



QUALIFICATION SYSTEM – GAMES OF THE XXXII OLYMPIAD – TOKYO 2020

Boxing

Due to the suspension of the IOC recognition of AIBA, all aspects of all boxing competitions, including but not limited to any and all qualifying competitions or events for or at the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020 shall be organised and operated under the authority of the IOC Executive Board. The Executive Board has created a special taskforce with the mandate to organise and ensure the delivery of the qualification events for boxing and the boxing tournament at the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020 and also develop a Tokyo 2020 Qualification System for boxing. The enforcement of the regulations and the qualification criteria will be the responsibility of the Boxing Task Force, the respective national federations of the sport and the NOCs in the fields of their respective responsibilities.

A. EVENTS (13)

Men's Events (8)	Women's Events (5)
Fly (48 kg to 52 kg)	Fly (48 kg to 51 kg)
Feather (52 kg to 57 kg)	Feather (54 kg to 57 kg)
Light (57 kg to 63 kg)	Light (57 kg to 60 kg)
Welter (63 kg to 69 kg)	Welter (64 kg to 69 kg)
Middle (69 kg to 75 kg)	Middle (69 kg to 75 kg)
Light Heavy (75 kg to 81 kg)	
Heavy (81 kg to 91 kg)	
Super Heavy (91 kg to +91 kg)	

B. QUOTA PLACES

1. Total Quota Places for Boxing:

	Qualification Places (Host Country Places)	Tripartite Commission Invitation Places	Total
Men	181 (4)	5	186
Women	97 (2)	3	100
Total	278 (6)	8	286

2. Maximum Number of Athletes per NOC:

	Quota places per NOC	Event Specific Quota
Men	8	1 athlete per Event
Women	5	1 athlete per Event
Total	13	

3. Type of Allocation of Quota Places:

The quota place is allocated to the athlete(s) by name.



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C. ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

All athletes must comply with the provisions of the Olympic Charter that is 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:

- For Olympic Qualification Events taking place in 2020, athletes must be born between 1 January 1980 and 31 December 2001.
- For Olympic Qualification Events taking place in 2021, athletes must be born between 1 January 1980 and 31 December 2002.
- For the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020, taking place in 2021, athletes must be born between 1 January 1980 and 31 December 2002.

Additional Eligibility Criteria:

To be eligible to participate in the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020 all athletes (including Host Country and Tripartite Invitation Places) must:

- Participate in at least one (1) of the Olympic Qualification Events organised by the Boxing Task Force;
- Enter in the same weight category at the Olympic Games in which the athlete obtained the quota place; and
- Be examined and cleared to box by a Physician, acting under the responsibility of their respective NOCs and NFs, before (i) each Boxing Olympic Qualifications Event and (ii) the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020 as per the medical requirements set forth in [\[link\]](#).

Entry process for Qualification Events:

All athletes shall be entered by their respective NOC and NF in accordance with the 'Tokyo 2020 Boxing Task Force - Event Regulations' [\[link\]](#) and comply with all abovementioned criteria.

D. QUALIFICATION PATHWAY

QUALIFICATION PLACES

MEN - Table 1

Weight Categories (kg)	Africa	America	Asia/Oceania	Europe	World Qual.*	Host Country	Tripartite	Total
Fly (48 kg to 52 kg)	3	5	6	8	4	1	1	28
Feather (52 kg to 57 kg)	3	5	6	8	5	0	1	28
Light (57 kg to 63 kg)	3	5	6	8	4	1	1	28
Welter (63 kg to 69 kg)	3	4	5	6	5	0	1	24
Middle (69 kg to 75 kg)	3	4	5	6	4	1	1	24
Light Heavy (75 kg to 81 kg)	3	4	5	6	4	0	0	22
Heavy (81 kg to 91 kg)	2	3	4	4	3	0	0	16
Super Heavy (91 kg to +91 kg)	2	3	4	4	3	0	0	16
TOTAL	22	33	41	50	32	3	5	186

* the number of places available for the World Qual. event have been updated following the confirmation of the Host Country Places on 28 March 2020.



