**Equipment List For Fishing in Transylvania**

**Sunglasses**

Sunglasses are one of the most important pieces of equipment you need to have. You need them to see fish, period. We recommend polarized lenses in either copper, amber or brown. If they have side shields on them or they wrap around all the better. Bring a second pair just in case and also cleaning solution, clothes and wipes.

**Sunscreen**

Sunscreen is a must. You certainly don’t want to ruin your trip because you didn’t bring it and use it. We suggest 30 SPF at a minimum and it should be waterproof and sweatproof. Also, bring lip balm that is at least 30 SPF as well.

**Clothing**

You don’t need to bring a lot of clothing for Romania. It’s usually between 25-35 degrees Celsius.

Shorts, t-shirts, and a pair of long light weight pants will do it.

When fishing be sure to wear a long sleeve fishing shirt and long light weight pants that you can get wet. The sun is intense and it’s best to stay covered up. We also recommend a baseball style hat with a lightweight neck gaiter.

**Rain Gear**

It can rain in Romania so be prepared. Bring a lightweight waterproof rain jacket with a hood. It’s always wise to bring a few large garbage bags to cover your gear and luggage during the downpours.

**Footwear**

Bring a pair of wading boots for fishing.

**Camera Equipment**

At minimum bring your cell phone so you can get some shots of you with your fish. If it’s not waterproof get a case for it that is. If you have high end cameras an lenses put them in waterproof cases to protect them.

**Tools**

Most of the time your guide will have the tools you’ll need while fishing; however, if you think you may do some fishing on your own we suggest putting together a toolkit of your own. Here are a few things to include: fishing pliers, multi-tool knife, forceps, hook file, nippers, flashlight, headlamp, set of eyeglass size screwdrivers and of course some duct tape.

**Travel Insurance**

You never know what may happened in the world that could disrupt your travel plans so we suggest getting travel insurance. Global Rescue (<https://www.globalrescue.com/>) is a highly recommend company that should cover all situations.

**Summer trips**

* Water Bottle - We are working to reduce our use of single use plastics so please bring a re-usable water bottle or purchase one of our great SVO bottles at the store prior to your trip.
* Warm wool socks
* Layers to wear under waders
* Non-cotton sun shirt
* Light jacket or shirt
* Beanie or hat - REQUIRED
* Your personal fishing gear if you are using that instead of renting