

BADMINTON WORLD FEDERATION (BWF)

A. Events and Quotas

MEN'S EVENTS (1)	WOMEN'S EVENTS (1)
Men's Singles	Women's Singles

QUOTA	QUALIFIED VIA IF	NOC UNIVERSALITY PLACES	HOST COUNTRY PLACES	TOTAL
Men	23	8	1	32
Women	23	8	1	32
TOTAL	46	16	2	64

NOC QUOTA
A maximum of two (2) Men and two (2) Women from each NOC will qualify, and only if both Men and/or both Women are among the top 7 of the World Junior Championships 2010.

ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY
To be eligible for the YOG, athletes must be born between 1 January 1992 and 31 December 1993.

B. Qualification System

PERFORMANCE & CONTINENTAL REPRESENTATION
<p>B.1 The highest ranked Men and Women, <u>one (1) per NOC</u>, shall qualify through their particular Youth Continental Championships 2010 results / ranking list. Quota places attributed on performance within continents are;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Africa 2 ○ America 2 ○ Asia 5 ○ Europe 5 ○ Oceania 2
<p>B.2 If there is no Youth Continental Championships, then the athlete selected for continental representation shall be the highest ranked of the respective Continental Ranking most recently concluded prior to 1 May 2010.</p>
<p>B.3 The remaining seven (7) places to qualify under the IF system will be selected through World Junior Championships 2010 ranking list.</p>
<p>Players ranked 1 to 7 in the World Junior Championships 2010 ranking list for each event will be considered in turn and will qualify unless a total of two athletes from any one NOC would thereby be exceeded in that event.</p>
<p>(An NOC may have more than two athletes ranked 1 to 7 in the World Junior Championship 2010 ranking list for a particular event. In such a case, the NOC has the right to disregard ranking order when determining its entries and select from any of the players ranked 1 to 7 in filling its two qualification places for the respective event).</p>

If the quota for Men's Singles and Women's Singles is still not filled, athletes ranked 8 and lower on the BWF World Junior Championships 2010 ranking list will be considered in turn unless the athlete is from an NOC which has already qualified an athlete in that event. The process of taking athletes in turn from the BWF World Junior Championships 2010 ranking list will continue until the quota of seven (7) athletes for that event is filled under the IF qualification process.

HOST COUNTRY REPRESENTATION

The highest ranked Man and the highest ranked Women on the World Junior Championships 2010 ranking list will be invited on 1 May 2010.

In case there are no ranked athletes, the host NOC may appoint the National Champion in the most recently held national junior championships.

C. Reallocation of unused quota places

UNUSED IF QUOTA PLACES

In case a number of qualified athletes are not selected by their NOC by 1 June 2010, the BWF will on 5 June 2010 invite this number of athletes, taking them in turn from the same Continent, from the World Junior Championships 2010 ranking list until the quota is filled.

UNUSED HOST COUNTRY PLACES

In case there are unused host country places by 1 June 2010, these places will be added to the IF quota places for qualification via the World Junior Championships 2010 ranking list, so that a maximum total of 24 Men and 24 Women are qualified by 5 June 2010 under the IF quota.

UNUSED NOC UNIVERSALITY PLACE

In the event that the quota of NOC universality places are not filled, the unused places will be added to the IF quota places for qualification via the World Junior Championships 2010 ranking list, so that the total of 32 Men and 32 Women are filled by 25 June 2010.

D. Qualification timeline

DATE	MILESTONE
1 January – 30 April 2010	YOG 2010 IF qualification period
14 – 16 February 2010	Pan-Pacific – American Continental Championship (Lima, Peru)
24 – 27 February 2010	Oceania Continental Championship (Invercargill, New Zealand)
21 – 28 March 2010	Asia Continental Championships (Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia)
19 – 21 March 2010	European Continental Championship (Svendborg, Denmark)
11 – 14 March 2010	African Continental Championship (Rose Hill, Mauritius)
18 – 25 April 2010	2010 World Junior Championships (Guadalajara, Mexico)
June – 14 July 2010	Reallocation of unused NOC universality places and final reallocation period for unused quota places
15 July 2010	Entries deadline (by name) for all sports