



QUALIFICATION SYSTEM – GAMES OF THE XXXII OLYMPIAD – TOKYO 2020

INTERNATIONAL BASKETBALL FEDERATION (FIBA)

Basketball 3x3

A. EVENTS (2)

Men's Events (1)	Women's Events (1)
8-team tournament	8-team tournament

B. ATHLETES QUOTA

1. Total Quota for Basketball 3x3:

	Qualification Places	Host Country Places	Total
Men	32 athletes (8 teams)*	*	32
Women	32 athletes (8 teams)*	*	32
Total	64 athletes (16 teams)		64

*See D. section: Host Country Places

2. Maximum Number of Athletes per NOC:

	Quota per NOC
Men	4 athletes (1 team)
Women	4 athletes (1 team)
Total	8 athletes (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 (the “Olympic Games”).

Additional IF Eligibility Criteria:

To be eligible to participate in the Olympic Games, all athletes must have a confirmed account at <https://play.fiba3x3.com> and at least two (2) athletes, out of the four (4) per team, have to be ranked within the top 10 of their national individual ranking (only athletes with a confirmed account are considered) on 22 June 2020 (i.e. two weeks before the Tokyo 2020 Sport Entries deadline on 6 July 2020); whilst the other two



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(2) athletes of the team need to have a 54.000 (men) and 36.000 (women) minimum number if individual ranking points or be ranked within the top 50 of their national individual ranking (only athletes with a confirmed account are considered) on 22 June 2020.

Notwithstanding the above, to be eligible to participate in the Olympic Games, the athletes must comply with the specific nationality criteria for 3x3, as described below:

- They must hold legal nationality of the represented country;
- They must have presented a passport of the represented country issued by competent authorities before 1st of January of 2018;
- They cannot have played for the national team in basketball (5v5 and/or 3x3) for another country in an Official Competition of FIBA, except with a special dispensation from FIBA's Secretary General;
- They must be at least 18 years old on 24 July 2020.

Only NOCs with National Associations which comply with the following criteria are eligible to participate in the Olympic Games:

- Have had at least three (3) FIBA-endorsed ranking-points-awarding events within their territory registered on FIBA's digital platform (<http://play.fiba3x3.com>) during the 12-month period prior to 1 November 2019;
- Have at least one staff member with a valid [FIBA 3x3 e-learning](#) certification by 1 November 2019;
- Have not been the object of a suspension or otherwise sanctioned by FIBA.



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D. QUALIFICATION PATHWAY

QUALIFICATION PLACES

The qualification events described in the present section are listed in hierarchical order of qualification.

MEN/WOMEN

Number of Quota Places per gender	Qualification Event
4 teams (M) 4 teams (W)	<p>3x3 Federation Ranking List of 1 November 2019 at 1200 UTC</p> <p>The 3x3 Federation Ranking List is calculated based on the rankings points of each NOC, whereas each NOC's ranking points are the sum of the ranking points of their top 100 nationals with a confirmed play.fiba3x3.com account in the respective gender and tied NOC will be forced ranked based on each NOC's highest ranked player in the corresponding gender. In this context, each player ranking points is calculated based on the points collected considering only the results of the best 9 FIBA-endorsed events on the last 12 months prior to 1 November 2019. FIBA-endorsed events are those events fully uploaded on https://play.fiba3x3.com.</p> <p>The three (3) or four (4) (depending on Host Country place) highest ranked NOCs per gender on the 3x3 Federation Ranking List of 1 November 2019 at 1200 UTC will each earn one (1) quota place for their NOC to the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020; however not more than two (2) NOCs can be from the same continent (the 5 continents of the Olympic Movement being America, Europe, Africa, Asia and Oceania).</p> <p>In the event of a tie in the 3x3 Federation Ranking List between two or more NOCs, the criteria to determine the team(s) earning a quota place for their NOC/NF will be based on which NOC(s) has (have) the highest ranked player (with a confirmed account) in the given gender.</p> <p>The 3x3 Federation Ranking List is updated daily and can be checked in https://fiba3x3.com/</p>
3 teams (M) 3 teams (W)	<p>2020 FIBA Olympic Qualifying Tournament (OQT) (date and location TBC)</p> <p>The three (3) highest placed NOCs at the 2020 FIBA Olympic Qualifying Tournament will each receive one (1) quota place to the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.</p> <p>Twenty teams per gender are eligible to participate in the 2020 FIBA Olympic Qualifying Tournament as per the following criteria:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The Host NOC of the OQT, if not yet qualified in the corresponding gender through the Federation Ranking List (see above);2. The three (3) medallists of the 2019 FIBA 3x3 World Cup (if not yet qualified for the Olympics directly);3. The 16 (or more, if Host NOC of the OQT and/or some of the 2019 FIBA 3x3 World Cup medallist teams are already qualified for the Olympics) highest ranked NOCs at the 3x3 Federation Ranking List of 1 November 2019 not yet qualified to the Olympic Games through the Federation Ranking List (including in any case the Host Country of the Olympic Games if not yet qualified);



