

# Fishing Access at Brinkburn



## *What you need*

### **Rods:**

- 4–5 wt, 8 ft+ | Brown Trout
- 8 wt+, 8 ft+ | Salmon & Sea Trout
- A light/medium spinning rod

### **Flies:**

- Dry flies
- Euro nymphs
- Regular nymphs
- Salmon & Sea Trout flies
- Spoons and spinners

### **Recommended:**

- Waders
- Fly vest
- Small net
- Polarised sunglasses

## *Licences*

### **Trout Licence**

A trout licence is required in the UK to legally fish for non-migratory trout and coarse fish in freshwater.

### **Salmon & Sea Trout Licence**

A salmon and sea trout licence is needed to fish for migratory salmonids in rivers, streams, and other freshwater locations across the UK.

## *What to expect*

### **The River Coquet**

Home to resilient brown trout, with visits from migratory Atlantic salmon and sea trout.

### **Our Stretch**

The river runs between steep sides with overhanging trees. The best way to access and fish it is by wading. As a spate river, it colours up quickly when it rains. The water changes from fast runs full of trout to deeper pools that hold larger migratory fish. Best fished from within the river.

## *Fishing Boundaries*

### **The Pylon**

Our stretch of the River Coquet beat starts from the large electrical pylon downstream on the river.

### **The Bench**

Fishing is permitted up to the bench located a few hundred metres upstream of the Priory and Manor House.

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*Note: This river is suitable for experienced anglers only, and guests should bring their own equipment. For those looking to try or experience more beginner-friendly fishing, Chatton Trout Fishery is only a 30-minute drive from Brinkburn.*