

## SELECTION CRITERIA

### 2022 Commonwealth Games

#### Eligibility Criteria

To be eligible for selection, the following are the qualifying criteria that must be met:

1. Swimmers must be a citizen of Jamaica no less than 12 months prior to the entry deadline who is eligible to represent Jamaica at the Competition as per Commonwealth Games Federation Bylaw 17 and must:
  - 1.1 not be currently under disqualification or suspension by the Federation, or their respective Affiliated Commonwealth Games Association (CGA) or International Federation (IF) or under the World Anti-Doping Code;
  - 1.2 comply with all applicable rules and regulations of the Federation, their respective IFs and the World Anti-Doping Code as may be modified and applied by the Federation to ensure that the overriding principles of the Commonwealth Games are observed.
  - 1.3. Subject to Bylaw 17(3), where a competitor was born in a Commonwealth Country which has common citizenship/passport with other Commonwealth Countries, the competitor may initially represent either the competitor's Commonwealth Country of birth; or the Commonwealth Country of birth of his or her father or mother who shares the same citizenship/passport.
  - 1.4. After having represented one Commonwealth Country at the Commonwealth Games, a competitor may not represent another Commonwealth Country unless he or she receives the approval of the Federation, the relevant IF and the Affiliated CGAs of the two Commonwealth Countries concerned. Applications under this bylaw must be submitted to the Executive Board at least 12 months prior to the commencement of the Games.
2. Swimmers must be registered with the ASAJ no less than 12 months prior to the start of the competition
3. Declare Jamaica as their Commonwealth country of representation
4. Be in good standing with the ASAJ
5. Have not by their actions or omissions brought themselves or their sport into disrepute
6. Times swam from February 1, 2021 - May 1, 2022 in a long course competition sanctioned by the ASAJ or other FINA-recognised bodies will be eligible
7. Swimmers must achieve a minimum of 700 FINA points in at least one (1) event.
8. The maximum number of athletes will be limited to six (6):
  - a) The top two (2) highest ranked swimmers in each gender will be selected
  - b) Two (2) additional swimmers will be selected irrespective of gender based on the following:
    - i. Meeting the minimum criteria of 700 FINA points
    - ii. Highest ranked swimmers after criteria a) has been fulfilled
  - c) Should there be a tie in FINA points, the FINA points for the swimmer's next best event will be considered as the tie breaker.