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Week 5 - Fishing

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Word List

Voice: Male

1. Rod
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Welcome to today's short passage.

Short Passage

Voice: Male

Flathead catfish have a tooth pad consisting of hundreds of tiny, recurved teeth on the roof of their mouth. The pad helps them hold their prey securely, so it can't wiggle around and escape. So if you're inclined to stick your hand into a flathead's mouth to dislodge your hook, forget it. You might pull your hand out minus the skin.

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Long Passage

Voice: Female, Accent

Different types of fishing rods are available for different types of fishing.

Spinning rods are the most common type of fishing rods that are easily available in the market. They are used for both heavyweight and lightweight fishing and are commonly used for catching walleye, bass and trout. Spinning rods are strong and durable enough to withstand the pressure or stress exerted by the fish on the rod. Designed as an eggbeater reel they are useful for retrieving and casting baits and lures.

Jigging rods are generally seen on commercial boats as they can easily handle large baits and heavy lures. They are made of very strong and solid material as they need to tackle the changing currents of the ocean.

Surf rods are considered to be the longest among fishing rods, they are heavier than others. Surf rods are useful for catching big fish.



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Carbon fiber rods are hi-tech rods that are mainly used for coarse fishing. A variety of carbon fibers are used to manufacture them. Positioning of the bait in this type of fishing rod helps to catch big fish.

Fly fishing rods are generally used for catching fresh water fish like halibut, salmon and trout. They are mostly built of carbon graphite. There are four different types of fly fishing rods:

- Tenkara rods are a combination of other rods, having all the facilities of carbon fiber rods, fly rods, and telescopic rods. The length of these rods range from 11 to 13 feet. They are also very light, portable and easily available at almost every fishing tackle shop.
- Game fishing rods are mainly used in deeper saltwater for game fishing. They are designed in such a way that they can catch large fish like pelagic fish. They are quite thick and don't bend easily. In place of regular line guides, they have roller guides.
- Boat rods are considered to be a subclass of spinning rods. Boat rods are heavier and shorter than other rods and are mainly used in saltwater fishing.
- Trout fishing rods are lighter than bass fishing rods. Most of them are made of granite and sometimes fiberglass. The length of a trout fishing rod ranges from 7 to 10 feet.

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