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	<p>4. Subject to the last 10 berths in each gender will be allocated following the Federation Ranking List <u>only</u> if the respective NOC has not already a team in any gender qualified;</p> <p>5. Subject to a maximum of 10 teams per gender from the same Continent shall take part.</p> <p>NOCs which have already qualified directly through the Federation Ranking List will not compete at the 2020 FIBA Olympic Qualifying Tournament (OQT).</p> <p>If any invited NOC does not accept the invitation or the Host NOC of the OQT fall under criteria 2 and 3 above, the next highest ranked and eligible NOC(s), not already qualified from the Ranking List of 1 November 2019, will be invited to participate to the OQT, subject to the above-mentioned criteria.</p>
1 team (M) 1 team (W)	<p>2020 FIBA Universality-driven Olympic Qualifying Tournament (UOQT) (date and location TBC, in any case <u>after</u> the OQT)</p> <p>The highest placed NOC at the FIBA Universality-driven Olympic Qualifying Tournament will receive one (1) quota place to the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.</p> <p>Six (6) teams are eligible to participate in the 2020 FIBA Universality-driven Olympic Qualifying Tournament as per the following criteria:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The Host NOC of the UOQT, if not yet qualified in the corresponding gender through the Federation Ranking list or the OQT (see above);2. The five (5) highest ranked NOCs at the 3x3 Federation Ranking List of 1 November 2019 not yet qualified to the Olympic Games through the Federation Ranking List or the OQT (including in any case the Host Country of the Olympic Games if not yet qualified).3. Only NOC (other than Host Country of the Olympic Games) who have <u>not</u> been represented in Basketball (irrespectively men or women) in the past 2 editions of the Olympic Games are eligible to participate in the UOQT. <p>NOCs which have qualified directly through the 3x3 Federation Ranking List of 1 November 2019 or the OQT will not compete at the Universality-driven Olympic Qualifying Tournament (UOQT).</p> <p>If any invited NOC does not accept the invitation or the Host NOC of the Olympic Games fall under criteria 2 above, the next highest ranked and eligible NOC(s) not already qualified from the Ranking List of 1 November 2019 will be invited to participate.</p>

HOST COUNTRY PLACES

If the Host Country has no team qualified on 2 November 2019, then FIBA will grant one (1) automatic qualification place to the highest ranked in the corresponding 3x3 Federation Ranking for Men and Women (with preference to latter in case of tie).

E. CONFIRMATION PROCESS FOR QUOTA PLACES

Following each qualification event, FIBA will publish the results on its website (www.fiba3x3.com/olympics) and inform the respective NOCs of their allocated quota places. The NOCs will then have to confirm if they wish to use these quota places, as detailed in paragraph **G. Qualification Timeline**.



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F. REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUOTA PLACES

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION PLACES

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 eligible NOC in the corresponding qualification event.

