



QUALIFICATION SYSTEM – GAMES OF THE XXXIII OLYMPIAD – PARIS 2024

INTERNATIONAL WEIGHTLIFTING FEDERATION (IWF)

A. EVENTS (10)

Men's events (5)	Women's events (5)
Xxkg category	Xxkg category
Xxkg category	Xxkg category
Xxkg category	Xxkg category
Xxkg category	Xxkg category
+Xxkg category	+Xxkg category

B. QUOTA PLACES

1. Total quota places for discipline:

	Quota places	Host country quota places	Universality Places	Total
Men	55	2	3	60
Women	55	2	3	60
Total	110	4	6	120

2. Maximum number of athletes per National Olympic Committee (NOC) (per sport):

	Quota places per NOC
Men	3 – maximum 1 per event
Women	3 – maximum 1 per event
Total	6

3. Maximum number of athletes per event

	Number of athletes per event
Men: Each weight category	1 per nation per NOC
Women: Each weight category	1 per nation per NOC

4. Type of allocation of quota places:

Quota places are allocated to the athlete(s) by name.



Host Country quota places are allocated to the NOC for eligible athletes.

Universality quota places are allocated to the athlete by name

C. ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

Compliance with the Olympic Charter and other relevant rules

All athletes must respect and comply with the provisions of the Olympic Charter currently in force, including but not limited to Rule 41 (Nationality of Competitors) and Rule 43 (World Anti-Doping Code and the Olympic Movement Code on the Prevention of Manipulation of Competitions).

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, including the conditions of participation established by the IOC, plus the rules of IWF, may participate in the Olympic Games Paris 2024.

Age requirements

To be eligible to participate in the Olympic Games Paris 2024, athletes must be born on or before 31 December 2009.

Additional IF eligibility criteria

Athletes must also comply with the following criteria:

- Be fully compliant with the IWF Anti-Doping policy (<https://iwf.sport/downloads/?did=2032>)
- Are obliged to provide whereabouts information in ADAMS for the entire period 01 July 2022 to the opening of the Olympic Games Paris 2024. Shall be required to provide whereabouts for the whole of each year with that period, without pause.
- Participate in the 2023 IWF World Championships.
- Participate in at least one other of the competitions specified in section D of this document.

D. QUALIFICATION PATHWAY

QUOTA PLACES

Men/Women

Number of quota places	Qualification events
45 Men 45 Women (Total 90 athletes)	<p>IWF Olympic Qualification Ranking (OQR)</p> <p>The IWF shall maintain a ranking of the achieved Totals (in kilograms) of all competitors seeking to qualify in the bodyweight categories to be contested at Olympic Games Paris 2024.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The OQR will be collated from the official results of the following IWF international events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ All 2022 IWF recognised Senior Continental Championships (Africa, Asia, Europe, Oceania, Pan America), provided such is conducted in the period specified for the operation of the OQR <<dates to be determined>>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ 2022 IWF World (Senior) Championships <<date to be determined>> ➤ All 2023 IWF recognised Senior Continental Championships (Africa, Asia, Europe, Oceania, Pan America) <<dates to be determined>> ➤ 2023 IWF World (Senior) Championships <<date to be determined>> ➤ All 2024 IWF recognised Senior Continental Championships (Africa, Asia, Europe, Oceania, Pan America), provided such is conducted in the period specified for the operation of the OQR. <<date to be determined>> ➤ 2024 IWF World Cup, April 2024 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The OQR will be available on the IWF website at <<link to be added>> • Only performances achieved in the events to be contested at Olympic Games Paris 2024 will be listed in the OQR. • At maximum, one (1) athlete per NOC shall be ranked on the OQR in each event. • In the circumstance that two, or more, athletes record the same Total in the same bodyweight category they shall be ranked in order of which achieved the result first, using equivalent Greenwich Mean Times (GMT) to decide such if necessary. <p>Following the end of the qualification period the highest OQR ranked nine (9) athletes in each event to be contested at Olympic Games Paris 2024 will be allotted a quota place.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If one of those is a person allotted a quota place because of their winning the 2024 IWF World Cup, then the next ranked athlete will be assigned the quota place. • If an athlete is ranked in the top nine (9) in more than one event in the OQR, then that athlete’s NOC in consultation with the National Weightlifting Federation (NWF), as recognised by the IWF, must declare to the IWF by <<date to be determined>> in which event that athlete will compete in Olympic Games Paris 2024, and the athlete will then be removed from the OQR in other bodyweight categories. Any declined ranking position and quota place will then automatically move to the next ranked athlete. • Should a NOC record more than three (3) athletes per gender in the OQR for then the relevant NOC in consultation with the NWF must declare to the IWF by <<date to be determined>> which of these athletes shall be allotted the quota places. Any athletes not so declared will then be removed from the OQR. Any declined ranking positions and quota places will then automatically move to the next ranked athlete. <p>The qualification period for the OQR shall begin on 01 July 2022 and conclude on 28 May 2024.</p>
<p>5 Men 5 Women (Total 10 athletes)</p>	<p>2024 IWF WORLD CUP, April 2024</p> <p>The official winners on Total at the 2024 IWF World Cup in each of the bodyweight categories to be contested in Olympic Games Paris 2024 shall receive a quota place.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Should another athlete from the same NOC be already ranked in the OQR in the relevant event then that athlete will be automatically removed from the OQR.
<p>5 Men 5 Women (Total 10 athletes)</p>	<p>OQR CONTINENTAL REPRESENTATION</p>



