

SELECTION PROGRAM & SELECTION CRITERIA

SELECTION YOUTH NATIONAL TEAM 2024

Program

Saturday, 27th of January (morning)

Routine selection (swim in groups)

Saturday, 27th of January (afternoon)

Swiss Age Group Qualification Figures Competition

Selection criteria

25% specific selection, 25% figure results, 50% head coach evaluation

Team Routine assessment (group swim)

Groups of 5 swimmers will perform a 1:50-minute section of Free Routine (4 hybrids). Video of Free Routine in water can be found on the website. This same section will be performed 3 times with each athlete moving to a different group each time. The draw in each group will be decided by the National Team Coaches (the list of group distribution will be communicated the day before the selection). After 3 mandatory swims NTC might ask for extra swim(s) if some uncertainties in athletes' performances and/or standings occur during official selection process.

5 Swiss-international judges will be giving scores by 0.25 steps.

Technical Panel (50%) will be judging overall execution and technical merit of the performed movements and hybrids according to the World Aquatics Rules 2023-2025.

National Head Coach (50%)

Scoring criteria:

- Overall Artistic Impression
- Synchronization (with the music and other team members)
- Pattern and space awareness
- Soft skills
- DC feedback on performed BM

Based on the results of the selection all athletes will be divided into 2 teams (max of 12 athletes in A-Team and max of 12 athletes in B-Team) and represent Switzerland at different target competitions as posted prior to the selection day.

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