

Competition	2019 World Junior Championships – Budapest 20-25 August 2019
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Initial Release Date	November 2018
Selection Event	2019 New Zealand Age Groups Championships, Wellington 16th – 20th April 2019
Eligibility	<p>To be considered for selection, a swimmer must meet all the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be Female aged 14 – 17 years on 31 December 2019 (born 2005, 2004, 2003 and 2002). • Be Male aged 15 – 18 years on 31 December 2019 (born 2004, 2003, 2002 and 2001) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Be a New Zealand citizen who is eligible to represent New Zealand in competition as per FINA General Rule 2 (GR2); 2. Be a registered member of Swimming New Zealand; 3. Be and remain (prior and post selection) in “good standing” with Swimming NZ and always comply with any established code of conduct or athlete agreement of Swimming NZ and otherwise conduct themselves in a way that does not bring their sport or the team into disrepute; 4. Have indicated their availability via the SNZ database before midnight of first day of the relevant selection event; 5. Not used or administered any substance which, if it had been detected as being present in the athlete’s body tissue or fluids, would have constituted doping, or used any prohibited method or committed any other doping offence as defined in SNZ’s or FINA’s Anti-Doping Bylaw.
Team Commitments	<p>All swimmers selected must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comply with the provisions of the SNZ Athletes Agreement at all times • Conform to SNZ requirements regarding team participation. This includes, but may not be limited to, providing an acceptable IPP, attendance at a pre-event camp and wearing team uniform as required. • Make themselves available for all team activities designated by SNZ. • be available compete in relay events that do not interfere with individual races; • Not act in such a manner as to bring the athlete or SNZ into public disrepute.
Performance Requirement	To be considered for selection for an individual event at the 2019 World Junior Championships (Pool) swimmers must:

1. Record a time equal to or better than the times detailed below, at the Selection Event.

Men	Events	Women
00:23.21	50 Free	00:26.15
00:50.50	100 Free	00:56.78
01:50.61	200 Free	02:02.71
3:56.79	400 Free	04:19.33
8:13.33	800 Free	8:54.94
15:56.96	1500 Free	17:17.03
00:56.75	100 Back	01:02.86
02:03.84	200 Back	02:15.74
01:02.42	100 Breast	01:10.88
02:17.12	200 Breast	02:33.76
00:53.85	100 Fly	01:01.41
02:01.25	200 Fly	02:15.48
02:05.16	200 IM	02:17.59
04:26.41	400 IM	04:54.02

Selection to the Team:

2. A maximum of 2 swimmers per event can be considered for selection FINA BL 9.3.6.1
3. In the event of a tie, the selectors may consider the second fastest time swum at the Selection Event by the tied swimmers to enable a selection under point 2. to occur
4. Relay splits and other split times will not be considered for selection for individual events nor for selection to relays.

Additional Events:

At the sole discretion of SNZ, swimmers who qualify for an event on the above basis may, on request, based on a time they have swum at the selection event, be able to swim in other events where there is an available position and at the agreement of the Team Head Coach and the Targeted Athlete Manager.

Criteria for Selection for Relay Events:

1. Selections for relays will be done from within the total team selected for the 2019 World Junior Championships, Budapest.
2. The final composition of the relay teams will be determined by the coaching staff and team management at the 2019 World Junior

	<p>Championships, Budapest, in their sole discretion.</p> <p>3. The SNZ Selectors philosophy is to ensure the best possible Relay Team is on the blocks representing New Zealand at the 2019 World Junior Championships.</p>
<p>Team Size & Announcement</p>	<p>1. Team size for individual events will be in accordance with FINA rules. If the number of swimmers meeting the performance criteria exceeds the FINA's limit, the highest ranked swimmers who satisfy the selection criteria will be selected.</p> <p>2. The selection of the athletes that have met all Eligibility and Performance Requirements will be announced on or about the 27th April 2019.</p>
<p>Notes</p>	<p>a) SNZ may amend the selection criteria at any time, by giving reasonable notice to all swimmers eligible for selection</p> <p>b) If a swimmer is unable to satisfy SNZ requirements after selection and needs to be withdrawn from the team, SNZ may at their discretion select the next swimmer who has met all the eligibility and performance requirements. SNZ reserve the right to request that any swimmer being considered for selection under the provisions of this clause undertakes a fitness test, the parameters of which will be determined by SNZ</p> <p>Extenuating Circumstances</p> <p>1. If a swimmer is unable to compete to qualify due to extenuating circumstances (as set out below), the SNZ Selectors may consider previous performances within the 12 months prior to the selection event, in a long course event at a competition acceptable to the SNZ Selectors and the SNZ CEO. If the previous performances are to be considered, then the fastest qualifying time, irrespective of where it was achieved, shall have priority.</p> <p>2. Swimmers must advise SNZ of the extenuating circumstances and reasons, in writing, with as much notice as possible before the commencement of the selection event(s). If SNZ is not notified of any extenuating circumstances before the selection event (s) in accordance with this selection criteria, then the SNZ Selectors have no obligation to rely on such circumstances.</p> <p>3. In considering the selection of athletes in accordance with the selection criteria, the SNZ Selectors may, in their sole discretion, give weight to any extenuating circumstances which may include, but are not limited to, the following;</p> <p>a) Injury or illness;</p> <p>b) Travel delays;</p> <p>c) Equipment failure;</p> <p>d) Bereavement or personal misfortune; and/or</p> <p>e) Any other factors reasonably considered by the SNZ Selectors to constitute extenuating circumstances.</p> <p>4. In the event of illness or injury, athletes will be required by the SNZ Selectors to provide a medical certificate and may be required to</p>

	<p>undergo an examination by a health practitioner/s nominated by SNZ, and to provide that opinion and/or report to the SNZ Selectors including an indication of the current and future performance impact of the condition. Any failure to agree to such a request may result in the SNZ Selectors being unable to consider the injury or illness as an extenuating circumstance.</p> <p>5. Selection of an athlete, as outlined above, will be subject to confirmation of their satisfactory return to training. This process is to include a test in the swimming event that they have been selected for. The test must be performed by a designated date decided by the SNZ Head Coach. A target time indicating satisfactory progress will be decided by the SNZ Head Coach and announced to the swimmer before the designated date.</p> <p>6. Attendance at the Selection Event is on a user pays basis.</p> <p>7. Participation at the 2019 World Junior Championships may be on a partially user-pays basis determined by the total size of the team.</p>
Approved	Swimming New Zealand Board