

Excel Program Points System (U18)

Teams will qualify for the Excel Program using combined individual points from the previous season. Individual points are calculated based on ¼ share of each curler's team's points from 2017-2018.

U18 Teams

(Applies to all teams that will be in the U18 age category in 2018-2019, even if they also intend to compete in U21 events.)

Top-5 Points Totals from the following 2017-2018 Events:

- **U18 AJCT Bonspiels:** 1.5 points per win, .75 points/tie **OR** 15-champion, 12.5-finalist, 10-semi-finalist, 7.5 quarter-finalist **OR** 7.5-consolation champion, 6.25 consolation finalist, 5 points consolation semi-finalist, 3.75 consolation quarter-finalist (or points/win if higher)
- **U21 AJCT "Grand Slams":** 3 points/win, 1.5 points/tie **OR** 35-champion, 30-finalist, 25-semi-finalist, 20-quarter-finalist **OR** 15-consolation champion, 12.5 consolation finalist, 10 points consolation semi-finalist, 7.5 consolation quarter-finalist
- **U21 AJCT Bonspiels:** 3 points per win, 1.5 points/tie **OR** 30-champion, 25-finalist, 20-semi-finalist, 15 quarter-finalist **OR** 15-consolation champion, 12.5 consolation finalist, 10 points consolation semi-finalist, 7.5 consolation quarter-finalist
- **WCT Bonspiels:** 3 points/win **OR** 40-champion, 35-finalist, 30-semi-finalist, 20-quarter-finalist

(Note: only 5 of these events can contribute to an individual curler's points total)

Additional Points from any of the following 2017-2018 Events:

- **U18 Regionals Points:** 3 points per win **OR** 20-A qualifier, 14-B qualifier, 8-C qualifier
- **U18 Provincials Points:** 3 points per win **AND** 40-champion, 30-finalist, 20-semi-finalist
- **U18 Nationals Points:** 6 points per win **AND** 80-champion, 60-finalist, 40-semi-finalist
- **U21 Regionals Points:** 3 points per win **OR** 20-A qualifier, 14-B qualifier, 8-C qualifier
- **U21 Provincials Points:** 6 points per round-robin win **AND** 80-champion, 60-finalist, 40-semi-finalist
- **U21 Nationals Points:** 6 points per round-robin win **AND** 160-champion, 120-finalist, 80-semi-finalist
- **AJCT Players' Points:** 3 points per win **OR** 40-champion, 35-finalist, 30-semi-finalist

(Note: all of these events can contribute to an individual curler's points total)

The above points system has been used to rank all U18 curlers who registered for the AJCT and/or competed in a SACA, NACA, PCA, or ACF U18 or U21 event in 2017-2018.

The **Top-3 Male** and **Top-3 Female** U18 teams from each of the **North** (formerly NACA) and **South** (formerly SACA) regions, plus the **Top-2 Male** and **Top-2 Female** U18 teams from the **West** (formerly PCA), all based on cumulative individual points from 2017-2018, will qualify for the 2018-2019 Excel Program.

In the event that a region does not have a sufficient number of eligible teams to fill these quotas, those remaining spots offered to the next highest team(s) on the province-wide points system.

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