

PARTICIPATION ELIGIBILITY RULES

1. Competition events are open to any Individual or Professional Members of ISIAAsia, from Tots to Adults, whose membership is current up to and including the date of the competition.
2. All competitors must compete at their highest test level passed and comply with all equivalency chart levels. All tests must be registered with the ISI national office at least 30 days prior to the competition date. The time period of 30 days may vary for some local and district events as well as for ISI national events.
3. All competitors must represent a current ISIAAsia Administrative member facility, club or skating school. It is permissible for skaters to represent one-member facility for solo/partner events and a different member facility for group/team events.
4. Skaters in Pre-Alpha – Delta may not compete in Figure 1, Freestyle 1, Bronze Freestyle, Free Dance 1, Couple 1, Pair 1 or Bronze Pair. If the skater has passed one of the following: Freestyle 1, Bronze Freestyle, Free Dance 1, Figure 1, Couple 1, Pair 1, then the skater may no longer compete in Delta level events.
5. Any skater wishing to compete in Artistic, Footwork, Interpretive, Spotlight, etc. is still required to pass and register a test level (i.e. Pre-Alpha – Delta, traditional Freestyle or Open Freestyle) to determine the level for those event entries. If the Open Freestyle tests are passed based on the skater's current USFS test level, the Pre-Alpha – Delta and traditional Freestyle tests are not required.
6. Any skater wishing to compete in a Footwork event is required to pass and register a test level (traditional Freestyle, Open Freestyle or Dance) to determine the level for his/her Footwork entry.
7. Members of other organizations are eligible and welcome to compete in ISIAAsia competitions as long as they are Individual or Professional members of ISIAAsia and have all their ISI tests passed and registered with the ISIAAsia office in Hong Kong.

For requirements of the minimum ISI test level on which USFS skaters must compete, see chart below:

(For additional equivalent charts in other disciplines please refer to the ISI Handbook)

<i>USFS skater who has passed</i>	<i>May compete in ISI no lower than ***</i>
<i>Pre Preliminary</i>	<i>Freestyle 3 / Open Bronze</i>
<i>Preliminary</i>	<i>Freestyle 4 / Open Silver</i>
<i>Pre-Juvenile</i>	<i>Freestyle 4 / Open Silver</i>
<i>Juvenile</i>	<i>Freestyle 6 / Open Gold</i>

<i>Intermediate</i>	<i>Freestyle 6 / Open Gold</i>
<i>Novice</i>	<i>Freestyle 8 / Open Platinum</i>
<i>Junior</i>	<i>Freestyle 8 / Open Platinum</i>
<i>Senior</i>	<i>Freestyle 8 / Open Platinum</i>
<i>Adult Pre-Bronze</i>	<i>Freestyle 2 / Open Bronze</i>
<i>Adult Bronze</i>	<i>Freestyle 3 / Open Bronze</i>
<i>Adult Silver</i>	<i>Freestyle 4 / Open Silver</i>
<i>Adult Gold</i>	<i>Freestyle 5 / Open Silver</i>

<i>USFS skater who has passed the entire Dance Test below :</i>	<i>May compete in ISI no lower than :</i>
<i>Preliminary Dance</i>	<i>Dance 3</i>
<i>Pre Bronze Dance</i>	<i>Dance 4</i>
<i>Bronze Dance</i>	<i>Dance 5</i>
<i>Pre Silver Dance</i>	<i>Dance 6</i>
<i>Silver Dance</i>	<i>Dance 7</i>
<i>Pre Gold Dance</i>	<i>Dance 9</i>
<i>Gold Dance</i>	<i>Dance 10</i>

8. Skaters are expected to compete at their true ability level and to uphold high ethical standards. Skaters may not “skate up” one level for ISI competition events. All skaters must pass the test level for the event level in which they will compete (except in Team Compulsories and Jump and Spin events where a skater may “skate up” to their team or partner’s level).

9. Females and males are separated in most technical events, but may be combined in Artistic, Dance, Figures, Footwork, Interpretive, Jump & Spin, Rhythmic, Solo Compulsories, Spotlight, Stroking, Surprise and team events.

10. All ISI competitions use the first day of the competition as the age cut-off date for grouping individual skaters and the previous July 1 of the current competition season (July 1 – June 30) for synchronized team events.

11. Vocal music is permitted for all ISI competition events.

12. There is no penalty for skating under any prescribed program duration time.