

# Canoeing or kayaking abroad?

Invasive species  
block waterways.  
Don't bring them back.



Protect the environment you love:

**CHECK**

**Check** boats, equipment and clothing when you leave the water. Remove any muck or plant material and put it in the bin.

**CLEAN**

**Clean** everything thoroughly as soon as you can, pay particular attention to areas that are damp and hard to access. Use hot water if possible.

**DRY**

**Dry** - drain water from every part of your boat and dry it with a towel before leaving the site. Dry everything thoroughly for as long as possible before using elsewhere.

Find out more about invasive plants and animals  
and how you can help to stop the spread at:

[nonnativespecies.org/checkcleandry](https://nonnativespecies.org/checkcleandry)

