



2023 National Select Camp Selection Criteria

General Criteria:

All athletes must meet the following criteria to be eligible for the 2023 National Select Camp.

- ❖ All athletes must be registered USA Swimming members at the time of the qualifying performance and at the time of the camp.
- ❖ All athletes must be a registered USA Swimming Premium athlete member in good standing. Flex members must upgrade their membership to be eligible to attend.
- ❖ Athletes must be US citizens* & have not represented USA Swimming or any other World Aquatics Federation at an international competition.
- ❖ Eligible athletes will be the respective ages **at the time of the qualifying swim**:
 - Girls: 14-15
 - Boys: 15-16
- ❖ Athletes who have previously attended a National Select Camp, National Team and/or National Junior Team camp are not eligible.

Selection Criteria:

Each camp will consist of 52 athletes. The Boys and Girls camps will be held on separate weekends:

- ❖ The three fastest available athletes from each competition category (male/female) in each Long Course Meters (LCM) pool event will be selected, for a total of 42 male and 42 female athletes.
- ❖ Six female athletes (three 14 year-olds and three 15 year-olds) and the six male athletes (three 15 year-olds and three 16 year-olds) with the highest individual LCM IMX scores during the qualifying window will be selected.
- ❖ If a swimmer was already selected for an Olympic pool event, then the next swimmer with the highest score is selected.
- ❖ 4 athletes from each competition category will be selected based on results from the 2023 USA Swimming Open Water Junior Nationals by the following**:
 - The top two available 17 & under finishers in the 7.5k
 - The top 14-year-old, and 15-year-old finisher in the 5k.

Additional Information:

- ❖ Doubles will be resolved by placing the athlete in their highest HY-tek power point event.
- ❖ The event qualifying period is September 1, 2022, through August 31, 2023.
- ❖ IMX qualifiers will be selected by their 2023 LCM score.

**Athletes can be dual citizens, but their sport nation must be the United States and they must have resided in the United States for at least twelve (12) months prior to the camp/competition, according to World Aquatics rules.*

***Due to age restrictions in the Junior National 5K Championship race, this event will select the top available 14, and 15-year-old finisher. The 7.5K will select the top 2 finishers within the age standards of the respective camp.*