

SSACT Big 3 Event Age Eligibility, Event Specifications and Qualifying Numbers

SSACT Swimming			
Event	Eligibility	Event Specifications	Qualifying Numbers
12&U Regional Primary Events (Belconnen, North/Gungahlin, South/Weston and Tuggeranong)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For students turning 8, 9, 10, 11 or 12 in the year of competition and attend a Primary School. (up to year 6 in Middle School/ Shared campus schools) 13 year olds attending Primary School are to compete at this event 	50m in Freestyle, Backstroke, Breastroke and Butterfly. 100m in Freestyle, Backstroke, Breastroke and Butterfly 200m Freestyle 200m Individual medley for 10–13 year olds	<p>Top 2 place getters per event in School Carnival can be entered</p> <p>Non- Coed schools may enter the top 4 place getters from the school carnival <i>Qualifying times apply, located on website Swimming page and resource portal.</i> <i>12 year times apply to 13 year olds in PS</i></p> <p>An entries spreadsheet will be sent to each School Sport Coordinator prior to the event.</p>
12&U ACT Championship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For students turning 8, 9, 10, 11 or 12 in the year of competition. Students turning 12 attending a Secondary School are to compete at this Championship against their age cohort. 13 year olds attending Primary School are not to compete at this event. 	50m in Freestyle, Backstroke, Breastroke and Butterfly. 100m in Freestyle, Backstroke, Breastroke and Butterfly 200m Freestyle 200m Individual Medley for 10–12 year olds	<p>Top 4 place getters per event at the Regional Carnival for the 200m events, 100m events and 50m strokes of Backstroke, Breastroke and Butterfly.</p> <p>Top 5 place getters for the 50m Freestyle can be entered to attend the ACT.</p> <p>Top 4 Turning 12 year olds at High School at each 13&O Regional Carnival (ASC, North & South) can be entered to attend the event.</p> <p><i>Qualifying times apply, located on website Swimming page and resource portal.</i></p> <p>An entries spreadsheet will be sent to each School Sport Coordinator prior to the event.</p> <p>Selection for the ACT representative team will be based on the number competitors, meeting qualifying times, per event in the SSA Swimming Championships program</p>

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			and any limit set on the maximum number of team members allowed by SSA and/or SSACT.
13&O Regional Events (South & North)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For students turning 12 to 16 in the year of competition and attend a Secondary School. 	50m in Freestyle, Backstroke, Breastroke and Butterfly. 100m in Freestyle, Backstroke, Breastroke and Butterfly 200m Freestyle 200m Individual Medley	<p>Top 4 place getters per event in School Carnival can be entered 12&U Qualifying times apply, located on website Swimming page and resource portal.</p> <p>An entries spreadsheet will be sent to each School Sport Coordinator prior to the event.</p>
13&O ACT Championship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For students turning 13 to 19 in the year of competition and attending a Secondary School or College. Includes students turning 13 in Primary School to compete against their age cohort. 	50m in Freestyle, Backstroke, Breastroke and Butterfly. 100m in Freestyle, Backstroke, Breastroke and Butterfly 200m Freestyle 200m Individual Medley	<p>Top 4 place getters per event at the Regional Carnival (inc. ASC) for the 200m events, 100m events and 50m strokes of Backstroke, Breastroke and Butterfly. Top 5 place getters for the 50m Freestyle can be entered to attend the ACT. 12&U Qualifying times apply, located on website Swimming page and resource portal.</p> <p>An entries spreadsheet will be sent to each School Sport Coordinator prior to the event.</p> <p>Selection for the ACT representative team will be based on the number competitors, meeting qualifying times, per event in the SSA Swimming Championships program and any limit set on the maximum number of team members allowed by SSA and/or SSACT. When registering for team selection students can enter their 200m, 400m, 1500m times for consideration.</p>

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SSACT Cross Country			
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12&U ACT Championship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For students turning 8, 9, 10, 11 or 12 in the year of competition. Students turning 12 attending a Secondary School are to compete at this Championship against their age cohort. 13 year olds attending Primary School are not to compete at this event. 	Specific distances for each age group can be found in the Event Program in the portal.	<p>Top 10 place getters per race at the Regional event can be entered</p> <p>Top 5 Turning 12 year olds at High School at each 13&O Regional Carnival (ASC, North & South) can be entered to attend the event.</p> <p>An entries spreadsheet will be sent to each School Sport Coordinator prior to the event.</p> <p>If a whole school/year group cohort is unable to attend the Regional event due to a pre-booked commitment e.g. camp, a Request for Inclusion must be sought and only the top 2 school place getters, per age and gender, will be considered – approval is not guaranteed.</p> <p>Top 6 place getters in each event can be offered a place on the ACT Cross Country team to compete at the SSA National Championship.</p>
13&O Regional Events (South & North)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For students turning 12 to 16 in the year of competition and attend a Secondary School. 	Specific distances for each age group can be found in the Event Program in the portal.	<p>Top 10 place getters from School event (maximum) can be entered</p>

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SSACT Track and Field			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 13 year olds attending Primary School are to compete at this event No Para Athlete events are offered at a Regional level, students are to be entered straight to ACT Championship. 	<p>(High Jump and 1500m nominations straight to ACT Championship – see Entry Forms in portal)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weight Specifications for Shot Put & Discus <table border="1" data-bbox="958 363 1473 539"> <thead> <tr> <th>Event</th> <th>8-10 Yrs</th> <th>11 Yrs</th> <th>12 Yrs</th> <th>13 Yrs</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Shot Put</td> <td>2kg</td> <td>2kg</td> <td>3kg</td> <td>3kg</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Discus</td> <td>500gm</td> <td>750gm</td> <td>750gm</td> <td>1kg</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12 and 13 year olds will compete together but placings will be separated in the results. All Track events are 'timed finals' with no heats to final process, qualifiers to the ACT Championship are based on the top 4 times across all races in a specific event. 	Event	8-10 Yrs	11 Yrs	12 Yrs	13 Yrs	Shot Put	2kg	2kg	3kg	3kg	Discus	500gm	750gm	750gm	1kg	<p><i>Note: 8-10 year olds are classed as one age group other than 70m and 100m do not enter 2 from each age 8, 9 or 10, it is 2 in total.</i></p> <p>An entries spreadsheet will be sent to each School Sport Coordinator prior to the event.</p>
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