



INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL FEDERATION (FIFA)

Football

A. EVENTS (2)

Men's Event (1)	Women's Event (1)
16-team tournament	12-team tournament

B. ATHLETES QUOTA

1. Total Quota for Football:

	Qualification Places	Host Country Places	Total
Men	270 (15 teams)	18 (1 team)	288 (16 teams)
Women	198 (11 teams)	18 (1 team)	216 (12 teams)
Total	468 (26 teams)	36 (2 teams)	504 (28 teams)

2. Maximum Number of Athletes per NOC:

	Quota per NOC
Men	18 (1 team)
Women	18 (1 team)
Total	36 (2 teams)

3. Type of Allocation of Quota Places:

The quota place is allocated to the NOC.

C. ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

All athletes must 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 comply with the Olympic Charter may participate in the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.

Age Requirements:

Men's competition:

All athletes participating in the qualification events for the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Football Tournaments must be born on/or after 01 January 1997. No over-age players will be permitted to participate in any qualification competition matches.

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All athletes participating in the final competitions of the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Football Tournaments must be born on/or after 01 January 1997 with the exception of a maximum of three (3) over-age players who may be included in the official list of players.

Women's competition:

There are no age limits for the women's qualification competitions and the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Football Tournaments.

D. QUALIFICATION PATHWAY

The qualification competitions shall be organised by FIFA in collaboration with its relevant continental confederations.

The continental confederations will establish a competition format which shall require approval from FIFA. Some confederations may use existing tournaments as qualification events for the Olympic Football Tournaments (OFTs) and in that case they are solely responsible for the organisation of such a qualification tournament.

QUALIFICATION PLACES**MEN**

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	<p>Africa: The CAF U-23 Championship will be organised in Senegal in <i>(date to be added)</i>. The top three (3) teams will qualify for the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.</p> <p>North America, Central America and the Caribbean: The CONCACAF Men’s Olympic Qualifying Championship is scheduled to be played in the USA from <i>(date to be added)</i>. The two (2) highest placed teams will qualify for the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020. <i>*Play-off:</i> The third placed team will play-off against the second placed team from CONMEBOL to determine which team qualifies for the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.</p> <p>South America: The South American U-20 Championship will be played in Uruguay in <i>(date to be added)</i>. The highest placed team of this tournament will qualify for Olympic Games Tokyo 2020. <i>*Play-off:</i> In accordance with the above, the second placed team from CONMEBOL will play-off against the third placed team of CONCACAF to determine which team qualifies for the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.</p> <p>Oceania: The OFC Men’s Olympic Football Tournament Qualifying competition will be played from <i>(date to be added)</i> in <i>(location to be added)</i>. The highest placed team of this tournament will qualify for the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.</p> <p>Europe: The UEFA European U-21 Championship will be held in <i>(location to be added)</i> between <i>(date to be added)</i>. The four (4) highest placed teams of this tournament will qualify for the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.</p>
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WOMEN

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12	<p>Women’s Olympic Football Tournament</p> <p>The allocation of the 12 quota places (including the Host Country place) between continental confederations for the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020 was approved by the FIFA Council on 27th October 2017 as follows:</p> <table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th style="text-align: center;">Quota Places</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>AFC (Asia)</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>CAF (Africa)</td> <td style="text-align: center;">1.5*</td> </tr> <tr> <td>CONCACAF (North, Central America & the Caribbean)</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>CONMEBOL (South America)</td> <td style="text-align: center;">1.5*</td> </tr> <tr> <td>OFC (Oceania)</td> <td style="text-align: center;">1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>UEFA (Europe)</td> <td style="text-align: center;">3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Host Country</td> <td style="text-align: center;">1</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Quota Places	AFC (Asia)	2	CAF (Africa)	1.5*	CONCACAF (North, Central America & the Caribbean)	2	CONMEBOL (South America)	1.5*	OFC (Oceania)	1	UEFA (Europe)	3	Host Country	1
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* The 2nd place team from the CAF qualification competition will play-off against the 2nd place team from the CONMEBOL qualification competition. The winner of this play-off match will qualify their NOC for the women's OFT.

QUALIFICATION OVERVIEW

The exact dates of the qualification events will be confirmed by FIFA by May 2018.

Asia: AFC will organise a Women's Olympic Qualifying Tournament Asia in three rounds. The first round will be played between *(date to be added)*. The second round will be played between *(date to be added)* and the third round will be played from *(date to be added)* in *(location to be added)*. The two (2) highest placed teams will qualify for the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.

Africa: CAF will organise a qualifying tournament in four rounds with the final round taking place on a home and away basis finishing on *(date to be added)*. The highest placed team of this tournament will qualify for Olympic Games Tokyo 2020. The second highest placed team will qualify for the play-off match against the 2nd place team from the CONMEBOL qualification competition.

