



QUALIFICATION SYSTEM – WINTER YOUTH OLYMPIC GAMES GANGWON 2024

INTERNATIONAL SKI AND SNOWBOARD FEDERATION NORDIC COMBINED

A. Events (3)

Men's events (1)	Women's events (1)	Mixed Events (1)
Men's Individual Normal Hill/6km	Women's Individual Normal Hill/4km	Mixed Team Normal Hill/4x3.3km

B. Athletes Quota

B.1. TOTAL QUOTA FOR SPORT / DISCIPLINE:

	Qualification Places	Host Country Places	Total
Men	32	Included in qualification places (2 men and 2 women)	32
Women	32		32
Total	64 athletes		64 athletes

B.2. MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ATHLETES PER NOC:

	Quota per NOC	Event Specific Quota
Men	2	Two (2) athletes per individual event
Women	2	Two (2) athletes per individual event
Team	-	One (1) team per team event
Total	4 athletes	

Maximum one (1) Mixed Team per NOC composed of two (2) men and two (2) women who are already qualified and entered in the Gangwon 2024 Winter Youth Olympic Games.

B.3. TYPE OF ALLOCATION OF QUOTA PLACES:

The quota place(s) is/are allocated to the NOC by discipline.

C. Athlete Eligibility

All athletes participating in the YOG must respect and comply with the provisions of the Olympic Charter currently in force. Only those athletes who respect and comply with the Olympic Charter, the World Anti-Doping Code and the Olympic Movement Code on the Prevention of the Manipulation of Competitions,



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including the conditions of participation established by the IOC, as well as with the rules of the International Ski and Snowboard Federation (FIS), may participate in the YOG.

C.1. AGE REQUIREMENTS:

To be eligible to participate in the Winter Youth Olympic Games Gangwon 2024, athletes must have been born between 1 January 2006 and 31 December 2008.

C.2. ADDITIONAL IF REQUIREMENTS:

Athletes must have also participated in FIS level or Continental Cup competitions during the YOG qualification period from 1 July 2022 to 17 December 2023.

D. Qualification Pathway

Number of Quota Places	Qualification Event
D.1, D.2, D.3, D.4, D.5: Men: 32 Women: 32	D.1 All NOCs ranked in the Marc Hodler Trophy Nordic Combined standings at the FIS Junior Nordic World Ski Championships 2023 (WJC 2023) and the Host Country are entitled to a quota of two (2) male and two (2) female athletes.
	D.2 Any remaining quota places will be distributed to NOCs not yet qualified from D.1 with a maximum of one (1) athlete per gender per NOC, according to the respective NOC's athlete's ranking in the Men's or Women's Nordic Combined NH/5km Individual event at the WJC 2023, until the maximum of 32 men and 32 women is reached.
	D.2.1 If there is a tie for the final allocated quota place(s) in the Men's or Women's Nordic Combined NH/5km individual event at the WJC 2023, the better ranked athlete in the respective gender from the YOG age group athletes on the Men's or Women's 2022/23 Nordic Combined Continental Cup standings will be ranked ahead.
	D.3 If there are remaining quota places thereafter, quota places will be allocated to NOCs not yet qualified from D.1 and D.2 with a maximum of one (1) athlete per gender, according to the respective NOC's athlete's ranking in the Men's or Women's Nordic Combined Continental Cup 2022/23 YOG age group athletes' standings.
	D.3.1 If there is a tie for the final allocated quota place(s) in the Men's or Women's standings of the YOG age group athletes in the Nordic Combined Continental Cup 2022/23, the athlete with the higher number of first places, second places, third places, etc. in the respective gender's 2022/23 Nordic Combined Continental Cup competitions will be ranked ahead.
	D.4 In the event that there are still remaining quota places, the quota places will be allocated to NOCs not yet qualified from D.1 , D.2 and D.3 with a maximum of one (1) athlete per gender per NOC, according to the NOC's athlete's ranking in the Men's and Women's YOG age group athletes' standings from the 2022/23 Nordic Combined Youth Cup.
	D.4.1 If there is a tie for the final allocated quota place(s) in the Men's or Women's standings of the YOG age group athletes in the Nordic Combined Youth Cup 2022/23, the athlete with the higher number of first places, second places, third places, etc. places in the respective gender's 2022/23 Nordic Combined Youth Cup competitions will be ranked ahead.



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Number of Quota Places	Qualification Event
	D.5 If there are remaining quota places thereafter, the allocation will continue according to D.2 , D.3 and D.4 per gender, to the NOCs based on their second (2nd) best ranked athlete, allowing a maximum of two (2) men and two (2) women quota places per NOC until all quota places are filled.
	D.6 The FIS quota allocation list published on 18 December 2023 on the FIS website, www.fis-ski.com , will contain the NOCs who have been allocated quota place(s) based on D.1 , D.2 and D.3 .
	D.7 If the athlete earns a quota for the NOC in the Nordic Combined Continental Cup Standings (D.3), this athlete will not be considered when allocating quotas through the Nordic Combined Youth Cup Standings (D.4).
	D.8 In the event of cancellation of the WJC 2023, the allocation of D.1 and D.2 will be allocated based on the 2022/23 Nordic Combined Youth Cup Nations standings.

HOST COUNTRY PLACES

The Host Country is entitled to a quota of two (2) men and two (2) women, as detailed in **D.1**. The selection of the athletes is at the discretion of the Host NOC while respecting the eligibility criteria detailed in **C. Athlete Eligibility**.

The Host Country is entitled to enter one (1) team in the Mixed Team Normal Hill event composed of two (2) men and two (2) woman athletes as described in **B.2**.

E. Confirmation Process for Quota Places

FIS shall inform the NOCs that earn quota places via the FIS Website on 18 December 2023. The NOCs will then have one (1) day to confirm via the FIS online system if they wish to use these quota places, as detailed in **G. Qualification Timeline**. A provisional quota allocation list will be available for the NOCs to review a few weeks before the deadline.

The number of quota places an NOC is able to confirm at any point of time cannot be higher than the number of eligible athletes or the maximum quota places.

F. Reallocation of Unused Quota Places

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION PLACES

If an allocated quota place is not confirmed by the NOC by the confirmation of the quota place deadline or is declined by the NOC, the quota place will be reallocated to the next best ranked NOC based on the criteria described in **D.3** followed by **D.4** and if required, **D.5**.

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED HOST COUNTRY PLACE



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If the Host Country declines any of its quota places or if the host country's athletes are not eligible pursuant to **C.2 Additional Requirements**, then the quota places will be reallocated according to the **Reallocation of Unused Qualification Places** section.

G. Qualification Timeline

Period	Date	Milestone
Qualification	1 July 2022 to 17 December 2023	Gangwon 2024 qualification period
	27 January – 5 February 2023	FIS Junior Nordic World Ski Championships 2023 (WJC 2023), Whistler/Squamish (CAN)
Accreditation deadline	31 October 2023	Gangwon 2024 Accreditation deadline
	18 December 2023	FIS to inform NOCs and NFs of their allocated quota places through publication on the FIS Website and provide the login details to access the FIS online system for confirmation of quota places.
	18-19 December 2023	NOCs to confirm use of allocated quota places
Reallocation	20-21 December 2023	FIS to reallocate all unused quota places and NOCs to confirm within 12 hours
	3 January 2024	End of reallocation period
Sport Entries deadline	5 January 2024	Gangwon 2024 Sport Entries deadline
YOG	19 January - 1 February 2024	Winter Youth Olympic Games Gangwon 2024