

# **2022 USA Diving Winter National Championships**

Qualification Criteria and Team Selections

December 14-18, 2022

The Aquatic Center at Mylan Park  
Morgantown, West Virginia

## **Team and Squad selections**

- a. 2023 Spring FINA Grand Prix meets
- b. Additional events as decided by the High Performance Department

## **Contested events**

- a. 1-meter, 3-meter, 10-meter (prelim and finals)
- b. Synchronized 3-meter, 10-meter (prelims and finals)

\*Divers may compete with up to two partners in each synchronized event.  
\*Cumulative scoring for all events will be used to determine selection rankings, National Champions, and the advancement to each round.  
\*Neutral judges will be used.

**Please see EVENT SCHEDULE on the USA Diving Website Event Page for the most up to date information.**

**Entry deadline:** Registration will be done through Divemeets.com. Late fees will go into effect at 5 p.m. ET on Wednesday, November 30, 2022. Online registration will still be available after 5 p.m. ET on Wednesday, November 30, 2022, with a \$100/diver late fee.

## **ELIGIBILITY TO PARTICIPATE**

### **Individual events (U.S. Citizens)**

Divers must:

- a. Be a member in good standing of USA Diving
- b. Meet standards for eligibility to compete

Qualification criteria:

- a. Current Senior High Performance Squad members (Tier 1 & 2 & 3) will be eligible to compete in any event
- b. Current Tier 3 Junior members must meet the following requirements in order to participate:
  - 1) On 1-meter and 3-meter springboard events, Junior Tier 3 members must meet the minimum DD requirements
  - 2) On platform, Junior Tier 3 divers must perform all dives from the 10-meter, but do not need to meet the minimum DD requirement  
*\*No more than two voluntary dives may be included in the diver's list.*
- c. Team Members from the 2020 Olympic Games, 2021 World Cup, and 2022 World Championships may participate in any event

- d. Additional divers will be eligible to compete in a specific event provided they have achieved the minimum score listed in Table 1 at one of the competitions listed in Table 2. *This includes the 2022 Winter Nationals Qualifier occurring in December 2022 (December 12-13). Please see the Criteria for this Qualifying event [HERE](#).*
  - i. Divers do not need to meet the minimum degree of difficulty when obtaining the qualifying score, but must meet the DD requirements outlined below at the 2022 Winter Nationals
  - ii. Divers at NCAA meets or Junior Nationals (Group A and B – optionals only) do not need to perform all dives on 10-meter when obtaining the qualifying score on platform, but must compete all dives from 10-meter at the 2022 Winter Nationals
  - iii. If a Group A or B diver's score (optionals only) in the preliminary, semifinal or final at Junior Nationals meets the score in Table 1 below, the diver will be eligible for that event only

### **Individual Events (Non-U.S. Citizens)**

Divers must:

- a. Meet qualification criteria and standards for eligibility to compete
- b. Be a member in good standing of their home federation and have permission from their federation to compete. A request from the federation must be submitted to Olivia Rosendahl ([oliviari@usadiving.org](mailto:oliviari@usadiving.org)) for approval. All requests received by 5 p.m. ET on November 23, 2022, will receive full consideration for approval; any requests received after the deadline will be subject to review at USA Diving's discretion.
- c. Be a current USA Diving member in good standing

Qualification criteria:

- a. Divers will be eligible to compete in a specific event provided that they have achieved the minimum score in Table 1 at one of the following events:
  - i. 2021 or 2022 NCAA Division I Zone, NCAA National Championships, or approved Conference Championships
  - ii. Home country's National Championships (2021 or 2022)
  - iii. 2021 or 2022 FINA Event (Grand Prix, World Series, World Championship, World Cup, or Olympic Games)
- b. If the score was achieved at a.) ii/iii above, the diver must submit proof of score by 5 p.m. ET on November 23, 2022, to Olivia Rosendahl ([oliviari@usadiving.org](mailto:oliviari@usadiving.org))
- c. Points of Clarification
  - i. Divers do not need to meet the minimum degree of difficulty when obtaining the qualifying score, but must meet the DD requirements outlined below at the 2022 Winter Nationals
  - ii. Divers at NCAA meets do not need to perform all dives on 10-meter when obtaining the qualifying score on platform, but must compete all dives from 10-meter at the 2022 Winter Nationals

**Note:** International divers will be eligible to receive a place finish but will not displace a U.S. diver from finaling or earning a medal.