North America, Central America and the Caribbean: The CONCACAF Women's Olympic Qualifying Championship is scheduled to be played *(date to be added)* in *(location to be added)*. The two (2) highest placed teams of this tournament will qualify for the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.

South America: The Women's Copa América will form the basis of the qualifying competition, and will be played in *(date to be added)* in *(location to be added)*. The highest placed team of this tournament will qualify for the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.

Oceania: The OFC qualifying process will be played in two stages: The Pacific Games, *(date to be added)* will serve as stage 1 of the qualifying.; Stage 2 – the highest placed team of the Pacific Games will play-off against New Zealand *(date to be added)*. The winner will qualify for the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.

Europe: The FIFA Women's World Cup France 2019 will serve as the qualification for Tokyo 2020. The three (3) highest placed teams of this tournament will qualify for the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020. In case not all three (3) places can be allocated, an additional tournament will be organised from the four (4) highest placed teams to determine which NOC gets allocated the quota place.

HOST COUNTRY PLACES

The Host Country is guaranteed two (2) quota places: one (1) team for the men's Olympic Football Tournament and one (1) team for the women's Olympic Football Tournament.

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E. CONFIRMATION PROCESS FOR QUOTA PLACES

Following each qualification event, FIFA will publish the results on its website www.FIFA.com/mensolympic and www.FIFA.com/womensolympic and inform the respective Member Associations and NOCs of their allocated quota places. The NOCs will then have two (2) weeks to confirm if they wish to use these quota places, by returning the official acceptance form to FIFA, as detailed in paragraph **H. Qualification Timeline**.

F. REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUOTA PLACES**REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION PLACES**

If an allocated team quota place is not confirmed by the NOC by the confirmation of quota place deadline or is declined by the NOC, the quota place will be reallocated to the next highest placed team, not yet qualified from the respective qualification event.

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED HOST COUNTRY PLACES

Should the Host NOC decide not to use the quota place(s) allocated, the Host Country quota place would be reallocated to the next highest placed team at the Asian (AFC) tournament.

G. GENERAL PRINCIPLES REGARDING THE USE OF P ALTERNATE ATHLETES**P ALTERNATE ATHLETES**

P alternate athletes are non-competing athletes, and are not included within the athlete's quota as described in Paragraph **B. Athletes Quota**. More detailed information about entitlements and quotas can be found in the '*Accreditation at the Olympic Games – Users Guide*'. P alternate athletes can only become competing athletes as per the conditions outlined in the '*IOC/Tokyo 2020 Late Athlete Replacement policy*'.

Eligibility:

P alternate athletes must comply with the same eligibility rules as competing athletes as described in above paragraph **C. Athlete Eligibility**.

Quota:

Each qualified team is entitled to four (4) P alternate athletes.



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H. QUALIFICATION TIMELINE

Date	Milestone
All the locations and dates will be finalised by May 2018	
Men's Olympic Football Tournament	
TBD*	South American U-20 Championship in <i>(location to be added)</i>
TBD*	UEFA European U-21 Championship in <i>(location to be added)</i>
TBD*	OFC Men's Olympic Football Tournament Qualifying competition in Pacific Games in <i>(location to be added)</i>
TBD*	CONCACAF Men's Olympic Qualifying Championship, <i>(location to be added)</i>
TBD*	CAF U-23 Championship, <i>(location to be added)</i>
TBD*	AFC U-23 Championship, <i>(location to be added)</i>
Women's Olympic Football Tournament	
TBD*	Women's Copa América in South America, <i>(location to be added)</i>
TBD*	FIFA Women's World Cup 2019, France
TBD*	Stage 1 of OFC qualifiers, Pacific Games, <i>(location to be added)</i>
TBD*	Final Round of African Qualifying, on a home and away basis
TBD*	Stage 2 of OFC qualifiers
TBD*	CONCACAF Women's Olympic Qualifying Championship, <i>(location to be added)</i>
TBD*	Final Round of Asian Qualifying Tournament, <i>(location to be added)</i>
TBD*	Final European Qualifying Tournament, <i>(location to be added)</i>
TBD*	FIFA to send official acceptance form to all qualified PMAs/NOCs two weeks after the last qualification competition is completed
TBD*	NOCs/PMAs to confirm use of allocated quota places to FIFA at the latest two weeks after notification from FIFA is received.
TBD*	FIFA to reallocate all unused quota places
6 July 2020	Tokyo 2020 Sport Entries deadline
24 July – 9 August 2020	Olympic Games Tokyo 2020