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED HOST COUNTRY PLACES

Subject to FIBA Central Board decision in December 2017

G. QUALIFICATION TIMELINE

Date	Milestone
12 months prior to 1 November 2019 at 1200 UTC	Ranking Period for the Individual World Ranking and Federation Ranking
1 November 2019	3x3 Individual and Federation Ranking lists published
4 November 2019	FIBA to inform NOCs/NFs of their allocated quota places through the Federation Ranking List
1 December 2019	NOCs to confirm use of allocated quota places through Federation Ranking List to FIBA
March 2020 (TBC)	Olympic Qualifying Tournament (OQT), (TBD*)
Within a week of the OQT	FIBA to inform NOCs/NFs of their allocated quota places through the OQT
Within 2 weeks of OQT	NOCs to confirm use of allocated quota places through the OQT to FIBA
April 2020 (TBC)	Universality-driven Olympic Qualifying Tournament (UOQT), (TBD*)
Within a week of the UOQT	FIBA to inform NOCs/NFs of their allocated quota places through the UOQT
Within 2 weeks of the UOQT	NOCs to confirm use of allocated quota places through the UOQT to FIBA
Within 3 weeks of the UOQT. (but no later than one week prior to the Sport Entries deadline)	FIBA to reallocate all unused quota places, if any, not later than 2 July 2020
6 July 2020	Tokyo 2020 Sport Entries deadline
24 July – 9 August 2020	Olympic Games Tokyo 2020

*Exact time and location TBD by latest 31.01.2020



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INTERNATIONAL BASKETBALL FEDERATION

Basketball

A. EVENTS (2)

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

B. ATHLETES QUOTA

1. Total Quota for Basketball:

	Qualification Places	Host Country Places	Total
Men	132 (11 teams)	12 (1 team)	144 (12 teams)
Women	132 (11 teams)	12 (1 team)	144 (12 teams)
Total	264 (22 teams)	24 (2 teams)	288 (24 teams)

2. Maximum Number of Athletes per NOC:

	Quota per NOC
Men	12 (1 team)
Women	12 (1 team)
Total	24 (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 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.

Additional IF Requirements:

Only the athletes who are eligible to participate at the main official competitions of FIBA, in accordance with the FIBA Internal Regulations, are entitled to participate in the Olympic Games.

<http://www.fiba.basketball/internal-regulations/book3/players-and-officials.pdf>



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D. QUALIFICATION PATHWAY

QUALIFICATION PLACES

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MEN / WOMEN

Number of Team Quota Places	Qualification Events																
MEN																	
	The Host Nation*																
1	Japan																
	The teams directly qualified through the FIBA Basketball World Cup (FBWC) 2019**																
2	America																
2	Europe																
1	Africa																
1	Asia																
1	Oceania																
4	The teams qualified through the FIBA Olympic Qualifying Tournaments (FOQT) 2020																
	<p>* Subject to Central Board decision. In the event that the Central Board does not award a direct spot to the Host Nation, the number of teams directly qualified from the FIBA Basketball World Cup 2019 shall be increased accordingly.</p> <p>** The best teams from respective continents based on the final official classification of the FIBA Basketball World Cup 2019.</p> <p>Participation in the FIBA Olympic Qualifying Tournaments 2020</p> <p>1. Twenty four (24) teams, representing all continents, are eligible to participate in the FIBA Olympic Qualifying Tournaments 2020 as follows:</p> <table border="1" style="margin-left: 40px;"> <thead> <tr style="background-color: #00aaff; color: white;"> <th colspan="2">Directly qualified from FBWC 2109</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="width: 80%;">The 16 best placed teams not directly qualified for the Olympic Games</td> <td style="text-align: center;">16</td> </tr> <tr style="background-color: #00aaff; color: white;"> <th colspan="2">Additional teams selected by FIBA</th> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Africa</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Americas</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Asia</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Europe</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Total</td> <td style="text-align: center;">24</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>2. The sixteen (16) best placed teams not directly qualified for the Olympic Basketball Tournament from the previous FIBA Basketball World Cup, regardless of their continent of origin, will be invited to participate in the FIBA Olympic Qualifying Tournaments. Eight (8) additional teams selected by FIBA upon proposal by the relevant Regional Offices and consideration also of their sporting results will be invited to participate in the FIBA Olympic Qualifying Tournaments.</p>	Directly qualified from FBWC 2109		The 16 best placed teams not directly qualified for the Olympic Games	16	Additional teams selected by FIBA		Africa	2	Americas	2	Asia	2	Europe	2	Total	24
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Total	24																



