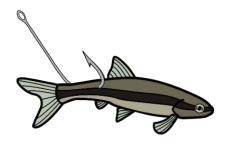


# **HOW TO HOOK A MINNOW**

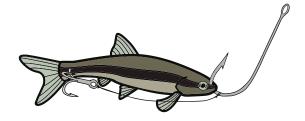
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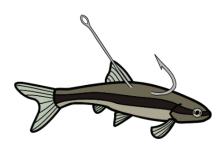
### THROUGH THE TAIL

Hook the minnow through the tail above the spine to avoid injuring the minnow.



#### THROUGH THE MOUTH

Hook the minnow just through the mouth, making sure not to injure the head.

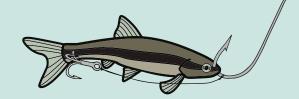


## THROUGH THE BACK

Hook the minnow through it's back above the lateral line to avoid damaging the spine or vital organs.

# **TACKLESHARE TIP: ADD A "STINGER HOOK"**

This secondary hook trails behind your primary hook on a short piece of line. Typically a treble hook with one point pierced into the minnow, it can be used with any of these hooking methods. If a fish strikes and misses your primary hook, often the stinger hook will do the trick.





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