



2019 Commonwealth Judo Championships JudoEngland Junior Selection Criteria

The purpose of this document is to detail the process and procedure for identifying players to represent England at the 2019 Commonwealth Judo Championships on Thursday 26th September 2019 at the University of Wolverhampton, Walsall Campus.

Please note:

- This is a SELF-FUNDED opportunity with an entry fee of £100 for selected athletes
- Official weigh-in will be at the venue on Wednesday 25th September 2019 from 18:00 to 19:30
- Competition day is Thursday 26th September 2019
- Blue and White Judogi are required and must meet the standard IJF Regulations - Sokutei will be used on the day
- Backpatches are mandatory and **MUST** read **ENG NOT GBR**. Selected players will be advised on how to obtain these
- Event outlines can be found here:
<https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/commonwealth2019/event-information/>

Eligibility

- Competitors must be under the age of 21 on the competition day, competitors must be born in the years 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, or 2004
- Weight categories:
 - Women: -44kg, -48kg, -52kg, -57kg, -63kg, u70kg, -78kg, +78kg
 - Men: -55kg, -60kg, -66kg, -73kg, 81kg, u90kg, -100kg, +100kg
- England players must have a British Passport/Birth Certificate
- England players must complete an In-LoCo-Parentis Form if under the age of 18

Identification Criteria

1. Primary identification

1. Top 6 English Players on the GB Junior Ranking list
The primary selection will ask players to re-confirm their fighting weight for September.
Players moving up a weight category will be considered under the 'Secondary Identification' below



2. Secondary Identification

1. Where there is still capacity within weight categories, a further opportunity to enter may be given to players ranked further down the GB Ranking List or moving up from a lower category.

3. Wild Cards

1. Several 'wild card' places may be available, these will be allocated at the discretion of the selection panel.

Identification Process

1. Primary identified athletes will receive an email by Friday 31st May and will have until Friday 7th June to confirm/decline their place, by following the link within the email. Please note that an entry fee payment of £100 will be taken at this point for athletes confirming their place at their selected weight. Players will receive an email confirmation once this process is completed. Players who advise a new weight category will be re-contacted at the point of Secondary Identification if there is availability within the category.
2. Secondary Identified athletes will receive an email by 12th June and follow the same confirmation process as above, to be completed by 16th June.
3. Further athletes will be selected post 16th June if places are still available.
4. A limited number of wildcards may then be made available to athletes who fall outside the criteria on the discretion of selection panel.

Notes

1. Once players have selected and confirmed their weights for September they cannot be changed.
2. Should a player need to withdraw due to injury, a doctors' note must be supplied should you wish to apply for a re-fund.
3. Refunds will be paid out at 50% of the entry fee, if a replacement competitor can be found.