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	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Should any of the invited teams not accept the invitation, the next best team(s) who has not directly qualified from the same continent will be invited to participate unless otherwise decided by the FIBA Central Board. 4. The twenty-four (24) participating teams will be divided into four (4) tournaments of six (6) teams each. 5. Each tournament shall be hosted by one (1) of the six (6) participating national federations. 6. The draw for the FIBA Olympic Qualifying Tournaments shall be made before the hosting national federations are defined. 7. In principle, each continent shall host one (1) FIBA Olympic Qualifying Tournament. 8. The winner of each tournament shall qualify for the Men's Olympic Basketball Tournament. <p>The NOCs/NFs participating in the Olympic Qualifying Tournaments, must confirm their participation to the Olympic Games to FIBA in case they obtain a quota place at the same time as registering their team(s) for the Olympic Qualifying Tournaments by 30.11.2019.</p>
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WOMEN											
	The Host nation*										
1	Japan										
	The teams directly qualified through the previous FIBA competitions										
1	FIBA Women's Basketball World Cup 2018 – Champion										
10	The teams qualified through the FIBA Women's Olympic Qualifying Tournaments (FWOQT)										
	<p>There will be two rounds of the Qualifying Tournaments for Tokyo 2020. The first round, the FIBA Women's Olympic Pre-Qualifying Tournaments (FWOPQT), will be played at the continental and the second round, the FIBA Women's Olympic Qualifying Tournaments (FWOQT), at the global level.</p> <p>Participation in the FIBA Women's Olympic Pre-Qualifying Tournaments (FWOPQT)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The best classified teams from the following FIBA Women's Continental Cups 2019 are qualified for the FWOPQTs as follows: <table border="1" style="margin: 10px auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2" style="background-color: #00AEEF; color: white; text-align: center;">Directly qualified from the FIBA Women's Continental Cups 2019</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td align="center">Africa</td> <td align="center">6</td> </tr> <tr> <td align="center">Americas</td> <td align="center">8</td> </tr> <tr> <td align="center">Asia (including Oceania)</td> <td align="center">8</td> </tr> <tr> <td align="center">Total</td> <td align="center">22</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. The above numbers shall include the OG Host Nation and, if not from Europe, the FIBA Women's World Cup 2018 winner. 3. Should any of the invited teams not accept the invitation, the next best team(s) who has(ve) not directly qualified from the same continent will be invited to participate unless otherwise decided by the FIBA Central Board. 4. The twenty-two (22) participating teams will be divided into two (2) tournaments of four (4) teams in Asia and Americas and one (1) tournament of six (6) teams in Africa. 5. The groups will be composed of the teams from the same continent/geographical region (in case of Asia and Oceania). 6. Each tournament shall be hosted by one (1) of the participating national federations. 	Directly qualified from the FIBA Women's Continental Cups 2019		Africa	6	Americas	8	Asia (including Oceania)	8	Total	22
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Americas	8										
Asia (including Oceania)	8										
Total	22										



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7. The draw for the FWOPQTs shall be made before the hosting national federations are defined.
8. The top two (2) teams of each tournament shall qualify for the FIBA Women's Olympic Qualifying Tournaments (FWOQTs). In case the OG Host Nation or the FWBWC winner are in the group, those teams will qualify directly and the second teams from the respective groups according to the result.

