

INTERCOLLEGIATE TEAM FIGURE SKATING – ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS “QUICK LOOK”

In order to enter a U.S. Figure Skating Intercollegiate Competition, athletes must be:

1. A current member of U.S. Figure Skating
2. A full-time student, as defined by the college or university they attend
3. Test-eligible for the event(s) they enter as of the entry deadline for each event.

The team contact person is responsible for ensuring that every athlete listed on their roster and entered into an event meeting all of these requirements.

QUICK LOOK AT TEST REQUIREMENTS, BY EVENT

FREE SKATE & SHORT PROGRAM SINGLES EVENTS GENERAL: Athletes are allowed to skate at their highest test level passed, or “skate up” one level higher, with exceptions for the Championship events, where skating up is not allowed, and preliminary, where a no-test skater may enter.

LEVEL	EVENT	MINIMUM TEST PASSED	MAXIMUM TEST PASSED
Senior Championship	Free Skate	Senior FS	Senior FS
Senior	Free Skate	Junior FS	Senior FS
Junior Championships	Free Skate	Junior FS	Junior FS
Junior	Free Skate	Novice FS	Junior FS
Novice	Free Skate	Intermediate FS	Novice FS
Intermediate	Free Skate	Juvenile FS	Intermediate FS
Juvenile	Free Skate	Pre-Juvenile FS	Juvenile FS
Pre-Juvenile	Free Skate	Preliminary FS	Pre-Juvenile FS
Preliminary	Free Skate	None	Preliminary FS

LEVEL	EVENT	MINIMUM TEST PASSED	MAXIMUM TEST PASSED
Senior	Short Program	Junior FS	Senior FS
Junior	Short Program	Novice FS	Junior FS
Novice	Short Program	Intermediate FS	Novice FS
Intermediate	Short Program	Juvenile FS	Intermediate FS

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SOLO DANCE EVENTS GENERAL: Passing a level means passing **ALL** of the dances in that level. For example, a skater who has passed the 14-step and Foxtrot, but not the European Waltz, has passed the BRONZE dance test. Athletes may skate at their highest **complete** test level passed, or skate-up to one level higher. Athletes skating at the international level must have passed the gold dance test. Athletes may compete in two solo dance events.

LEVEL	EVENT	MINIMUM TEST PASSED ("skating up")	MAXIMUM TEST PASSED (skating at test level)
Preliminary	Solo Dance	None	Preliminary Dance
Juvenile	Solo Dance	Preliminary Dance	Pre-Bronze Dance
Intermediate	Solo Dance	Pre-Bronze Dance	Bronze Dance
Novice	Solo Dance	Bronze Dance	Pre-Silver Dance
Junior	Solo Dance	Pre-Silver Dance	Silver Dance
Senior	Solo Dance	Silver Dance	Pre-Gold Dance
Gold	Solo Dance	Pre-Gold Dance	Gold*
International	Solo Dance	Gold Dance	N/A

** If an athlete has passed **ALL** of the international dances, they may only compete only in the International event. If they have completed **SOME** of the international dances, they are not considered to have passed that level, and may enter Gold.*

TEAM MANUEVER EVENTS GENERAL: A team is comprised of 3 - 6 athletes. There are no minimum tests required, however, athletes may not compete on a team that is **BELOW** the test level they have passed.

LEVEL	EVENT	MAXIMUM TEST PASSED
LOW (Preliminary – Juvenile)	Team Maneuver	Juvenile FS
MEDIUM (Intermediate – Novice)	Team Maneuver	Novice FS
HIGH (Junior – Senior)	Team Maneuver	Senior FS

TEAM CONTACTS: Before entering your team members for a competition, please check their current membership and highest test passed. If a skater is found at any point to be entered in an incorrect level, U.S. Figure Skating or the Chief Referee of the event has the right to disqualify them from the event, without a substitution or a refund.

1. INTERCOLLEGIATE TEAM REGISTRATION FOR THE 2016 SEASON: [CLICK HERE](#)
2. INTERCOLLEGIATE EVENT ENTRY FORM FOR THE 2016 SEASON: [CLICK HERE](#)

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HELPFUL HINT TO TEAM CONTACTS: As a team contact person, you do not have the ability to use the Members Only site, www.usfsaonline.org to check other members' records; each member can only see their own. HOWEVER, you can do the following:

1. When a skater joins your team, create a form, and ask them to provide the following:
 - ✓ USFSA #
 - ✓ Date of membership expiration
 - ✓ Home club
 - ✓ Highest test passed in each discipline
 - ✓ Date of highest test passed in each discipline
2. Ask them to log on to their own account, select "Member Profile" from the home screen, then select "Skate Test History".
 - ✓ Have them e-mail you a screen shot of that page. It will show their tests passed, the date they were passed, their member #, home club and expiration date.

HERE IS AN EXAMPLE OF WHAT THAT SCREEN SHOT LOOKS LIKE. IT PROVIDES NO SENSITIVE PERSONAL INFORMATION.

The screenshot shows the US Figure Skating website's Member Profile page for Kelly Vogtner (Member # 624794). The page displays her home club as Denver FSC (valid through 6/30/2016) and her region as Southwestern. The 'Skate Test History' tab is active, showing a table of tests passed. Below is a table of the test history data:

Date	Name	Result	Host	Hold	Hold Desc	Certificate
06/11/1992	Juvenile Free Skating	Passed	JC of Morris NJ, Inc.	Clear		Request
05/19/1993	Intermediate Free Skating	Passed	SC of Morris NJ, Inc.	Clear		Request
05/04/1994	Novice Free Skating	Passed	SC of Morris NJ, Inc.	Clear		Request
02/16/1996	Junior Free Skating	Passed	University of Delaware FSC	Clear		Request
04/19/1997	Senior Free Skating	Passed	Wissahickon SC	Clear		Request
Test Type: Moves						
08/16/1995	Junior Moves In The Field	Passed	University of Delaware FSC	Clear		Request
02/20/1997	Senior Moves In The Field	Passed	The SC of Wilmington, Inc.	Clear		Request

3. If you cannot get the member to do that, you can always call or e-mail the Member Services Dept., at U.S. Figure Skating HQ's to ask if a skater is a current member, and what their highest test passed is. You will need the correct spelling of their name.
 E-mail: memberservices@usfigureskating.org
 Phone: (719) 635 – 5200 (8:00am – 4:30pm, Mountain time)

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