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BRITISH JUDO ASSOCIATION

BRITISH SENIOR & JUNIOR RANKING POLICY

INTRODUCTION

The BJA Senior Ranking System remains solely to identify fighters who will be seeded in the British Junior and Senior Championships and British Ranking Events of the current Olympic Cycle.

Only fighters who are eligible for GB Selection for International Competition can compete in the British Junior and Senior Championships.

BJA SENIOR RANKING SYSTEM:

The Senior Ranking List will be based on the following points allocation:

Placin g	SNR World Champ s & Olympi c Games	IJF Master s	IJF Gran d Slam	SNR Europea n Champs	IJF Grand Prix & JNR World Champ s	IJF Continent al Opens & European U23 & JNR Champs	SNR Europea n Cups & British Senior Champs	Hom e Natio n Open s (ENG, SCO, WAL & NIR)	Area Rankin g Events
Gold	900	700	600	500	400	250	200	150	100
Silver	700	500	450	400	300	200	150	100	75
Bronz e	500	400	350	300	200	150	100	75	50
5 th	400	300	250	200	150	100	75	50	25
7 th	250	200	175	150	100	75	50	25	5

Note:

- Operational from 1st January 2025 incorporating results from 2025 & 2024.
- Ranking Points will reduce in value by 50% after 12 months or when the same event is held in the following calendar year. They will reduce in value by 100% after 24 months or when the same event is held for the second calendar year.
- The top 5 results will count towards the ranking of fighters.
- With the exception of Junior World and Junior European Championships, Senior competition points will only be used in the Senior Ranking list.
- Seniors cannot transfer points between weight categories but may appear in more than one weight category in the senior ranking list.
- There will be NO TRANSFER of points between lists, but a fighter may appear on more than one list if they have collected points for the respective list.

QUALIFICATION FOR THE BRITISH SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS:

The 2025 British Senior Championships will be open for all fighters to enter. Specific details of eligibility will be available in the event outlines.

SEEDING:

The seeding for the British Senior Championships will be based on the Senior Ranking List.

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BJA JUNIOR RANKING SYSTEM:

The Junior Ranking List will be based on the following points allocation:

Placing	JNR World Champs	JNR European Champs	JNR European Cups (inc. Bremen & Thuringia)	British Junior Champs	Home Nation Opens (ENG, SCO, WAL & NIR)
Gold	900	700	400	200	150
Silver	700	500	300	150	100
Bronze	500	400	200	100	75
5 th	400	300	150	75	50
7 th	250	200	100	50	25

Note:

- Operational from 1st January 2025 incorporating results from 2025 & 2024.
- Ranking Points will reduce in value by 50% after 12 months or when the same event is held in the following calendar year. They will reduce in value by 100% after 24 months or when the same event is held for the second calendar year.
- The top 3 results will count towards the ranking of fighters.
- Junior competition points will only be used in the Junior Ranking list.
- Juniors cannot transfer points between weight categories but may appear in more than one weight category in the senior ranking list.
- There will be **NO TRANSFER** of points between lists, but a fighter may appear on more than one list if they have collected points for the respective list.

QUALIFICATION FOR THE BRITISH JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS:

The 2025 British Junior Championships will be open for all fighters to enter. Specific details of eligibility will be available in the event outlines.

SEEDING:

The seeding for the British Junior Championships will be based on the Junior Ranking List.

RANKING LISTS:

Both Senior and Junior Ranking Lists will be updated periodically after events and will be uploaded to the British Judo website under the "Events" section.