Participation in the FIBA Women's Olympic Qualifying Tournaments (FWOQT)

1. Sixteen (16) teams, representing all continents/geographical regions, are qualified for the FWOQTs as follows:

Qualified from the First Round of FIBA women's Olympic qualifying tournament	
Africa (qualified through FWOPQT in Africa)	2
Americas (qualified through FWOPQT in Americas)	4
Asia (qualified teams from Asia and Oceania qualified through FWOPQTs in Asia)	4
Europe (best classified teams from the last FIBA Women's Eurobasket)	6
Total	16

2. The sixteen (16) participating teams will be divided into four (4) tournaments of four (4) teams each.
3. Each tournament shall be hosted by one (1) of the four (4) participating national federations.
4. The draw for the FWOQTs shall be made before the hosting national federations are defined. In order to implement the universality principle, at least one of the groups should contain two teams from the same continent/geographical region, as decided by FIBA.
5. In principle, each continent/geographical region should host one (1) of the FIBA Women's Olympic Qualifying Tournament.
6. The best three (3) teams from each of the Tournaments shall qualify for the Women's Olympic Basketball Tournament. In case the OG Host Nation or the FWBWC winner are in the group, those teams will qualify directly and the remaining two teams from the respective groups according to the result.

The NOCs/NFs participating in the Olympic Qualifying Tournaments, must confirm their participation in the Olympic Games to FIBA in case they obtain a quota place at the same time as registering their team(s) for the FWOPQT by 30.09.2019.

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HOST COUNTRY PLACES

The FIBA Central Board may decide to grant the automatic qualification place to the Men's and Women's teams of the Host Country. The FIBA Central Board will determine the precise criteria **by 31.12.2018** the latest. This decision will be made **by 30.06.2019**.



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E. CONFIRMATION PROCESS FOR QUOTA PLACES

FIBA will publish the final results after each qualification event on the official website (www.fiba.basketball) and inform the qualified NOCs/NFs accordingly.

The NOCs will then have two (2) weeks to confirm if they wish to use these quota places, as detailed in paragraph G. Qualification Timeline.

For the FIBA Olympic (Pre-)Qualifying Tournaments, the NOC/NF must confirm their participation to the Olympic Games to FIBA should they qualify at the same time as registering their team(s) for the FIBA Olympic (Pre-)Qualifying Tournaments, namely **by 30 September 2019 for Women and 30 November 2019 for Men.**

F. REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUOTA PLACES

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION PLACES

If a quota place allocated at the FIBA Basketball World Cup 2019 or from the FIBA Continental Cups 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 best-ranked NOC not yet qualified, from the respective event where the quota place was obtained.

For the quota places allocated at the Olympic Qualifying Tournaments, should the NOC/NF decline the quota place, then the place(s) will be reallocated to the next highest ranked team(s) not yet qualified from the respective OQT.

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED HOST COUNTRY PLACES

In case the automatic qualification places are not granted to the Host Country by the FIBA Central Board, or in case the Host Country declines the automatic qualification places, FIBA will reallocate those place(s) to the next best placed team(s) from the FIBA Basketball World Cup 2019 (the best classified among those teams not directly qualified for the OG) and FIBA Women's Olympic Qualifying Tournaments (11th team from the Tournaments). In case Japan accepts the host country place but also granted a quota place as the best Asian team at the World Cup, the quota place will be reallocated the next best team from Asia at the World Cup.

G. QUALIFICATION TIMELINE

Date	Milestone
22 – 30 September 2018	FIBA Women's Basketball World Cup 2018, Spain
31 Aug – 15 Sept 2019	FIBA Basketball World Cup, China
30 September 2019	NOCs to confirm use of allocated quota places to FIBA for women events
15 – 17 November 2019	5 FIBA Women's Olympic Pre-Qualifying Tournaments, (locations TBC)
30 November 2019	NOCs to confirm use of allocated quota places to FIBA for men events
7 – 9 February 2020*	4 FIBA Women's Olympic Qualifying Tournaments, (location TBC)
23 – 28 June 2020*	4 FIBA Olympic Qualifying Tournaments 2020, (locations TBC)
6 July 2020	Tokyo 2020 Sport Entries deadline
24 July – 9 August 2020	Olympic Games Tokyo 2020

*Exact location TBD by 30.11.2019 (Women) & 31.03.2020 (Men)