

MEMORANDUM

To: Cadet & Junior GB Athletes, Personal Coaches
cc: BJA Staff, Coaches, Home Nation Coaches
From: Performance Team
Date: October 2019
Subject: GB Judo Cadet ID & Elite Development Squad Policies



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The 2020 GB Cadet Identification Policy and GB Elite Development Squad (Centralised & Semi Centralised) Policy have been released on the British Judo Association Website.

GB Cadet ID Policy 2020

Athletes, Coaches and Parents should read this policy in detail. Please note that 1 major change to the policy from previous years is that Home Nations have slightly different ID Competitions. These are stated explicitly in the policy document.

Selection to Cadet ID competitions is through an athletes Home Nation Programme and questions regarding these competitions should be directed to the Home Nation Lead Cadet Coach.

GB Elite Development Squad 2020

This will be the 2nd year of the EDS and due to coach and athlete feedback there have been some slight changes to the selection for international competition.

Athletes on the EDS are expected to be members of their Home Nation Programme and should engage with both opportunities.

Athletes not selected to international competitions are invited to attend as part of their personal programme at their own cost. They will still receive coach support at these competitions and camps.

Athletes will be expected to attend all Home Nation Competitions and should also look to attend international competitions in addition to those provided by GB Judo. Opportunities may be made available through Home Nation Programmes.

Applications for the Centralised EDS can be found on the British Judo Website.

We will continue to communicate the GB Junior Elite Development Squad programme as and when appropriate, but should you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the GB Judo Performance Pathway Manager – Tim Ellis as follows:

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