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Number of Quota Places	Qualification Event
146	<p><u>Continental Olympic Qualification Events:</u></p> <p>A total of four (4) Continental Olympic Qualification Events will be organised:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - African Olympic Qualification Event – 20-29 February 2020, Dakar (SEN) - Asian/Oceanian Olympic Qualification Event – 3-11 March 2020, Amman (JOR) - European Olympic Qualification Event – Competition Day 1 to 3 – 14-16 March 2020, London (GBR) - *European Olympic Qualification Event – Competition Day 4 to 8 – February 2021 - March 2021 (dates and location to be confirmed) - Americas Olympic Qualification Event – February - March 2021 (dates and location to be confirmed) <p>*The European Olympic Qualification Event will resume from the point it was suspended in each weight category on 16 March 2020 (Competition Day 3). The official draw, conducted in London on 13 March 2020, and the competition schedule that resulted from this draw, will remain valid and will apply when the event resumes. Therefore, only those athletes who were still in the event at the end of the third day of competition will be eligible to participate when the competition resumes.</p> <p>The highest ranked athletes based on the number of quota places available per event, as outlined in Table 1, in the eight (8) men's weight categories will be allocated one (1) quota place, respecting the maximum quota per gender per NOC.</p>
32	<p><u>World Olympic Qualification Event:</u> May - June 2021 (dates and location to be confirmed taking into consideration that the World Olympic Qualification Event will have to take place a minimum of 45 days after the completion of the latest organised Continental Olympic Qualification Event.)</p> <p>The participation at the World Olympic Qualification Event is limited only to those NOCs that have not yet qualified and confirmed an athlete via the Continental Olympic Qualification Events in the specific weight category.</p> <p>Participation of the Host Country is limited only in the weight category that have not yet qualified and confirmed via the Asian/Oceanian Olympic Qualification Event and in the weight category that was not selected as a Host Country Place quota. Refer to Host Country Places section.</p> <p>The highest ranked athletes based on the number of quota places available per event, as outlined in Table 1, in the eight (8) men's weight categories will be allocated one (1) quota place, respecting the maximum quota per gender per NOC.</p>

WOMEN - Table 2

Weight Categories (kg)	Africa	America	Asia/Oceania	Europe	World Qual.*	Host Country	Tripartite	Total
Fly (48 kg to 51 kg)	3	4	6	6	6	0	1	26
Feather (54 kg to 57 kg)	2	3	4	6	4	0	1	20
Light (57 kg to 60 kg)	2	3	4	6	4	0	1	20
Welter (64 kg to 69 kg)	2	3	4	5	4	0	0	18
Middle (69 kg to 75 kg)	2	3	4	4	3	0	0	16
TOTAL	11	16	22	27	21	0	3	100



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Number of Quota Places	Qualification Event
76	<p><u>Continental Olympic Qualification Events:</u></p> <p>A total of four (4) Continental Olympic Qualification Events will be organised:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - African Olympic Qualification Event – 20-29 February 2020, Dakar (SEN) - Asian/Oceanian Olympic Qualification Event – 3-11 March 2020, Amman (JOR) - European Olympic Qualification Event – Competition Day 1 to 3 – 14-16 March 2020, London (GBR) - *European Olympic Qualification Event – Competition Day 4 to 8 – February 2021 - March 2021 (dates and location to be confirmed) - Americas Olympic Qualification Event – February - March 2021 (dates and location to be confirmed) <p>*The European Olympic Qualification Event will resume from the point it was suspended in each weight category on 16 March 2020 (Competition Day 3). The official draw, conducted in London on 13 March 2020, and the competition schedule that resulted from this draw, will remain valid and will apply when the event resumes. Therefore, only those athletes who were still in the event at the end of the third day of competition will be eligible to participate when the competition resumes.</p> <p>The highest ranked athletes based on the number of quota places available per event, as outlined in table 2, in the five (5) women’s weight categories will be allocated one (1) quota place, respecting the maximum quota per gender per NOC.</p>
21	<p><u>World Olympic Qualification Event:</u> May - June 2021 (dates and location to be confirmed taking into consideration that the World Olympic Qualification Event will have to take place a minimum of 45 days after the completion of the latest organised Continental Olympic Qualification Event.</p> <p>The participation at the World Olympic Qualification Event is limited only to those NOCs that have not yet qualified and confirmed an athlete via Continental Olympic Qualification Events in the specific weight category.</p> <p>Participation of the Host Country is limited only in the weight category that have not yet qualified and confirmed via the Asian/Oceanian Olympic Qualification Event and in the weight category that was not selected as a Host Country Place quota. Refer to Host Country Places section.</p> <p>The highest ranked athletes based on the number of quota places available per event, as outlined in table 2, in the five (5) women’s weight categories will be allocated one (1) quota place, respecting the maximum quota per gender per NOC.</p>

HOST COUNTRY PLACES

The Host Country is guaranteed a total of up to six (6) Host Country Places.

