

MAG Development and Foundation Squad Selection 2021-23

GB Foundation and Development Squads are made up of the following age ranges and are open to all gymnasts eligible to represent Great Britain.

- Gymnasts aged 9,10,11,12 on 1st January in year of Squad (Foundation Squad).
- Gymnasts aged 13,14+ on 1st January in year of Squad (Development Squad).

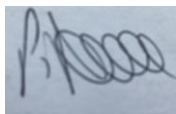
A selection day will be held prior to Squad selection and will be open to the following gymnasts:

- Top 6 all around gymnasts from Levels 1, 2,3,4 Elite Grades Final.
Up to 6 extra gymnasts, nominated by National Coaches.
Total: 30 gymnasts
- Top 5 all around gymnasts from Levels 5 and 6 Elite Grades Final.
Top 5 age eligible all around gymnasts from U14 British Champs and London Open 2018, if not in Top 5 at Elite Grades.
Up to 4 extra gymnasts per year group, nominated by National Coaches.
Total: Up to 28 gymnasts
- **Any coach who wishes their gymnast to be considered for one of the above squads but falls outside of the stated criteria should contact one of the National Caches in writing requesting attendance at the testing day.**

There are up to 16 places available in both the Development and Foundation Squads. Each squad will have up to 5 reserve places allocated to gymnasts who will not attend squads but may be invited to specific trainings should space become available. Development squad gymnasts will meet for 4 day camps for between 4 and 8 times per year, whilst Foundation squads will meet for at least 3 weekends throughout the year.

Testing criteria is available on the BG website, with a percentage of the scoring given to a gymnasts' placing at the Elite Grades. Gymnasts who are not selected for a GB Squad following the selection weekend will have their results forwarded to the relevant Home Nation, for consideration as a member of a Home Nation Squad. ***Squad testing day for 2023 will be on Saturday 7th January, with squad lists published by 20th January, ready to start squads from February 2023.***

Invitations for the selection day will be sent out at the Elite Grades.



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