Army World Class Athlete Program Paralympic Entry Standards

- 1. The Army World Class Athlete Program (WCAP) supports and guides nationally ranked Soldier-athletes who compete and succeed in the Olympic and Paralympic Games, while maintaining military careers and promoting the U.S. Army to the world. WCAP was established to provide Soldiers of world-class caliber with the opportunity to train full time for national and international sports competitions leading to selection and participation with United States national teams, while maintaining their military specialties. Soldiers selected to participate in the program serve in this assignment at the discretion of the Army and may be released and reassigned from the program at any time based on the needs of the Army.
- 2. In furtherance of this mission, only Soldier-athletes, who meet the criteria below will be considered for admittance into the program. Any athlete applying to the WCAP who fails to meet the criteria should expect to have their application denied. Furthermore, merely meeting the entrance standard does not guarantee admittance into the program. The standards laid out are the minimum for consideration of a potential applicant.
- 3. Soldier-athletes who meet the standards below are deemed athletically qualified for entry into the Army WCAP and will considered for acceptance in to the program for the 2020 Summer Paralympic Games Tokyo, Japan or the 2022 Winter Paralympic Games at Beijing, China.

2020 SUMMER PARALYMPIC SPORTS:

ARCHERY:

Must meet the 2016 Para USAT minimum qualifying score for the 72 Arrow Qualification Round in the event for which applying:

Division	720 Round Score
Men's Individual Compound – W1	575+
Men's Individual Compound Open	630+
Men's Individual Recurve Open	560+
Women's Individual Compound – W1	500+
Women's Individual Compound Open	600+
Women's Individual Recurve Open	520+

More information on the sport of Para-Archery can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/USA-Archery

BADMINTON:

No specific entry standards. Applicants will be considered based on their past experience in the sport and their potential to be selected to the U.S. Paralympic Team. Recommendations from the National Governing Body and USA Paralympics will be a major consideration in the selection process. More information on the sport of Badminton can be found at https://www.teamusa.org/usa-badminton/para

BOCCIA:

No specific entry standards. Applicants will be considered based on their past experience in the sport and their potential to be selected to the U.S. Paralympic Team. Recommendations from the National Governing Body and USA Paralympics will be a major consideration in the selection process. More information on the sport of Boccia can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Boccia.aspx

CANOE/KAYAK:

No specific entry standards. Applicants will be considered based on their past experience in the sport and their potential to be selected to the U.S. Paralympic Team. Recommendations from the National Governing Body and USA Paralympics will be a major consideration in the selection process. More information on the sport of Canoe/Kayak can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/USA%20Canoe%20Kayak/Disciplines/Paracanoe

CYCLING:

Must meet the 2016 U.S. Paralympic Cycling "Talent Pool" standard in at least one event for which applying:

Sport Classification	Talent Pool Standard (time per kilometer)
C1	01:41.17
C2	01:37.41
C3	01:32.16
C4	01:27.53
C5	01:26.11
H1	02:59.63
H2	02:13.89
Н3	01:44.17
H4	01:43.52
H5	01:42.34
T1	02:37.09
T2	01:56.64
WC1	01:57.36
WC2	01:53.00
WC3	01:46.91
WC4	01:41.54
WC5	01:39.90
WH1	03:28.38
WH2	02:35.31
WH3	02:00.84
WH4	02:00.09
WH5	01:58.72
WT1	03:02.23
WT2	02:15.31
	C1 C2 C3 C4 C5 H1 H2 H3 H4 H5 T1 T2 WC1 WC2 WC3 WC4 WC5 WH1 WH2 WH3 WH4 WH5 WT1

Track Events	Sport Classification	Talent Pool Standard
3km Pursuit Men	C1	04:17.28
	C2	04:04.40
	C3	03:49.22
	C4	05:00.75
	C5	04:53.35
1km TT Men	C1	01:24.03
	C2	01:20.76
	C3	01:14.83
	C4	01:11.66
	C5	01:09.75
3km Pursuit Women	C1	04:59.49
	C2	04:37.52
	C3	04:40.01
	C4	04:21.00
	C5	04:03.83
500m TT Women	C1	00:48.58
	C2	00:47.27
	C3	00:46.68
	C4	00:43.55
	C5	00:40.66