These places are only available in the case that the Host NOC does not obtain any qualification places via the Asian/Oceanian Olympic Qualification Event, with a maximum of one (1) quota place per weight category and subject to the quota distribution as per Table 1 and Table 2 respectively, subject to the athlete meeting the Athlete Eligibility Criteria as outlined in Section C.

Up to four (4) will be available in the men’s weight categories with a maximum of one (1) Host Country



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place per weight category and respecting the maximum number of athletes per NOC, except for the Heavy (81 kg to 91 kg) and Super Heavy (91kg to +91 kg) weight categories where no places are available.

Up to two (2) Host Country Places will be available in the women's weight categories with a maximum of one (1) Host Country place per weight category, except for the Middle (69kg to 75kg) weight category where no places are available.

TRIPARTITE COMMISSION INVITATION PLACES

A total of five (5) Tripartite Commission Invitation Places will be available in the men's weight categories with a maximum of one (1) Tripartite Commission Invitation Place per weight category and respecting the maximum number of athletes per NOC, except for the Light Heavy (75 kg to 81 kg), Heavy (81 kg to 91 kg) and Super Heavy (91kg to +91 kg) weight categories where no places are available.

A total of three (3) Tripartite Commission Invitation Places will be available in the women's weight categories with a maximum of one (1) Tripartite Commission Invitation Place per weight category, except for the Welter (64 kg to 69 kg) and Middle (69kg to 75kg) weight category where no places are available.

On 1 October 2019, the International Olympic Committee will invite all eligible NOCs to submit their requests for Tripartite Commission Invitation Places. The deadline for NOCs to submit their requests is 17 January 2020.

Detailed information on Tripartite Invitation places is contained in the "*Games of the XXXII Olympiad, Tokyo 2020 - Olympic Games Tripartite Commission Invitation Places - Allocation Procedure and Regulations*" [\[link\]](#).

A list of allocated Tripartite Commission Invitation Places can be found in the "[Qualification System, Athletes Eligibility and Sports Entries](#)" section on the Boxing Athlete 365 website.

E. CONFIRMATION PROCESS FOR QUOTA PLACES

CONFIRMATION OF QUALIFICATION PLACES

*The Boxing Task Force will inform the respective NOCs of their allocated quota places within three days (3) of the conclusion of the respective qualification event.

The list of allocated quota places can be found in the "[Qualification System, Athletes Eligibility and Sports Entries](#)" section on the Boxing Athlete 365 website after the completion of the respective qualification event.

NOCs will have two (2) weeks to confirm to the Boxing Task Force if they wish to use the quota places obtained through a Continental Olympic Qualification Event as detailed in paragraph G. Qualification Timeline.

*In the case of the European Olympic Qualification Event, the quota places in the Men's Fly and Feather weight categories have been confirmed. Quota places will only be allocated to the Men's Light, Welter, Middle, Light Heavy, Heavy and Super Heavy weight categories and to the Women's Fly, Feather, Light, Welter and Middle weight categories.

NOCs will have one (1) week to confirm if they wish to use the quota places obtained through the World Olympic Qualification Event, as detailed in paragraph G. Qualification Timeline.



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CONFIRMATION OF HOST COUNTRY PLACES

Further to the conclusion of the Asian/Oceanian Olympic Qualification Event, and in case the Host Country obtains less than the four (4) male and the two (2) female guaranteed quotas across any of the weight categories, then the Host NOC will need to confirm the boxers in the weight categories selected for Host Country Places by 28 March 2020, as detailed in paragraph G. Qualification Timeline. The total number of Host Country Places that can be selected are as follows:

- If the Host Country obtains one (1) male quota place, a total of three (3) male Host Country places can be selected respecting the maximum event specific quota.
- If the Host Country obtains two (2) male quota places, a total of two (2) male Host Country places can be selected respecting the maximum event specific quota.
- If the Host Country obtains three (3) male quota places, one (1) male Host Country places can be selected respecting the maximum event specific quota.
- If the Host Country obtains one (1) female quota place, one (1) female Host Country places can be selected respecting the maximum event specific quota.

