

## 623 Outdoor Adventurer: Beginning Fishing Interview Questions

Use two or three of these or similar standard questions as *part* of the interview judging process.

1. What do fish gills do?  
*Take oxygen out of the water for the fish to breath. (page 15)*
2. Name a knot used in fishing.  
*Answers may vary, options from the book include improved clinch knot, Palomar knot, arbor knot, and double uni knot. (page 23)*
3. What does the term 'bag limit' mean?  
*Answers may vary, book's definition: in finishing, a law that limits how many and what kinds of fish you can keep. (page 44)*
4. Name an endangered Ohio fish.  
*Answers may vary, the book identifies Lake Sturgeon (page 41)*
5. Name four things you need to fish.  
*Rod, line, leader, hook, reel, bait, tackle box, sinkers, floaters and bobbers, and a fishing license. (page 20)*
6. What kinds of bait do you use? Why?  
*Worms, minnows, crayfish, grasshoppers, small insects, and artificial baits like plugs, spinning lures, spoons, and flies. Reasons for use may vary. (page 25)*
7. What are the game laws where you went fishing? Where do you get a fishing license?  
*Answers will vary.*
8. Name three types of fish found in Ohio  
*Sunfish, Catfish, Pikes, Perch, Carp, Trout (not naturally found), Suckers (pages 35-43)*
9. Identify the parts of a fish on the picture below.  
*Nostrils, eye, scales, lateral line, spiny dorsal fin, soft dorsal fin, upper jaw, lower jaw, gill cover, pectoral fin, pelvic fin, anal fin, caudal fin. (page 44)*

