



# FEI Vaulting World Championships for Young Vaulters and Juniors Stadl Paura (AUT) 30 July- 3 August 2025

## Selection Procedure Guideline

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*Below is an outline of the criteria for the selection of the Young Vaulters and/or Junior Australian Equestrian Team representatives for 2025. This preliminary information is being provided to assist you with your competition planning and is subject to change. As such, this document will be updated as information is received from the FEI. Vaulters are responsible for understanding and reviewing relevant information and qualifications needed. If you require any information, please contact:*

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### 1. Age Eligibility and Certificate of Capability:

To qualify for the 2025 FEI World Vaulting Championships for Young Vaulters and Juniors, you must meet the FEI age requirements for the competition and must earn an FEI Certificate of Capability. Eligibility requirements for each FEI Championship are published on the FEI website [here](#).

<b>Senior</b>	Individual Competition	From 16
	Pas-de-Deux Competition	From 16
	Squad Competition	No limit
<b>Young Vaulters</b>	Individual Competition	16 - 21
<b>Junior</b>	Individual Competition	14 - 18
	Pas-de-Deux Competition	14 - 18
	Squad Competition	Until 18
<b>Children</b>	Individual Competition	12 - 14

Article 702 FEI Rules for Vaulting Events

### 2. General Criteria

Vaulters must comply with EA and FEI Sport rules, as well as the Code of Conduct. Selected Vaulters will sign an Athlete Agreement. It is a condition of all Australian Team members that relevant AIS Anti-doping modules must be completed. At the date of release of this document, FEI are still to publish details of the qualification criteria. Therefore, dates listed are provided by EA as a guide only, with a version update expected in late 2024.

If selected to represent Australia, horses and vaulters are required to be FEI registered and horses must hold a valid FEI Passport or FEI Recognition Card.

### 3. Qualification Period

Although the FEI have not advised, EA estimate the FEI qualification period to be 1 January 2024 to the Nominated entry date, around the 30 April 2025.

### 4. Selection of Vaulters

The EA National Vaulting Selectors will select the Australian representatives for the FEI Vaulting World Championships for Young Vaulters and Juniors based on EA's Selection Policy.

Selectors will consider scores from all Australian and FEI events over the last 24 months. Copies of Judges score sheets will be required. Scores must consist of Compulsories, Tech Test (at Young



Vaulter CVI's,) and Freestyle. Only the first-round compulsory score and the first round freestyle scores will be considered.

## 5. Application Deadlines

Australian Vaulters interested in being selected for this Championship, in the first instance, must submit a non-binding application, to be emailed to [di.saunders@equestrian.org.au](mailto:di.saunders@equestrian.org.au) by **25 October 2024**.

Please include information on your campaign to date, and future planning right up until the Championship. Your EA Member number should be included as well as applicable parent/guardian/squad contacts. If available, please include information on potential horse/s, coach details, where you will base internationally, and any other information you feel is relevant. This information will allow EA Selectors to be in contact later, requesting more specific information.

## 6. Determination of Places

In 2025, it is anticipated Equestrian Australia be allocated:

Number of Athletes per NF	Team Support per NF
<b>Individual</b>	
3 Individual Female – Young Vaulter	1 Groom per Horse
3 Individual Female – Junior Vaulter	1 Chef d'Equipe
3 Individual Male – Young Vaulter	2 Reserve Lungers
3 Individual Male – Junior Vaulter	1 National Trainer
<b>Squad</b>	1 Physio
1 Squad of 6 Young Vaulter	1 Veterinarian
1 Squad of 6 Junior	5 Attendants
<b>Pas-de-Deux</b>	
2 Pas-de-Deux Young Vaulter	
2 Pas-de-Deux Junior	

Therefore, the places will be issued to those Vaulters that the National Vaulting Selectors deem to be the most competitive and the most likely to advance Australian Vaulting.

## 7. Timing

Those Vaulters interested in applying for an Individual, Squad or Pas-de-Deux Australian Team position at these Championships must adhere to the timeline to be outlined in the EA Vaulting Selection Policy due out later this year.

### ***Nominated Entries***

Application forms will be available on the EA Website, along with relevant competition results, copies of the test sheets and potentially video link of performance must be sent to the EA national office to meet FEI nominated entries we anticipate by **early-June 2025**.

Details required include:

- Athlete: Name | Gender | Date of Birth | FEI ID Number
- Horse: Name | DOB | FEI Passport number/FEI ID Number | Colour | Sex | name of owner(s)

### ***Definite Entries***

A decision will be made by the EA National Vaulting Selectors on the Australian Equestrian Team prior to the FEI Definite Entry date which we anticipate being no later than **mid-July 2025**.

**All Vaulters that apply will be notified.**