



## QUALIFICATION SYSTEM – GAMES OF THE XXXII OLYMPIAD – TOKYO 2020

# INTERNATIONAL SWIMMING FEDERATION (FINA)

## Artistic Swimming

### A. EVENTS (2)

#### Women's Events (2)

Duets  
Teams

### B. ATHLETES QUOTA

#### 1. Total Quota for Artistic Swimming:

	Qualification Places	Host Country Places	Total
Women	96	8	104
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#### 2. Maximum Number of Athletes per NOC:

	Quota per NOC	Event Specific Quota
Women	8	Maximum one (1) team of eight (8) athletes Maximum one (1) duet of two (2) athletes
Total	8	

NOCs qualified in both the team and duet competitions may enter a maximum of eight (8) athletes.

#### 3. Type of Allocation of Quota Places:

The quota place is allocated to the NOC.

### C. ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

All athletes must comply with the provisions of the Olympic Charter currently in force, including but not limited to, Rule 41 (Nationality of Competitors) and Rule 43 (World Anti-Doping Code and the Olympic Movement Code on the Prevention of Manipulation of Competitions). Only those athletes who comply with the Olympic Charter may participate in the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.



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**Age Requirements:** Athletes in Artistic Swimming born on or after 31 December 2005 (younger than fifteen (15) years of age on 31 December 2020) shall not be permitted to compete at the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020 (FINA Rule AS 3).

**Additional IF Eligibility Criteria:**

Only the athletes who are eligible to participate at the official FINA competitions, in accordance with the [FINA Rules GR2.5](#), are entitled to participate in the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.

### D. QUALIFICATION PATHWAY

The qualification events are listed in hierarchical order of qualification.

#### QUALIFICATION PLACES

**Team Qualification: 10 teams**

Number of Team Quota Places	Qualification Events
5 teams (40 athletes)	<b>FINA Rule BL 9.3.9.5.1 – Teams</b> <b>Continental Championships/Host Country</b> The highest placed NOC in each of the five (5) Continental Championships will each obtain a quota place except for the Host Country NOC which will be the representative of the Asian Continent.
2 teams (16 athletes)	<b>18<sup>th</sup> FINA World Championships 2019, Gwangju (KOR)</b> The two (2) highest placed NOCs from the 18 <sup>th</sup> FINA World Championships Gwangju 2019, based on the combined results of the free and technical routines will obtain a quota place. Should one or both of the NOCs already be qualified through the Continental Championships, the next one (1) or two (2) highest placed NOCs will obtain a quota place.
3 teams (24 athletes)	<b>Olympic Games Qualification Tournament 2020</b> The three (3) highest placed NOCs, not yet qualified, at the Olympic Games Qualification Tournament in Artistic Swimming in the year of the Olympic Games will each obtain one (1) quota place.



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### **Duet Qualification: 22 duets (including 10 through team qualification)**

All NOCs that have qualified a team are eligible for participating in the duets event.

<b>Number of Duet Quota Places</b>	<b>Qualification Events</b>
<b>10</b> duets (20 athletes)	<b>FINA Rule BL 9.3.9.5.2 - Duets</b> <b>Team Qualification</b> The ten (10) NOCs qualified for the team competition (including the Host Country) will automatically qualify one (1) quota place for a duet.
<b>5</b> (10 athletes)	<b>Continental Championships/Host Country</b> Subject to the respect of the maximum number of quota per NOC as outlined in section B above, the highest placed NOC in each of the five (5) Continental Championships will each obtain a quota place, except for the Host Country NOC which will be the representative of the Asian Continent.
<b>7</b> duets (14 athletes)	<b>Olympic Games Qualification Tournament 2020</b> The remaining seven (7) quota places will be allocated to the highest placed NOCs, not yet qualified, at the Olympic Games Qualification Tournament 2020 in Artistic Swimming who have not qualified a team.  They will each obtain one (1) quota place.

#### **HOST COUNTRY PLACES**

The Host Country will have the right to enter one (1) team and one (1) duet in the Olympic Games whilst respecting the maximum number of quota per NOC as outlined in section B.

#### **E. CONFIRMATION PROCESS FOR QUOTA PLACES**

##### **CONFIRMATION OF QUALIFICATION PLACES**

Following each qualification event, FINA will publish the results on its website ([www.fina.org](http://www.fina.org)) and inform the respective NOCs of their allocated quota places.

The NOCs will then have two (2) weeks to confirm if they wish to use these quota places, as detailed in paragraph **G. Qualification Timeline**.

##### **CONFIRMATION OF HOST COUNTRY PLACES**

The Host NOC/NF has to confirm the use of the allocated quota places to FINA two (2) weeks after the end of the qualifying tournament.



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### F. REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUOTA PLACES

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Should an NF/NOC not enter a qualified team or duet, the unused quota place(s) will be reallocated to the next highest placed duet(s) (FINA Rule BL 9.3.9.5.2) or team (FINA Rule BL 9.3.9.5.1), not yet qualified, from the Olympic Games Qualifying Tournament 2020.

#### REALLOCATION OF UNUSED HOST COUNTRY PLACES

Should the Host NOC decide not to enter a qualified team or duet, the unused quota place(s) will be reallocated to the next highest placed duet (FINA Rule BL 9.3.9.5.2) or team (FINA Rule BL 9.3.9.5.1), not yet qualified, from the Olympic Games Qualifying Tournament 2020.

### G. QUALIFICATION TIMELINE

Date	Milestone
TBD*	European Qualification : European Synchronised Swimming Champions Cup, (location TBC)
26 July – 11 August 2019	American Qualification: Pan American Games, Lima (PER)
12-28 July 2019	African, Asian and Oceania Qualification at FINA World Championships 2019, Gwangju (KOR)
TBD*	Olympic Games Artistic Swimming Qualifying Event, (location TBC)
23 March 2020	FINA to inform NOCs/NFs of their allocated quota places
6 April 2020	NOCs/NFs to confirm use of allocated quota places to FINA
TBD*	FINA to reallocate all unused quota places
6 July 2020	Tokyo 2020 Sport Entries deadline
24 July – 9 August 2020	Olympic Games Tokyo 2020

\*To Be Determined