More information on the sport of Para-Cycling can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/US-Paralympics/Sports/Cycling

EQUESTRIAN:

No specific entry standards. Applicants will be considered based on their past experience in the sport and their potential to be selected to the U.S. Paralympic Team. Recommendations from the National Governing Body and USA Paralympics will be a major consideration in the selection process. More information on the sport of Equestrian can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Equestrian.aspx

GOALBALL:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Goalball can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Goalball.aspx

JUDO:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Judo can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Judo.aspx

PARATRIATHLON:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Triathlon can be found at https://www.teamusa.org/USA-Triathlon/Elite/~/link.aspx?id=548C0C070F66483FB97915DA32CE4ADE&z=z

POWERLIFTING:

Must have achieved the minimum qualifying standard (MQS) for the Paralympic Games at an IPC recognized competition in the weight class for which applying:

Men's Event	<u>MQS</u>
Up to 49.0 kg	105.0 kg
Up to 54.0 kg	115.0 kg
Up to 59.0 kg	125.0 kg
Up to 65.0 kg	135.0 kg
Up to 72.0 kg	142.0 kg
Up to 80.0 kg	150.0 kg
Up to 88.0 kg	157.0 kg
Up to 97.0 kg	165.0 kg
Up to 107.0 kg	172.0 kg
Over 107.0 kg	180.0 kg
Women's Event	<u>MQS</u>
Women's Event Up to 41.0 kg	MQS 57.0 kg
Up to 41.0 kg	57.0 kg
Up to 41.0 kg Up to 45.0 kg	57.0 kg 60.0 kg
Up to 41.0 kg Up to 45.0 kg Up to 50.0 kg	57.0 kg 60.0 kg 62.0 kg
Up to 41.0 kg Up to 45.0 kg Up to 50.0 kg Up to 55.0 kg	57.0 kg 60.0 kg 62.0 kg 65.0 kg
Up to 41.0 kg Up to 45.0 kg Up to 50.0 kg Up to 55.0 kg Up to 61.0 kg	57.0 kg 60.0 kg 62.0 kg 65.0 kg 67.0 kg
Up to 41.0 kg Up to 45.0 kg Up to 50.0 kg Up to 55.0 kg Up to 61.0 kg Up to 67.0 kg	57.0 kg 60.0 kg 62.0 kg 65.0 kg 67.0 kg 70.0 kg
Up to 41.0 kg Up to 45.0 kg Up to 50.0 kg Up to 55.0 kg Up to 61.0 kg Up to 67.0 kg Up to 73.0 kg	57.0 kg 60.0 kg 62.0 kg 65.0 kg 67.0 kg 70.0 kg 72.0 kg

More information on the sport of Powerlifting can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Powerlifting.aspx

ROWING:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Rowing can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Rowing.aspx

SHOOTING:

Must meet the 2016 USA Shooting IPC MQS in at least one event for which applying:

<u>Gender</u>	Classification	Qualification Score
Men	SH1	563
Women	SH1	367
Mixed	SH1	594
Mixed	SH2	590
Mixed	SH2	594
Mixed	SH1	564
Men	SH1	1080
Women	SH1	530
Men	SH1	545
Women	SH1	347
Mixed	SH1	540
Mixed	SH1	505
	Men Women Mixed Mixed Mixed Mixed Mixed Men Women Men Women Mixed	Men SH1 Women SH1 Mixed SH1 Mixed SH2 Mixed SH2 Mixed SH2 Mixed SH1 Women SH1 Women SH1 Women SH1 Women SH1 Women SH1 Mixed SH1

More information on the sport of Shooting can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Shooting.aspx

SITTING VOLLEYBALL:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Sitting Volleyball can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Sitting%20Volleyball.aspx

SOCCER:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team for 5-A-Side; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Soccer can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Soccer.aspx

SWIMMING:

Must meet the 2016 "National B Team Standard" in at least one event for which applying for:

<u>Event</u>	Classification	Men's B Team Standard	Women's B Team Standard
50 Free	S3	0:46.05	NA
	S4	0:41.45	0:48.35
	S5	0:35.35	0:39.80
	S6	0:31.55	0:37.90
	S7	0:29.90	0:34.95
	S8	0:27.65	0:33.15
	S9	0:27.25	0:30.75
	S10	0:25.10	0:30.10
	S11	0:27.70	0:33.25

<u>Event</u>	Classification	Men's B Team Standard	Women's B Team Standard
50 Free	S12	0:25.60	0:29.15
	S13	0:25.30	0:29.35
100 Free	S3	1:41.70	2:05.75
	S4	1:30.05	NA
	S5	1:19.50	1:26.70
	S6	1:11.40	1:20.65
	S7	1:04.60	1:16.25
	S8	1:01.25	1:11.80
	S9	0:59.50	1:06.80
	S10	0:55.40	1:04.65
	S11	1:02.60	1:13.75
	S13	0:56.10	1:05.00
200 Free	S2	5:13.45	NA
	S3	3:48.70	NA
	S4	3:10.70	NA
	S5	2:51.30	3:04.90
	S14	2:05.95	2:21.55
400 Free	S6	5:27.15	5:50.40
	S7	5:01.10	5:34.90
	S 8	4:46.60	5:24.85
	S9	4:31.50	4:57.00
	S10	4:20.60	4:51.10
	S11	4:55.80	5:36.30
	S13	4:23.70	4:56.10
50 Back	S1	1:37.05	NA
	S2	1:09.10	1:08.40
	S3	0:48.80	1:10.35
	S4	0:49.55	0:57.05
	S5	0:40.85	0:47.55
100 Back	S1	3:04.20	NA
	S2	2:17.40	2:31.80
	S6	1:19.75	1:33.50
	S7	1:16.15	1:29.60
	S8	1:11.75	1:24.20
	S9	1:06.90	1:15.90
	S10	1:03.75	1:12.45
	S11	1:11.65	1:23.90
	S12	1:04.65	1:13.65
	S13	1:04.15	1:16.80
50 D	S14	1:07.75	1:13.00
50 Breast	SB2	1:01.45	NA 1.12.00
100 D	SB3	0:52.75	1:12.90
100 Breast	SB4	1:42.10	2:02.00
	SB5	1:41.70	1:56.30
	SB6	1:31.45	1:45.95
	SB7	1:26.75	1:41.85

<u>Event</u>	Classification	Men's B Team Standard	Women's B Team Standard
100 Breast	SB8	1:14.65	1:26.55
	SB9	1:10.75	1:23.50
	SB11	1:18.15	1:35.75
	SB13	1:10.40	1:25.60
	SB14	1:11.85	1:25.25
50 Fly	S5	0:39.05	0:48.95
	S6	0:33.00	0:41.20
	S7	0:32.30	0:38.30
100 Fly	S8	1:05.10	1:16.95
	S 9	1:03.80	1:13.60
	S10	1:00.65	1:12.55
	S11	1:07.95	NA
	S13	0:59.30	1:11.25
150 IM	SM3	3:10.20	NA
	SM4	2:48.25	3:41.15
200IM	SM5	NA	3:39.00
	SM6	2:52.60	3:24.00
	SM7	2:45.05	3:17.40
	SM8	2:34.55	2:57.95
	SM9	2:27.30	2:45.70
	SM10	2:21.50	2:41.65
	SM11	2:35.15	3:07.95
	SM13	2:16.75	2:37.90
	SM14	2:27.75	2:43.40

More information on the sport of Swimming can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Swimming.aspx

TABLE TENNIS:

No specific entry standards. Applicants will be considered based on their past experience in the sport and their potential to be selected to the U.S. Paralympic Team. Recommendations from the National Governing Body and USA Paralympics will be a major consideration in the selection process. More information on the sport of Table Tennis can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Table%20Tennis.aspx

TAEKWONDO:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Taekwondo can be found at https://www.teamusa.org/USA-Taekwondo

TRACK & FIELD:

Must meet the 2016 "National Team B Standard" in at least one event for which applying:

