025)

- To know the general rules for one fishing zone, consult the Fishing zones page.
- To know the changes that occur during the season, consult our News page.
- IMPORTANT: catch limits and fishing periods that apply in wildlife territories may differ from those mentioned here. In these cases, you will be informed on the spot.

Rules for the zone

Zone 9

Period	Species	Catch limit	Length limit	Engine	Note
April 1st, 2024 to April 25th, 2024	Rainbow smelt	120		Fishing with dip nets and / or plaice fishing only.	
April 1st, 2024 to March 31st, 2025	Striped bass	Fishing prohibited			
April 26th, 2024 to May 31st, 2024	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing, spear fishing while swimming, landing net fishing and plaice fishing	
April 26th, 2024 to September 15th, 2024	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all with at most 2 arctic char			
	Cutthroat trout and brown trout	5 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
	Rainbow trout	10 in all			
April 26th, 2024 to November 30th, 2024	Black crappie	30			
	Yellow perch	50			
	Other species	no limit			
May 17th, 2024 to November 30th, 2024	Pike	6 in all			
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.

June 1st, 2024 to November 30th, 2024	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing and spear fishing while swimming	
June 15th, 2024 to October 31st, 2024	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only	
June 15th, 2024 to November 30th, 2024	Bass	6 in all			
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	

Water bodies – Exceptions

Brook unnamed - between lac Sainte-Marie and lac Théodore (45°57'29" N., 74°16'31" W.).

June 14th, 2024 to September 15th, 2024	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	same as the zone			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
June 14th, 2024 to November 30th	Other species	same as the zone			

Brook unnamed - between lac Saint-Joseph and lac Sainte-Marie (45°58'13" N., 74°19'02" W.).

June 14th, 2024 to September 15th, 2024	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	same as the zone			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
June 14th, 2024 to November 30th	Other species	same as the zone			

Lake Archambault - including its tributaries and bays. (Saint-Donat)(46°18'20" N., 74°14'51" W.).

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2024 to March 31st, 2025	Rainbow smelt	Fishing prohibited			

August 1st, 2024 to August 31st, 2024	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
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Lake Blanc - (46°19'54" N., 74°12'57" W.)

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2024 to March 31st, 2025	Lake trout and splake trout	Fishing prohibited			

Lake des Cerfs (46°10'02" N., 73°53'03" W.)

Same as the zone	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Other species	same as the zone			
March 1st, 2025 to March 2nd, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	5 in all			
	Other species	same as the zone			

Lake des Cygnes (46°10'07" N., 73°53'14" W.)

Same as the zone	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Other species	same as the zone			
March 1st, 2025 to March 2nd, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	5 in all			
	Other species	same as the zone			

Lake des Îles - (46°06'06" N., 74°01'57" W.)

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
April 26th, 2024 to September 15th, 2024	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.

Lake des Sables - (Sainte-Agathe-des-Monts)(46°02'37" N., 74°18'10" W.)

Same as the zone	Bass	same as the zone			
	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	same as the zone			

Same as the zone	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all			A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Landlocked salmon	3			
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	same as the zone		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Pike	same as the zone			A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Walleye and sauger	same as the zone		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Other species	same as the zone			
February 1st, 2025 to February 2nd, 2025	Bass	same as the zone			
	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	same as the zone		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Pike	same as the zone			A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Walleye and sauger	Same as the zone		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Other species	same as the zone			

Lake Écho - (Saint-Hippolyte) (45°53'15" N., 74°01'23" W.)

April 26th, 2024 to September 15th, 2024	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	same as the zone			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	

April 26th, 2024 to September 15th, 2024	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
April 26th, 2024 to March 31st, 2025	Other species	same as the zone			
May 17th, 2024 to March 31st, 2025	Pike	6 in all			
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
June 15th, 2024 to March 31st, 2025	Bass	6 in all			
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2		Angling only	

Lake Hersey - (46°04'32" N., 73°57'33" W.)

Same as the zone	Other species	Same as zone			
April 26th, 2024 to September 15th, 2024	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	same as the zone		Angling only	
February 22nd, 2025 to February 23rd, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	Same as zone		Angling only	
March 1st, 2025 to March 1st, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	same as the zone		Angling only	

Lake Louisa - (municipalité de Wentworth) (45°46'09" N., 74°25'08" W.)