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 athlete in accordance with Rule 16.5 of the 'Tokyo 2020 Boxing Task Force - Event Regulations' [\[link\]](#) at the respective qualification event, in the respective weight category where the quota place was obtained, respecting the criteria outlined in Section C.

Rule 16.5 of the 'Tokyo 2020 Boxing Task Force – Event Regulations'

For Olympic quota reallocation purposes, the definition of “next highest ranked athlete” refers to the Boxer defeated by the Boxer who did not accept the quota place, or had it denied in the specific bout that determined the qualification.

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED HOST COUNTRY PLACES

Any unused Host Country Place(s), declined or not confirmed by the confirmation of quota places deadline will not be reallocated.

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED TRIPARTITE COMMISSION INVITATION PLACES

Any unused Tripartite Commission Invitation Place(s), declined or not confirmed by the confirmation of quota places deadline will be reallocated according to Section 2B. Invitation Places subject to the principle of reallocation of unused quota places in the “*Games of the XXXII Olympiad, Tokyo 2020 - Olympic Games Tripartite Commission Invitation Places - Allocation Procedure and Regulations*” [\[link\]](#).



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G. QUALIFICATION TIMELINE

Date	Milestone
1 October 2019	IOC to invite all eligible NOCs to submit their requests for Tripartite Commission Invitation Places
20 November 2019	Boxing Task Force to release the 'Tokyo 2020 Boxing Task Force - Event Regulations'
17 January 2020	Deadline for NOCs to submit their requests for Tripartite Commission Invitation Places
20-29 February 2020	African Olympic Qualification Event, Dakar (SEN)
3 March 2020	Boxing Task Force to inform the NOCs of their allocated quota places obtained at the African Olympic Qualification Event
3-11 March 2020	Asian/Oceania Olympic Qualification Event, Amman (JOR)
14-16 March 2020	European Olympic Qualification Event, London (GBR) – Competition Day 1-3 completed
15 March 2020	Boxing Task Force to inform the NOCs of their allocated quota places obtained at the Asian/Oceanian Olympic Qualification Event
18 March 2020	Deadline for NOCs to confirm to Boxing Task Force the use of the quota place obtained in African Olympic Qualification Event
27 March 2020	Boxing Task Force to inform the NOCs of their allocated quota places obtained at the European Olympic Qualification Event Men's Fly and Feather weight categories
28 March 2020	Deadline for the Host NOC to confirm the boxers in the weight categories selected for Host Country Places.
29 March 2020	Deadline for NOCs to confirm to Boxing Task Force the use of the quota place obtained in Asian/Oceanian Olympic Qualification Event
10 April 2020	Deadline for NOCs to confirm to Boxing Task Force the use of the quota place obtained in European Olympic Qualification Event Men's Fly and Feather weight categories
February – March 2021	European Olympic Qualification Event - Competition Day 4-8 (location tbc)
TBC	Boxing Task Force to inform the NOCs of their allocated quota places obtained at the European Olympic Qualification Event except for Men's Fly and Feather weight categories
February – March 2021	Americas Olympic Qualification Event (location tbc)
TBC	Boxing Task Force to inform the NOCs of their allocated quota places obtained at the Americas Olympic Qualification Event
TBC	Deadline for NOCs to confirm to Boxing Task Force the use of the quota place obtained in European Olympic Qualification Event except for Men's Fly and Feather weight categories
TBC	Deadline for NOCs to confirm to Boxing Task Force the use of the quota place obtained in Americas Olympic Qualification Event
May - June 2021	World Olympic Qualification Event (location tbc)
TBC	Boxing Task Force to inform the NOCs of their allocated quota places obtained at the World Olympic Qualification Event
TBC	Deadline for NOCs to confirm to Boxing Task Force the use of the quota place obtained in World Olympic Qualification Event.
5 July 2021	Tokyo 2020 Sport Entries deadline
23 July – 8 August 2021	Olympic Games Tokyo 2020