<u>Event</u>	Classification	Men's B Team Standard	Women's B Team Standard
100m	T11	0:11.50	0:12.75
	T12	0:11.16	0:12.34
	T13	0:11.34	0:12.81
	T33	0:19.06	0:19.01
	T34	0:16.03	0:19.01
	T35	0:13.33	0:16.75
100m	T36	0:12.47	0:15.14
	T37	0:11.78	0:14.36
	T38	0:11.74	0:13.35
	T42	0:12.72	0:16.33
	T43	0:11.25	0:13.70
	T44	0:11.25	0:13.70
	T45	0:11.12	0:13.13
	T46	0:11.12	0:13.13
	T47	0:11.12	0:13.13
	T51	0:22.03	0:21.15
	T52	0:18.02	0:21.15
	T53	0:15.38	0:17.55
	T54	0:14.30	0:16.78
200m	T11	0:23.46	0:26.50
	T12	0:22.58	0:26.01
	T13	0:23.10	0:26.66
	T33	0:28.50	NA
	T34	0:28.50	0:34.00
	T35	0:27.18	0:35.00
	T36	0:26.09	0:31.75
	T37	0:23.67	0:30.20
	T38	0:24.00	0:28.74
	T42	0:26.42	NA
	T43	0:22.59	0:28.75
	T44	0:22.59	0:28.75
	T45	0:22.58	0:27.08
	T46	0:22.58	0:27.08
	T47	0:22.58	0:27.08
	T51	NA	0:39.04
	T52	0:32.45	0:39.04
	T53	0:27.17	0:30.35
	T54	0:25.09	0:29.87
400m	T11	0:54.00	1:02.50
	T12	0:50.85	1:00.30
	T13	0:50.30	0:59.80
	T20	0:50.67	1:02.30

<u>Event</u>	Classification	Men's B Team Standard	Women's B Team Standard
	T33	0:55.69	NA
	T34	0:55.69	NA
	T36	0:56.50	NA
	T37	0:54.00	1:08.16
	T38	0:53.50	1:05.59
	T43	0:52.75	1:05.60
	T44	0:52.75	1:05.60
	T45	0:50.10	1:03.00
	T46	0:50.10	1:03.00
	T47	0:50.10	1:03.00
400m	T51	1:26.39	1:18.50
	T52	1:03.05	1:18.50
	T53	0:50.40	0:57.77
	T54	0:48.00	0:57.51
800m	T11	NA	2:25.17
	T12	NA	2:25.17
800m	T13	1:58.00	NA
	T33	1:50.73	2:12.99
	T34	1:50.73	2:12.99
	T36	2:18.04	NA
	T37	2:11.70	NA
	T38	2:14.72	NA
	T52	1:42.00	1:55.10
	T53	1:42.00	1:55.10
	T54	1:36.60	1:50.87
1500m	T11	4:19.00	5:35.00
1300111	T12	4:04.00	5:10.00
	T13	4:04.00	5:10.00
	T20	4:00.08	4:50.03
	T37		NA
	T38	4:23.05 4:22.50	NA NA
	T45	4:09.00	5:06.00
	T46	4:09.00	5:06.00
	T51	4:00.15	NA 2.27.50
	T53	3:02.50	3:27.50
7 000	T54	3:02.50	3:27.50
5000m	T11	16:11.00	NA
	T12	15:16.00	NA
	T13	15:16.00	NA
	T53	10:21.00	12:05.00
	T54	10:21.00	12:05.00
Marathon	T11	2:39:50.00	3:22:00.00
	T12	2:39:50.00	3:22:00.00
	T42	2:50:00.00	NA
	T43	2:50:00.00	NA
	T44	2:50:00.00	NA