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2024 to April 25th, 2024	Rainbow smelt	120		Fishing with dip nets and / or plaice fishing only.	
April 26th, 2024 to May 31st, 2024	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing, spear fishing while swimming, landing net fishing and plaice fishing	
April 26th, 2024 to September 15th, 2024	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
June 1st, 2024 to November 30th, 2024	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing and spear fishing while swimming	

Lake Manitou - (46°03'36" N., 74°22'30" W.)

Same as the zo	Other species	Same as zone			
April 26th, 2024 to September 1	Lake trout and splake trout	0 retained			

Lake Maskinongé - (Mont-Tremblant) (46°05'26" N., 74°35'54" W.)

April 26th, 2024 to September 15th, 2024	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	same as the zone			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
April 26th, 2024 to March 31st, 2025	Other species	same as the zone			
May 17th, 2024 to March 31st, 2025	Pike	6 in all			
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
June 15th, 2024 to March 31st, 2025	Bass	6 in all			
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2		Angling only	

Lake Morgan - (Chertsey) (46°08'17" N., 73°45'55" W.)

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
May 17th, 2024 to November 30th, 2024	Walleye and sauger	6 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
January 15th, 2025 to March 18th, 2025	Other species	same as the zone			

Lake Narcisse - (46°01'16" N., 74°32'22" W.)

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
April 26th, 2024 to November 30th, 2024	Bass	6 in all			

Lake Ouareau - (Saint-Donat)(46°17'03" N., 74°08'35" W.)

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
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April 1st, 2024 to April 25th, 2024	Rainbow smelt	120		Fishing with dip nets and / or plaice fishing only.	
April 1st, 2024 to March 31st, 2025	Lake trout and splake trout	Fishing prohibited			
April 26th, 2024 to May 31st, 2024	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing, spear fishing while swimming, landing net fishing and plaice fishing	
June 1st, 2024 to November 30th, 2024	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing and spear fishing while swimming	

Lake Pierre - (Saint-Alphonse-Rodriguez) (46°11'45" N., 73°41'01" W.)

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
April 26th, 2024 to September 15th, 2024	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
February 8th, 2025 to February 9th, 2	Other species	same as the zone			

Lake Raymond - (Val-Morin)(46°00'14" N., 74°09'38" W.)

May 17th, 2024 to November 30th, 2024	Other species	same as the area			
June 15th, 2024 to November 30th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	same as the zone		Angling only	
February 8th, 2025 to February 9th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	same as the zone		Angling only	
	Other species	same as the area			

Lake Sans nom (Chertsey) (46°08'17" N., 73°46'18" W.)

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
May 17th, 2024 to November 30th, 2024	Walleye and sauger	6 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.

January 15th, 2025 to March 18th, 2025	Other species	same as the zone			
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Lake Sans nom (Sourire) - (Chertsey) (46°08'17" N., 73°46'23" W.)

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
May 17th, 2024 to November 30th, 2024	Walleye and sauger	6 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
January 15th, 2025 to March 18th, 2025	Other species	same as the zone			

Lake Tire - (Sant-Donat) (46°20'18" N., 74°14'08" W.)

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2024 to March 31st, 2025	Rainbow smelt	Fishing prohibited			
August 1st, 2024 to August 31st, 2024	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.

Lake Vert - (Saint-Alphonse-Rodriguez) (46°11'03" N., 73°43'07" W.)

Same as the zone	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
	Other species	same as the zone			
February 15th, 2025 to February 16th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	same as the zone			

River Doncaster - - That part of Doncaster River Park between 45°58'48.5" N, 74°04'29.8" W and 45°58'0.7" N, 74°05'58.42" W.

Same as the zone	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	5 in all with at most 2 arctic char			
	Lake trout and splake trout	same as the zone		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
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River du Nord - - The area between the Highway 15 bridge (45°45'41" N., 74°00'7.96" W.) and the Rolland Dam (45°45'11" N., 74°00'55.96" W.)

May 17th, 2024 to September 15th, 2024	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	same as the zone			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
May 17th, 2024 to November 30th, 2024	Pike	6 in all			
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all		Angling only	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.
	Other species	no limit			
June 15th, 2024 to October 31st, 2024	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only	
June 15th, 2024 to November 30th, 2024	Bass	6 in all			
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2		Angling only	

River Ouareau - between lakes Blanc and Ouareau (46°18'54" N., 74°11'20" W.).

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2024 to March 31st, 2025	Lake trout and splake trout	Fishing prohibited			

River Ouareau - between the Highway 125 Bridge and lac Blanc.

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2024 to March 31st, 2025	Lake trout and splake trout	Fishing prohibited			