



CRITERIA FOR 2022 INTERNATIONAL EVENT SELECTION – JUNIOR GIRLS & BOYS

Introduction

This document outlines the criteria and process for selecting players to represent Canada in international junior girls and boys competition in 2022. Juniors who may be eligible for international amateur competition selection should consult the appropriate criteria on the [Golf Canada website](#).

1. Prerequisites to selection

Players selected for international junior competition must meet the following prerequisites:

- a. Must be a Canadian Citizen and hold a Canadian Passport (per the [IGF Nationality Policy](#)).
- b. Must be an amateur golfer under the Rules of Amateur Status.
- c. Must not be subject to any disciplinary process or sanction of Golf Canada.
- d. Must be in compliance with the Canadian Anti-Doping Policy (CADP).
- e. Must abide by Golf Canada's Name, Image and Likeness Policy and wear the official team uniform for any international amateur events the athlete is selected to.

2. Toyota Junior Golf World Cup (June 18-25, 2022 | Japan)

A team of four (4) boys and three (3) girls will be selected from the 2022 National Junior Squad by an internal stroke play qualification process which will be communicated directly to all eligible players. The current Canadian Junior Girls and Canadian Junior Boys champions will be exempted from qualifying.

3. R&A Junior Open (July 11-13, 2022 | Scotland)

Golf Canada will select one (1) girl and one (1) boy who are under the age of 16 as of January 1, 2022 but over the age of 12 by July 11, 2022 to play in the 2022 R&A Junior Open. Players will be selected from the 2022 National Junior Squad through an internal stroke play qualification process which will be communicated directly to all eligible players.

4. World Junior Girls Championship (October 10-15, 2022 | Ontario)

Golf Canada will be sending two teams of three (3) players to the WJGC. Participating athletes must be under 19 as of the last day of scheduled golf competitions (October 15th, 2022) and must not be in university or college (CEGEP excluded).

A total of six players will be selected for the two teams. The Golf Canada coaching staff will make the final decisions about how these players will be distributed between the two teams.

- a) **Earned exemptions:** Players in the following categories will be eligible for an exemption directly on to the Canadian teams for the 2022 World Junior Girls Championship (provided they meet the age and schooling criteria outlined above). Golf Canada reserves the right to revise any of the exemption categories.

1. Winner of the 2022 Canadian Junior Girls Championship.
2. Winner of the 2022 Canadian Women's Amateur Championship.
3. Playing members of the 2022 World Amateur Team.
4. The top-ranked Canadian junior girl on WAGR as of August 25, 2022, if not already covered by the above automatic exemption criteria.

b) Remaining spots: All remaining spots will be decided by a 54-hole stroke play tournament at the Team Canada - NextGen (formerly called the National Junior Squad) Selection Camp that will occur from September 8-11, 2022, at TPC Toronto in Caledon, Ontario. Criteria to receive an invitation to this selection camp can be found in the [2022-23 Team Canada—NextGen criteria here](#).

5. Junior Orange Bowl (January TBD, 2023 | Florida)

Golf Canada will select at least one (1) girl and one (1) boy to participate in the Junior Orange Bowl, with the exact number of invitations dependent on the tournament organizers. To be eligible, players must not have reached their 19th birthday by the first round of the championship and must not be in university or college (CEGEP excluded). Invitations will first go to the 2022 Canadian Junior Girls and Canadian Junior Boys Champions, if age eligible. If there are remaining spots, players will be selected based on WAGR.

6. Other International Events

Golf Canada may receive invitations to send players to other international junior events. Should additional invitations be received, players will be selected based first on WAGR order and second on recent tournament results.