



Squad	YOUTH 16-25yrs Elementary – Grand Prix	DEVELOPMENT (Medium – Advanced)	SMALL TOUR (PSG – INT 1)	MEDIUM - BIG TOUR (Int A – GP)	HIGH PERFORMANCE	
Objectives	Development of capability of younger talented riders to produce repeatable and sustainable future performances	Exploration and development of skills, learnings and experience to produce repeatable and sustainable future performances	Enabling and supporting combinations that are committed to and capable of higher-level performances	Enabling and supporting combinations demonstrating and showing capability of High-Performance potential	Enabling and supporting high performance combinations that are committed to and capable of future international representation and capable of gaining or contributing to a podium placing at pinnacle events	
Eligibility and Selection Criteria <i>Refer to Appendix for further information</i>	Elementary – 68% + Medium – 67% + Open Medium – 66% + Advanced to Grand Prix – 65% + Selection to include annual application followed by selection process. No age requirement for horse	Medium – 67% + Open Medium – 67% + Advanced – 67% + Selection to include annual application followed by selection process. No age requirement for horse.	PSG – 66% + Int 1 – 66% + Selection to include annual application followed by selection process. No age requirement for horse.	Int A/B – 65% + Int II – 65% + GP – 65% + Selection to include annual application followed by selection process. No age requirement for horse.	At least 2 scores: -PSG/CDI Y 68%+ -Medium Tour 66%+ -Grand Prix level 67% (excl f/s) at NCH, HOY, CDI events and/or others approved by HP Selectors	At least 2 scores : -Grand Prix Level 69%+ (excl f/s) at CDI events and/or others approved by HP Selectors . Full criteria can be found in ESNZ HP Selection Document.
Performance Targets (once on squad)	Showing an ability to improve performances and developing understanding of various expectations of higher levels. Developing confidence. Embracing new learnings and influences. Taking ownership of performances.	Demonstrating growth and development. Showing an ability to improve performances and develop understanding of expectations of higher levels. Embracing new learnings and influences. Demonstrating resilience, learning ability and adaptable to change.	Demonstrating potential to progress to Grand Prix. Continuing growth and development. Self-motivation. Taking ownership and responsibility for performances.	Showing capability of improved performance and potential to progress. Challenging own performance levels. Producing and achieving goals and objectives. Self-Motivation. Commitment to performance plans.	Performances tracking toward and capable of a top 16 at the Olympics and World Equestrian Games	



Special conditions apply to the 20/21 selection criteria due to the unforeseen cancellation of two National events.
For full eligibility criteria and further information refer to Performance Pathway Appendix 1:2021

