



QUALIFICATION SYSTEM – GAMES OF THE XXXIII OLYMPIAD – PARIS 2024

FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DE FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION (FIFA)

FOOTBALL

A. EVENTS (2)

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

B. QUOTA PLACES

B.1. Total quota places for Football :

| | Quota places | Host country quota places | Total |
|--------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| Women | 198 (11 teams) | 18 (1 team) | 216 (12 teams) |
| Men | 270 (15 teams) | 18 (1 team) | 288 (16 teams) |
| Total | 468 (26 teams) | 36 (2 teams) | 504 (28 teams) |

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

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

B.3. Type of allocation of quota places:

Quota places are allocated to the NOC(s).

C. ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

C.1. 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 FIFA, may participate in the Olympic Games Paris 2024.

C.2. Age requirements

Women's competition:

There are no age limits for the women's qualification matches and the Paris 2024 Olympic Football Tournaments.

Men's competition:

To be eligible to participate in the Olympic Games Paris 2024, athletes must be born on or after 1 January 2001. No over-aged player will be permitted to participate in any qualification match.

All athletes participating in the final competitions of the Paris 2024 Olympic Football Tournaments must be born on or after 1 January 2001 with the exception of a maximum of three (3) over-aged players who may be included in the official list of players.

D. QUALIFICATION PATHWAY

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

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

D.1. QUOTA PLACES

Women/Men

| Number of quota places | Qualification events | | | | | | |
|--|---|--|--------------|------------|---|--------------|---|
| 12 Women's teams (Total 216 athletes) | <p>Women's Olympic Football Tournament</p> <p>The allocation of the 12 quota places (including the host country place) per continental confederation for the Olympic Games Paris 2024 was approved by the FIFA Council on the 24th of February 2022 as follows:</p> <table border="1"><thead><tr><th></th><th>Quota Places</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>AFC (Asia)</td><td>2</td></tr><tr><td>CAF (Africa)</td><td>2</td></tr></tbody></table> | | Quota Places | AFC (Asia) | 2 | CAF (Africa) | 2 |
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| <p>16 Men's teams (Total 288 athletes)</p> | <p>Men's Olympic Football Tournament</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="501 1178 1417 1541"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th style="background-color: #00AEEF; color: white;">Quota Places</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>AFC (Asia)</td> <td>3.5*</td> </tr> <tr> <td>CAF (Africa)</td> <td>3.5*</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Concacaf (North, Central America & the Caribbean)</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>CONMEBOL (South America)</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>OFC (Oceania)</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>UEFA (Europe)</td> <td>3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Host Country (France)</td> <td>1</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>*AFC & CAF will compete in a play-off match to determine which of the two confederations is allocated a fourth slot.</p> <p>Asia: AFC U23 Asian Cup 2024™ (TBD)</p> <p>Africa: 24 June – 8 July 2023 U23 Africa Cup of Nations (TBD)</p> <p>North America, Central America and the Caribbean: 18 June – 4 July 2022 Concacaf Under 20 Championship, Honduras (TBD) Concacaf Olympic Qualifier Play-off (TBD)</p> <p>South America: TBD</p> <p>Oceania: TBD</p> | | Quota Places | AFC (Asia) | 3.5* | CAF (Africa) | 3.5* | Concacaf (North, Central America & the Caribbean) | 2 | CONMEBOL (South America) | 2 | OFC (Oceania) | 1 | UEFA (Europe) | 3 | Host Country (France) | 1 |
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| | Europe: 21 June – 8 July 2023 UEFA European Under-21 Championship, GEO/ROU (TBD) |
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D.2. HOST COUNTRY PLACES

The host country will be guaranteed two (2) quota places, one (1) for the women’s Olympic Football Tournament and one (1) for the men’s Olympic Football Tournament.

E. CONFIRMATION PROCESS FOR QUOTA PLACES

E.1. CONFIRMATION OF QUOTA PLACES

Following each qualification event, FIFA will publish the results on its website www.FIFA.com 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.

E.2. CONFIRMATION OF HOST COUNTRY PLACES

The host country must confirm in writing to FIFA by TBC date 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, or is declined by the NOC, the quota place will be reallocated to the next highest-ranked team, not yet qualified from the respective qualification event upon ratification of the Organising Committee for FIFA Competitions.

F.2. REALLOCATION OF UNUSED HOST COUNTRY PLACES

Should the host country NOC decide not to use its quota places, the host country quota place would be reallocated to the next highest placed eligible team at the European qualification event upon ratification of the Organising Committee for FIFA Competitions.



G. AP ATHLETES

Ap athletes are non-competing athletes accredited in the “Ap” category who have different entitlements to competing athletes (accredited as “Aa”) as described in the “Ap” accreditation quotas and conditions outlined in the IOC Accreditation Guide. These personnel are not part of the athlete quota as described in Paragraph B. **Quota Places.**

Eligibility:

“Ap” athletes must comply with the same eligibility rules as competing athletes as described in paragraph C. **Athlete Eligibility.** For clarity, no over-aged “Ap” player will be permitted.

Quota:

Each qualified team is entitled to four (4) “Ap” athletes.

H. QUALIFICATION TIMELINE

| Date | Milestone |
|--|---|
| Women’s Olympic Football Tournament | |
| TBD | Asian Qualifiers for the 2024 Women’s Olympic Football Tournament (TBD) |
| TBD | CAF Qualifiers (TBD) |
| 4 – 18 July 2022 | 2022 Concacaf Womens’ Championship, MEX (TBD) |
| 8 – 30 July 2022 | 2022 Copa América Femenina, COL (TBD) |
| TBD | OFC Qualifiers (TBD) |
| September 2023 (TBD) | Concacaf Olympic Qualifier Play-off (TBD) |
| TBD | UEFA Women’s Nations League (TBD) |
| Men’s Olympic Football Tournament | |
| 18 June – 4 July 2022 | 2022 Concacaf Under 20 Championship, HON (TBD) |
| 21 June – 8 July 2023 | UEFA European Under-21 Championship, GEO/ROU (TBD) |
| 24 June – 8 July 2023 | U23 Africa Cup of Nations (TBD) |
| TBD | OFC Qualifiers (TBD) |



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| TBD | CONMEBOL Qualifiers (TBD) |
| TBD | AFC U23 Asian Cup 2024™ (TBD) |
| TBD | AFC & CAF inter-continental play-off match (TBD) |
| TBD | FIFA to send official acceptance form to all qualified PMAs/NOCs two weeks after the last qualification match is completed |
| TBD | PMAs/NOCs to confirm use of allocated quota places to FIFA at the latest two weeks after the last qualification competition is completed |
| TBD | FIFA to reallocate all unused quota places |
| April 2024 | Men's & Women's Olympic Football Tournaments Draw |
| 8 July 2024 | Paris 2024 Sport Entries deadline |
| 26 July – 11 August 2024 | Olympic Games Paris 2024 |