

## What is GEO-CATCHING?



Geo-Catching is a Youth Fishing Passport activity for anglers under 16 that challenges them to catch one of 15 "featured fish" from one of 27 different fishing locations around Connecticut.

Take a photo of the "featured fish" with a landmark in the background (boat ramp sign or a regulation sign) and send it with your Conservation ID to DEEP Inland Fisheries, 79 Elm Street, Hartford, CT 06106

We will keep a record of who has caught which fishes and where they were caught.



An annual ceremony to recognize successful participants will take place each February beginning in 2014.

## What is the Youth Fishing Passport?

-Free for anglers under the age of 16.

-The passport program provides both fishing related activities

and rewards to those anglers who choose to participate.

- It is not a license and anyone under the age of 16 does not need the Youth Fishing Passport to fish.

-To get a **Youth Fishing Passport** you will need to get a CONSERVATION ID through the CT DEEP on-line sportsmen system at

[www.ct.gov/DEEP/sportsmenlicensing](http://www.ct.gov/DEEP/sportsmenlicensing)



# GEO-CATCHING ACTIVITY GUIDE



YOUTH FISHING PASSPORT  
Your ticket to great  
fishing destinations!

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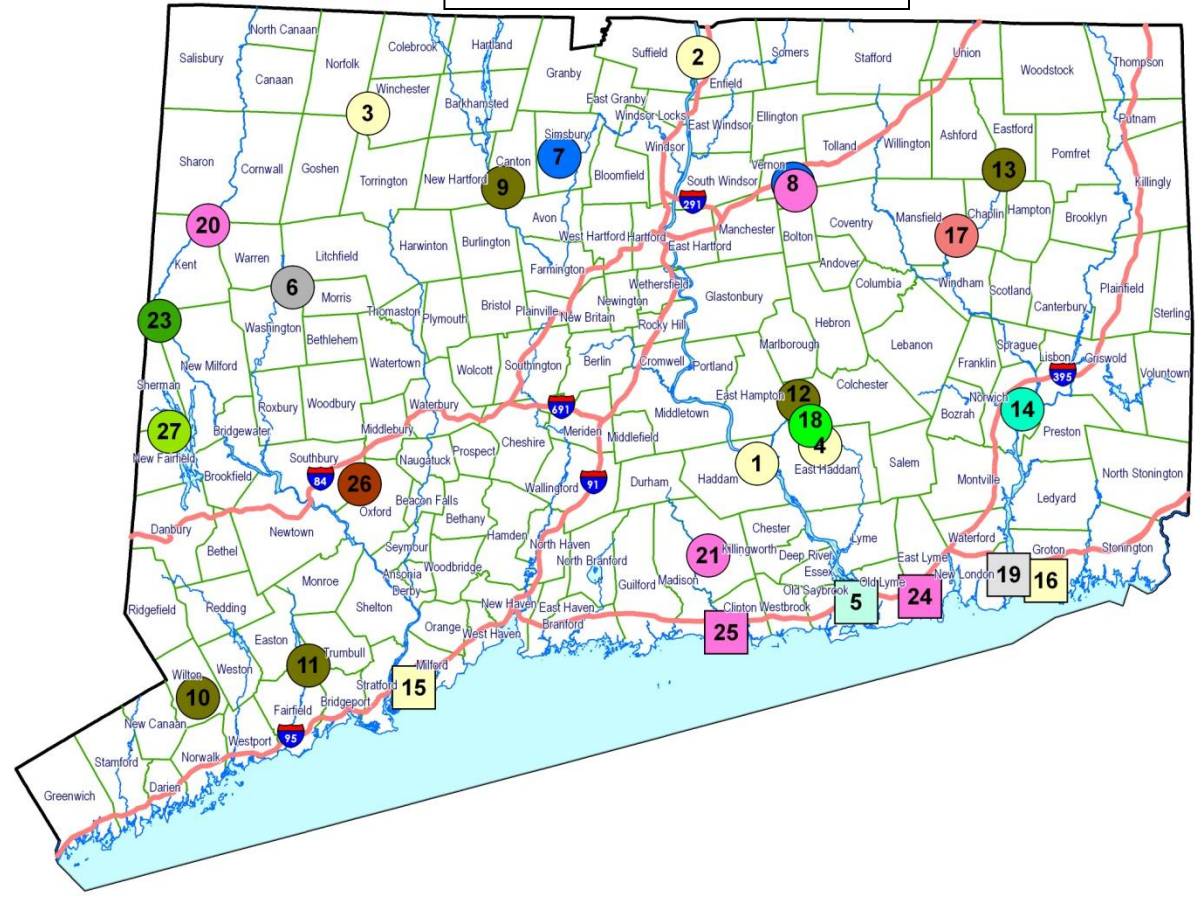
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**Official Geo-Catching Destinations**

**GEO-CATCHING**

**Featured Fish**

- Bass**
- Bluefish**
- Broodstock Atlantic Salmon**
- Brook Trout**
- Brown Trout**
- Catfish**
- Fluke**
- Northern Pike**
- Pickeral**
- Porgy**
- Rainbow Trout**
- Smallmouth Bass**
- Striped Bass**
- Sunfish**
- Walleye**



1	Connecticut River	Wethersfield to Haddam	13	Natchaug River	Eastford to Chaplin	25	Hammonasset S.P.	Madison
2	Connecticut River	Enfield to Hartford	14	Spaulding Pond	Norwich	26	Southford Falls S.P.	Oxford
3	Lake Winchester	Winchester	15	Silver Sands S.P.	Milford	27	Squantz Pond S.P.	New Fairfield
4	Moodus Reservoir	East Haddam	16	Bluff Point S.P.	Groton			
5	Connecticut River	Old Lyme/Old Saybrook	17	Mansfield Hollow Dam	Mansfield			
6	Mount Tom Pond	Morris	18	Pickeral Lake	Colchester			
7	Stratton Brook Pond	Simsbury	19	Fort Trumbull S.P.	New London			
8	Tankerhoosen River	Vernon	20	Kent Falls Brook	Kent			
9	Farmington River	Hartland to Farmington	21	Schreeder Pond	Killingworth			
10	Norwalk River	Ridgefield to Norwalk	22	Valley Falls Pond	Vernon			
11	Mill River	Easton to Fairfield	23	Housatonic River	Sharon to Kent			
12	Salmon River	Colchester	24	Rocky Neck S.P.	East Lyme			

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