	<p>To achieve the widest possible representation across the IWF recognised Continental Federations (Africa, Asia, Europe, Oceania, Pan America) these allocations shall be determined by the IWF using the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A NOC may at maximum receive two (2) quota places, one (1) man and one (1) woman.• Continental Federations with the lowest overall quota places by percentage for that gender by the previous sections in part D of this document should be preferred.• Such quota places may only be allotted to a NOC that has received no quota place in that gender in any weight category via the previous processes described in part D of this document.• Within the limitations of the previous dot points in this section, the highest ranked athlete in the OQR in all events should be allotted a quota place.• If two, or more, athletes in the qualifying events in all weight categories are ranked equally in the OQR the athlete from the Continental Federation with the lowest percentage of already allotted quota places should be allotted a quota place.
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HOST COUNTRY PLACES

The Host Country can qualify places through the OQR and the 2024 IWF World Cup.

If the Host Country does not qualify the maximum quota through the OQR and the 2024 IWF World Cup the Host Country is guaranteed four (4) quota places in Total, two (2) for men and two (2) for women.

If the Host Country qualifies quota places through the OQR and the 2024 IWF World Cup these remain, and the Host Country may add additional athletes of their choice to achieve the maximum specified in this section.

These athletes must also comply with the following criteria:

- At maximum one (1) per event.

Should the Host Country not use its full allotment of quota places unused places will be reallocated as per the process described below in the section F.

UNIVERSALITY PLACES (TEXT TO BE PROVIDED BY THE IOC)

Six (6), 3 Men and 3 Women, Universality Places are made available to eligible NOCs at the Olympic Games Olympic Games Paris 2024.

On <<date to be specified>>, the International Olympic Committee (IOC) will invite all eligible NOCs to submit their requests for Universality Places. The deadline for NOCs to submit their requests is <<date to be specified>>. The Tripartite Commission will confirm, in writing, the allocation of Universality Places to the relevant NOCs after the end of the qualification period for the sport concerned.

Detailed information on Universality Places is contained in the “Games of the XXXIII Olympiad, Olympic Games Paris 2024 - Olympic Games Universality Places - Allocation Procedure and Regulations” document.



E. CONFIRMATION PROCESS FOR QUOTA PLACES

CONFIRMATION OF QUOTA PLACES

The IWF will publish the results of the quota allocation within <<number to be specified>> days after the end of the qualification period on its website <<link to website>>.

The IWF will confirm in writing to the NOCs within <<number to be specified>> days after the last day of the qualifying period the quota places they have obtained. The NOCs will then have <<number to be specified>> weeks to confirm to the IWF if they wish to use these quota places, as detailed in section G. Qualification Timeline.

CONFIRMATION OF HOST COUNTRY PLACES

The Host Country must confirm in writing to the IWF by <<date to be specified>> the use of its Host Country Places.

F. REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUOTA PLACES

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If an allocated quota place is not confirmed by the NOC by the confirmation of quota place deadline <<date to be specified>>, or is declined by the NOC, the quota place will be reallocated to the next highest-ranked athlete, not yet qualified, on the OQR, respecting the maximum quota per gender and per NOC.

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED HOST COUNTRY PLACES

Unused Host Country Place(s) will be reallocated to the next highest-ranked eligible athlete in the OQR, respecting the maximum quota per gender and per NOC.

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED UNIVERSALITY PLACES (TBD)

Any unused Universality Place(s) will be reallocated to the next highest-ranked eligible athlete of the same gender in the OQR who has not yet qualified for the Olympic Games and respecting the maximum quota per gender and per NOC. The process will be repeated until the quota has been filled for each gender.

G. RESERVE AND AP ATHLETES (WHERE APPLICABLE)



RESERVE ATHLETES

Not applicable

AP ATHLETES

Not applicable.

H. QUALIFICATION TIMELINE

Date	Milestone
<i>Date</i>	<i>Event name and location</i>
01 July 2022	Start of the qualification period.
April 2024	IWF World Cup
28 May 2024	End of the qualification period.
Within five days after the end of the qualifying period	The IWF confirms in writing to the NOCs the quota places obtained.
Two weeks after the end of the qualifying period	The NOCs to confirm to the IWF the use of the allocated quota places.
Within five days after the previous step	IWF to reallocate all unused quota places.
Within five days after the end of the qualifying period	The IWF to confirm in writing to the NOCs the quota places obtained.
Two weeks after the end of the qualifying period	The NOCs to confirm to the <i>IF name</i> the use of the allocated quota places.
Within five days after each previous step	IWF to reallocate all unused quota places.
<i>Date</i>	The Tripartite Commission to confirm in writing the allocation of Universality Places to the NOCs (where applicable).
XX June 2024	IWF to reallocate any unused quota places.
8 July 2024 (<i>tbc with Olympic Games Paris 2024 in February 2022</i>)	Olympic Games Paris 2024 Sport Entries deadline
26 July – 11 August 2024	Olympic Games Paris 2024