

BRITISH JUNIOR RANKING SCHEME 2018-2019

1. DEFINITIONS

Junior in this document refers to fencers who are under 20 on 1st January 2019 (Born 1999 or later).

BRC - British Ranking Competition – this includes all nominated domestic competitions apart from the British Junior Championships

ADP - Athlete Development Programme

BF - British Fencing

2. THE JUNIOR SEASON

- 2.1 The new junior season starts after the Junior World Championships in April.
- 2.2 A **rolling ranking** uses the results from nominated events over the previous year according to 3 below.
- 2.3 The ranking points will be updated after each nominated competition.
- 2.4 The nominated competitions in each season will be numbered chronologically then results will be replaced according to this order. In addition, results will only remain on the rolling ranking for a maximum of 12 months. Note - *for BRCs this may occasionally result in a senior event result being replaced with an U20 one or vv.*

3. JUNIOR RANKING SCHEME

Weapons will select (nominate) three or four domestic BRCs and up to four Junior World Cup events as internationals for the period September 2018 to January 2019. [Note: some additional BRCs may be added after the World Championship selection date to count for the rolling ranking]

- 3.1 Points will be awarded for: -

The **British Junior Championships** (with a multiplier of 1.2)

The fencer's best **three domestic (BRC)** results.

The fencer's best **three international** results.

3.2 The Junior European and Junior World Championships can also count for international points as one of the 3 best results where a placing of L32 or better is achieved.

Hence for the Junior ranking list the best **seven** results will count, as above.

3.3 It is the responsibility of the ADP team to nominate the Junior World Cups and, together with the BF events manager, set the dates of the BRCs.

The calendars for each weapon will be available on the British Fencing website - GBR section.

4. COMPILATION OF THE JUNIOR RANKING LIST

4.1 For the method of calculating the junior points allocated to results please see separate document

4.2 International events: From the L64 as long as the fencer reaches the DE stages and is placed in the top 80%

Domestic events: From the L64 as long as the fencer reaches the DE stages and is placed in the top 80%

[This number must not be rounded, 80% is within, and 80.1% is not]

4.3 When counting the number of entries, any fencer who starts the competition will be included (even if they withdraw or are disqualified)

Note – The Junior Selection Scheme is set out in a separate document.