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Do you know anyone who fly fishes? If so, get them to teach you to cast before you buy anything. Then you can try a few rods at Cabelas.

A few other thoughts.

Your first rod should probably be an 8'6" 5 wt.

Depending on what you consider cheap, think about getting a combo with a Prestige Plus reel. I haven't used one, but a number of other posters like them.

If you live near the Wissahickon in Ft Washington, buy a few stimulators and hit the sunnies. They aren't big, but they'll teach you how to hook a fish.