

GBR CADET RANKING SCHEME - FINAL

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1. DEFINITIONS

Cadet in this document refers to fencers who are under 17 on 1st January 2020 (Born 2003 or later).

Junior in this document refers to fencers who are under 20 on 1st January 2020 (Born 2000 or later).

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

ADP – GBR Athlete Development Programme

BF – British Fencing

ICMG – International Cadet Management Group

Major Events - World or European Championships

EFC – European Fencing Confederation

2. THE CADET SEASON 2019-20

This starts with the first nominated BRC for each weapon after the Cadet World Championships 2019 and ends with the Cadet World Championships April 2020 when an end of season ranking will be produced.

The calendars for each weapon will be available in the GBR section of the website.

3. CADET RANKING POINTS

3.1 Points will be awarded for:

- The fencer's **best three domestic results** from the British Cadet Championships (which will have a multiplier of 1.2) and the cadet nominated events (BRCs). *Note – this is a change from the previous season where the Championships were a stand-alone result.*

Cadet Ranking Scheme 2019-20

Weapons will nominate at least three BRCs which cannot be open senior events. They can include the British Junior and U23 Championships. Where the British Junior and U23 Championships are included as a BRC there may be increased multipliers (see published ranking points document)

- The fencer's **best three international results** from the following:
 - The U23 National Championships where nominated.
 - At least four nominated European Cadet Circuit events.
 - For cadets who are also in GBR junior squads - results from nominated junior international events can be used.
 - The Cadet European and Cadet World Championships will count towards the end of season GBR ranking and the carry over but only L32 or better.

Hence for the cadet ranking list **the best six results** from the selection events will make up the total - the best three domestic and the best three internationals.

3.2 There will be a carry-over of points from the 2018/19 season as follows:

- 30% of the points total after the Cadet World Championships (April 2019) will create the start of season ranking.
- The carried-over points will be dropped after both the Junior Nationals and the first selection for an EFC cadet international abroad have taken place.

3.3 It is the responsibility of the ADP Team to confirm the nominated international events and set the BRC types and dates in consultation with the ICMG Chair, the BF Event Manager and the BF Calendar Coordinator.

4. COMPILATION OF THE CADET RANKINGS

4.1 Points collators will publish

- an end of season ranking (after the Cadet Worlds) for 2018/19
- an initial ranking composed of the carry-over of points

4.2 Calculation of points - *See separate points scheme in GBR section on website*

5. SEEDING OF BRCS

If the first BRC counting for cadets is an U20 event, it will be seeded using:

1. Current junior ranking
2. Current cadet ranking list
3. Any other appropriate results