

Championships
OG
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EIC,EG
CG
WJC

World Tour
WT500,750,1000
WT300
WT100
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IS
FS

**WORLD RANKING / Other International Results**

Podium	Academy	Confirmation
Minimum QF		
Minimum QF	Last 16	
	Minimum Bronze	
	Minimum Silver	
		*QF or Above
QF	Last 16	
	QF	*Last 16
	Minimum Semi Final	
	Win	*Medal (Singles)
		*Final (Doubles)
		*Final (Singles)
		*Win (Doubles)
Top 8		
<i>NOTE: Minimum of two Performance measures must be achieved or achieve where possible one criteria more than once</i>	<i>NOTE: Minimum of two Performance measures must be achieved or achieve where possible one criteria more than once</i>	<i>NOTE: * 1 Measurable Performance Requirement from but achievement does not guarantee inclusion</i>

**Additional Considerations**

Showing a clear indication in training they are progressing at pace, adapting to playing with more experience players.  
 Good technical and physical capability to meet the increase training demands.

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Perform	Perform Development 23 years of age and under	Support Player
<b>Singles</b>	<b>Singles</b>	
Qualified	Qualified	
QF	Last 16	
Medal	QF	
Medal	QF	
Last 16	Last 16	
QF	QF	
Medal	QF	
Final	SF	
	Final	
	Final	
	Win	
	Win	
	Win	
MS Top 50	MS Top 90	
WS Top 45	WS Top 90	
MD Top 35	MD Top 60	
WD Top 30	WD Top 60	
XD Top 35	XD Top 60	

**SIGNIFICANT WINS**

MS	Top 45
WS	Top 40
MD	Top 25
WD	Top 20
XD	Top 25

*NOTE: Minimum of 2 competition results need to be achieved, in the same discipline, as well as the additional considerations listed below.*

MS	Top 80
WS	Top 80
MD	Top 50
WD	Top 50
XD	Top 50

*NOTE: Minimum of 2 competition results need to be achieved, in the same discipline, as well as the additional considerations listed below.*

*Note: Criteria is not a published one: It will be at the discretion of the Performance Team Senior Leadership who is invited in to NBC to support the development of identified players.*

**Additional Considerations**

**Additional Considerations For Inclusion In The England Development Programme**  
The review panel will, when determining places on the England Senior Programme, consider the "Character of a WC athlete". The athlete must demonstrate Love of the Game, Courage, Values, Ownership and Commitment. These are the core principles we believe in.  
Panel reserve the right to review any player due to exceptional circumstances

Player provides skill to be a good training partner, adds to the environment better than younger players in the environment ability to complete all the training

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	Excel** Age range 16 - 21 years of age				Progress Age range 14 - 19 years of age				Engage Age range 14 - 19 years of age	Discover Age range 13 and under	Observation Group*		
	Singles		Doubles		Singles		Doubles						
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WC													
EIC,EG													
CG													
WJC (Individuals)	Top 8		Top 8										
<b>World Tour</b>													
WT500,750,1000													
WT300													
WT100													
IC	Medal*		Finalist*										
IS	Finalist*		Win*		QF*		Medal*						
FS	Win*				Final*		Win*						
<b>Other International Results</b>	<b>International Results</b> U19 European Championship Individual Medal  U17 European Championships Individual Gold Medal (Doubles) or Finalist (Singles) U17 6 Nations Individual Gold Medal U19 Dutch/German Grand Prix Medal  <b>Domestic</b> Senior Nationals Win				<b>International Results</b> U19 Dutch/German Grand Prix Quarter Final  U15/17 European Championships Individual Medal U17 6 Nations Individual Medal U15/U17/U19 Danish Cup Individual Final U15 8 Nations Individual Medal Identified U15/U17/U19 Junior International Win*  <b>Domestic</b> Senior Nationals Final				<b>International Results</b> Identified U15/U17/U19 Junior International Final*		<b>International Results</b> U13 Badminton Europe sanctioned International Tournament Win    <b>Domestic</b> U13 Nationals Top 4 Finish in Singles 2 x U13 Gold Tournament Top 4 Finish in Singles U12 Top 4 Highest placed in Singles at U13 Nationals (Quarter Finals Minimum) 2 x U11 Gold Final placing in Singles		To be considered for a place on the Observation Group, players would have to meet one of the following;  Have met Result criteria* for one of the Pathway levels (Discover - Progress only) in-between the annual EJP reviews i.e. post July 2021 and are awaiting consideration for Pathway at the next annual review (i.e. May/June 2022)  At the annual EJP review, a current Pathway player being reviewed for a continuation place on Pathway that has not met Result criteria, but has been assessed by the Review Panel as having demonstrated they are competent in all of the three other assessment areas – NB players must have met one level lower in term of published results or had numerous notable results for this to be considered by the Panel.
	*Denotes international event as listed on BE 2021 and 2022 Pathway Identified Tournament document found				*Denotes international event as listed on BE 2021 and 2022 Pathway Identified Tournament document found				*Denotes international event as listed on BE 2021 and 2022 Pathway Identified Tournament document found on Junior				

on Junior Performance Pathway page on BE website

NOTE:\*\* The type of support provided to players meeting Excel criteria will be based in respect to the player either transitioning to/fully integrated at the NBC i.e. centralised, or still in education i.e. non-centralised

on Junior Performance Pathway page on BE website

Performance Pathway page on BE website

\*Observation Group is a non-Pathway Group.

**Additional Considerations** Players are considered for the England Junior Pathway at annual reviews held around May/June. Those players that have met published results criteria during the previous 12 month period will be considered at Junior Pathway Reviews along with all current EJP Pathway players. At these reviews, players will be assessed in the 4 key areas against the Pathway levels for selection to Pathway.\*

\*Due to Covid-19, in 2021 players will be considered for Pathway through invitation to attend Trials with consideration also given to their results from the first set of June / July 2021 Gold tournaments

\*NB When considering the Result criteria met as per above, the Review Panel will at their sole discretion, consider a number of additional mitigating circumstances.

The list below is not exhaustive but provides examples of additional factors that the Review Panel can consider:

Strength and depth of the opposition at the identified competition

Any unforeseen circumstance that adversely affects or over promotes a player's performance level e.g. walkover, byes, impact of partnering with an older player

### ENGLAND PATHWAY ASSESSMENT CRITERIA AT PATHWAY REVIEW 2021-2022

Players at the Junior Pathway Review will be assessed in 4 key areas against the EJP Pathway levels. Players will need to meet the criteria in all 4 assessment areas to retain a place on the Pathway. \*Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, the Pathway Team understand that it has not been possible for players to meet results criteria due to lack of competition. For the July 2021 EJP Reviews, the Review Panel will consider individuals for Pathway at the upcoming Trial days. Assessment will be undertaken related to the below areas and which relate to technical, tactical, physical, performance behaviours and character competencies. Player's results at the 2021 Gold Tournaments that take place prior to the conclusion of the Trial days will also feed into the 2021 review.



**NB** When considering and applying the criteria, the Review Panel will, at their sole discretion, consider a number of additional mitigating circumstances for the period being reviewed.

The list below is not exhaustive but provides examples of additional factors that the Review Panel can consider:

- Injury or illness to a player
- Strength and depth of the opposition at a BE identified competition
- Any unforeseen circumstance that adversely affects or over promotes a player's performance level
- For 2021, Covid-19 pandemic affecting ability to achieve Result criteria for 2021 EJP Review (as per above)