



Rope Skipping Canada

Saut à la Corde Canada

RSC Judge Qualification Policy

The International Jump Rope Union (IJRU) has three (3) levels of judging certification.

Level 1 Certification: Complete the online judging fundamentals course and judge training (each judge type has a separate online course)

Level 2 Certification: Complete the online judging course and attend a live training (this can be in-person or online in real time with a live trainer)

Level 3 Certification: Complete the online judge course, attend a live training, and complete 100% of the monthly continuing education courses

Individuals may become a judge in one or more of the following judging disciplines:

- Speed
- Presentation
- Required Elements
- Difficulty

Rope Skipping Canada (RSC) will require the following judge certification levels at competitions:

National Championships

- Judges must be at a minimum Level 2 certified
- Level 3 certified judge certification is preferred

Provincial Championships (National Qualifying Events)

- Judges must be at a minimum Level 1 certified
- Level 2 certified judge certification is preferred

Provincial Events (Non-Qualifying Events)

- Certification requirements at these events will be at the discretion of the host province/club

National Championship Technical Committee

- The National Championship Technical Committee will be appointed by the National Tournament Committee
- Members of the Technical Committee should:
 - Be at a minimum level 2 judge certified with preference going to level 3 certified judges
 - Have held a Technical Committee position at a Provincial Championships or previous National Championships

Required Allotment of Judges at the National Championships

RSC will require the following allotment of judges from each Provincial Sporting Organization (PSO) to be registered for the annual RSC National Championships:

- 1 speed, 1 difficulty and 2 freestyle (required elements or presentation) per 5 registered athletes
- Judges who are certified in more than one area may make up the team judge requirements
 - **For example:** a judge certified in speed and difficulty would fulfill both requirements
- 2 part time or 1 full time judge may be used to meet the requirements

RSC will be required to send Level 3 certified judges to the IJRU World Championships. As such, RSC encourages clubs who intend to qualify athletes to attend the IJRU World Championships to ensure an adequate number of judges obtain and maintain the IJRU Level 3 Judge Certification.