### **Synchronized Events (U.S. Citizens)**

Both divers must:

- a. Be citizens of the United States
- b. Be members in good standing of USA Diving
- c. Meet minimum degree of difficulty standards outlined in Table 4 below

### **Synchronized Events/Non-U.S. citizens**

Both divers must:

- a. Be citizens of the same country
- b. Have permission from their home federation to compete in USA Diving Winter Nationals. A request from the federation must be submitted to Olivia Rosendahl ([oliviar@usadiving.org](mailto:oliviar@usadiving.org)) for approval. All requests received by 5 p.m. ET on November 23, 2022, will receive full consideration for approval; any requests received after the deadline will be subject to review at USA Diving's discretion.
- c. Meet minimum degree of difficulty standards outlined in Table 4 below
- d. Be members in good standing of USA Diving

**Note:** International divers will be eligible to receive a place finish but will not displace a U.S. diver from finaling or earning a medal.

## **STANDARDS FOR ELIGIBILITY**

**Table 1: Minimum qualifying score requirements for event eligibility 2022 Winter Nationals**

<b>EVENT</b>	<b>Senior Women and Group A</b> (USA Diving Events)	<b>Senior Women</b> (NCAA Events)	<b>Senior Men and Group A</b> (USA Diving and NCAA Events)
1-meter	235 (47/opt)	282 (47/opt)	318 (53/opt)
3-meter	260 (52/opt)	312 (52/opt)	360 (60/opt)
Platform	250 (52/opt)	260 (52/opt)	342 (57/opt)

<b>EVENT</b>	<b>Group B Girls</b> (USA Diving Events)	<b>Group B Boys</b> (USA Diving Events)	<b>Group A Girls Intl.</b> (FINA Events)	<b>Group A Boys Intl.</b> (FINA Events)
1-meter	188 (47/opt)	212 (53/opt)	188 (47/opt)	265 (53/opt)
3-meter	208 (52/opt)	240 (60/opt)	208 (52/opt)	300 (60/opt)
Platform	171 (57/opt)	228 (57/opt)	228 (57/opt)	285 (57/opt)

## **QUALIFICATION EVENTS**

\*for questions about specific eligibility of events, please contact [oliviari@usadiving.org](mailto:oliviari@usadiving.org)

**Table 2 Competitions at which a qualifying score may be achieved**

NCAA Division I Zone Championships (2021, 2022)
NCAA Division I Championships (2021, 2022)
NCAA Division I Conference Championships (2021, 2022) *approved by HPD
USA Diving National or Junior National Championships (Junior group A & B) (2021, 2022)
USA Diving Winter National Championships (2021)
USA Diving Olympic Trials Qualifier (2021)
USA Olympic Team Trials (2021)
USA Diving Open Championship (2021, 2022)
USA Diving Winter Nationals Qualifier (2022)
Additional Events to be determined by the HPD & CCE

## **DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY**

**Table 3 Eligibility to compete/minimum degree of difficulty for individual events**

<b>Event</b>	<b>Women</b>	<b>Men</b>
1-meter	11.9	15.9
3-meter	13.7	17.2
10-meter	13.3	17.1

**Table 4 Eligibility to compete/minimum total degree of difficulty for synchronized events**

<b>Event</b>	<b>Women</b>	<b>Men</b>
Synchronized 3-meter	12.3 (8.3 for optionals)	15.7 (11.7 for optionals)
Synchronized 10-meter	12.2 (8.2 for optionals)	15.9 (11.9 for optionals)