



FREESTYLE FIS LICENCE INFORMATION

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1. Complete a medical form. GB Snowsport is required by the International Ski Federation (FIS) to ensure the fitness of athletes before granting them a FIS Licence. This form certifies that the athlete has had an appropriate evaluation of their medical health by a qualified medical practitioner and should be scanned and sent to Josh at fislicence@gbsnowsport.com on completion.

The [Certificate of Health Form](#) is available to download on the GBS website. Once the form has been submitted, if there is any change to your health, you must inform us. For more information on this, please read [FAQs Certificate of Health](#). Your medical form is valid for 3 years – if you submit your form for the 2021/22 season, this will be valid until the 2023/24 season. **If your Certificate of Health form was completed during the 2018/2019 season, you will need to renew this for the 2021/2022 season.**

2. Hold a valid GBR passport. On purchasing your FIS licence, please send a copy of your passport to fislicence@gbsnowsport.com.

3. Register with your Home Nation for the 2020/21 season. Please note in some cases your 2020/21 Home Nation registration will not run out until later in 2021, however you must renew now to ensure we have confirmation that you will be registered for the whole of the 2021/22 season. Links to Home Nations below:



**SNOWSPORT
ENGLAND**



**SNOWSPORT
SCOTLAND**



Once we have received confirmation of ALL of the above, we can process your FIS Licence.



Early Season Discounts

A discounted price is available from 24th May until 23rd July 2021 - after this date a higher fee will apply.

FIS licences are valid from 1st July - 30th June each year.





Which Licence?

Freestyle C Licence – This allows athletes to enter FIS level freestyle competitions e.g. NC, FIS, UNI, Junior Races, EYOF.

Freestyle B Licence – This licence is for athletes looking to compete at Continental Cup level competitions e.g. EC, ANC and NAC, and is available to competitors who have competed in a minimum of two FIS level competitions.

Freestyle A Licence – This licence is usually only issued to British squad athletes competing at World Cup level events.



First time FIS licence holders & Licence Upgrades

Athletes applying for a Freestyle Licence for the first time, or wishing to upgrade their licence to a higher level, will need to complete an [Application Form](#) and then send it to fislicence@gbsnowsport.com.

This is to be filled out and signed by a qualified coach, who can vouch for the performance level of the athlete. The application will then be sent onto Head of Coaching, Pat Sharples and Performance Director, Dan Hunt for approval.

Competition Entry Process

All FIS and EC level international entries can be made through the online [Race Entry System](#) on the GBS website. Please contact raceentry@gbsnowsport.com for any FIS level entry queries.



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For WC level events, entries must be made directly with the relevant Programme Manager and be signed off by the Head Coach.

You will receive further details of the GBS Race Entry Policy when you receive your FIS licence confirmation email – please read this carefully. **Please note that for every race entry, there is an administration fee of £5.50.**





Useful Contacts:

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