<u>Event</u>	Classification	Men's B Team Standard	Women's B Team Standard
	T45	2:41:10.00	3:22:00.00
	T46	2:41:10.00	3:22:00.00
	T51	NA	2:30:00.00
	T52	1:25:00.00	2:30:00.00
	T53	1:25:00.00	1:49:00.00
	T54	NA	1:49:00.00
Long Jump	F11	6.07m	4.44m
	F12	6.74m	5.19m
	F13	6.55m	NA
	F20	6.68m	5.10m
Long Jump	F36	5.21m	NA
	F37	5.71m	4.31m
	F38	5.50m	4.26m
	F42	5.55m	3.55m
	F43	6.23m	4.88m
	F44	6.23m	4.88m
	F45	6.64m	4.99m
	F46	6.64m	4.99m
	F47	6.64m	4.99m
Triple Jump	F46	13.58m	NA
	F47	13.58m	NA
High Jump	F12	1.80m	NA
	F42	1.68m	NA
	F43	1.94m	NA
	F44	1.94m	NA
	F45	1.81m	NA
	F46	1.81m	NA
	F47	1.81m	NA
Discus	F11	35.87m	26.00m
	F12	44.31m	36.87m
	F33	35.77m	NA
	F34	35.77m	NA
	F36	49.59m	NA
	F37	49.59m	29.12m
	F38	NA	29.12m
	F40	NA	21.30m
	F41	NA	21.30m
	F42	41.30m	NA
	F43	51.00m	27.10m
	F44	51.00m	27.10m
	F46	46.38m	NA
	F51	16.50m	8.00m
	F52	16.50m	8.00m
	F53	20.00m	NA
	F54	36.37m	18.15m
	F55	36.37m	18.15m

<u>Event</u>	Classification	Men's B Team Standard	Women's B Team Standard
	F56	36.37m	28.00m
	F57	41.72m	28.00m
Javelin	F11	40.00m	16.60m
	F12	54.19m	34.45m
	F13	56.51m	34.45m
	F33	31.32m	NA
	F34	31.32m	16.76m
	F37	43.11m	28.00m
	F38	44.40m	26.48m
	F40	35.50m	NA
Javelin	F41	35.50m	NA
	F42	47.61m	NA
	F43	50.63m	NA
	F44	50.63m	NA
	F45	48.25m	30.50m
	F46	48.25m	30.50m
	F47	48.25m	30.50m
	F53	24.72m	15.00m
	F54	24.72m	15.00m
	F55	23.53m	16.35m
	F56	37.99m	16.35m
	F57	37.99m	17.77m
Shot Put	F11	14.39m	11.76m
	F12	14.39m	11.76m
	F20	14.24m	12.00m
	F32	7.95m	4.86m
	F33	10.00m	4.50m
	F34	10.05m	6.98m
	F35	12.42m	8.75m
	F36	11.86m	8.90m
	F37	13.75m	9.95m
	F38	11.50m	9.95m
	F40	7.04m	4.50m
	F41	11.42m	6.60m
	F42	12.60m	NA
	F43	NA	10.00m
	F44	14.57m	10.00m
	F46	14.20m	NA
	F53	7.50m	3.95m
	F54	10.88m	6.22m
	F55	10.88m	7.16m
	F56	12.35m	9.95m
	F57	12.35m	9.95m
Club	F31	31.02m	19.10m
C140	F32	31.02m	19.10m
	F51	24.04m	14.60m
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More information on the sport of Track & Field can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/US-Paralympics/Sports/Track-and-Field

WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Wheelchair Basketball can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Wheelchair%20Basketball.aspx

WHEELCHAIR FENCING:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Wheelchair Fencing can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Fencing.aspx

WHEELCHAIR RUGBY:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Wheelchair Rugby can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Wheelchair%20Rugby.aspx

WHEELCHAIR TENNIS:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Wheelchair Tennis can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Wheelchair%20Tennis.aspx

2022 WINTER PARALYMPIC SPORTS:

ALPINE SKIING:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Alpine Skiing can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Alpine%20Skiing.aspx

NORDIC SKIING:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Nordic Skiing can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/Home/US%20Paralympics/Sports/Nordic%20Skiing.aspx

SLEDGE HOCKEY:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Sledge Hockey can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/US-Paralympics/Sports/Sled-Hockey

2022 WINTER PARALYMPIC SPORTS (cont.):

SNOWBOARDING:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Snowboarding can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/US-Paralympics/Sports/Snowboarding

WHEELCHAIR CURLING:

A current member of the U.S. Development or Senior National Team; by-name selection must be made by the U.S. Senior National Team Coach. More information on the sport of Snowboarding can be found at http://www.teamusa.org/US-Paralympics/Sports/Curling

4. If you are interested and think that you may qualify for the WCAP, submit your application according to the instructions located at http://www.thearmywcap.com/