



## National Schools NSEA SJ, JWS National Qualifiers

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> placed team & 1-4<sup>th</sup> placed individuals will qualify for the  
**NSEA National Schools Championships 2026**  
October 2026

Grass Roots Qualifiers 40-70cm

Felbridge Showground  
5<sup>th</sup> September 2026

Entries to: NSEA Online system ([competition@nsea.co.uk](mailto:competition@nsea.co.uk))  
Entries Close 7 days before the competition, or earlier if full

### **Show Jumping Qualifiers (Entry Fee £23) approx. start time 9am**

Class 1 Mini 70-75cm Team & Individual Qualifier

(Riders to be aged under 14 on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2025)

Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals.

Class 2 Novice 80-85cm Team & Individual Qualifier

Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals.

Class 3 Intermediate 90-95cm Team & Individual Qualifier.

Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals

Class 4 1m-1.05 Open Team & Individual Qualifier

Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals

Class 5a/b 1.10m Advanced Open Individual Qualifier

(2 x horses and 2 x ponies to qualify)

Single phase. This class will be split into 5a) Horses, 5b) Ponies

### **Jumping with Style Qualifiers (Entry Fee £24)**

Class 6 JWS 60cm Warm Up (non Qualifier)

Class 7 Mini 70-75cm Team & Individual EC JWS Qualifier

(Riders to be aged under 14 on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2025)

Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals.

Class 8 Novice 80-85cm Team & Individual EC JWS Qualifier  
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals.

Class 9 Intermediate 90-95cm Team & Individual EC JWS Qualifier.  
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals

Class 10 1m-1.05 Open Team & Individual EC JWS Qualifier  
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals

Class 11a/b 1.10m Advanced Open Individual EC JWS Qualifier  
( 2 x horses and 2 x ponies to qualify)  
Single phase. This class will be split into 5a) Horses, 5b) Ponies

### **Teams**

**Teams shall be made up of 3 or 4 riders ( best 3 scores to count)**

**All team riders will automatically count for individual placings providing they are eligible (see NSEA 'Additional rules)**

**The top 2 teams & 4 Individuals will qualify for the Championships**

### **Grass Roots Qualifiers Entry Fee £22**

Class 1a/b 40cm Team & Individual Grass Roots Qualifier (may be led/assisted) Judged on jumping penalties, placings separated on style marks. Not timed, although the maximum time in the arena is 4 mins.

40a) led, unled and running in close proximity with the pony.

40b) assisted- in the ring but does instructor not move with the pony

*Top 6 individuals in each section to qualify. Top 6 teams to qualify, which can be made up of riders in either section*

Class 2 50cm Team & Individual Grass Roots Qualifier (may be assisted) Optimum time

Class 3 60cm Team & Individual Grass Roots Qualifier (may not be assisted) Single phase

Class 4 70cm Team & Individual Grass Roots Qualifier (may not be assisted) Single phase

**Rules-** See 'NSEA Rules 2026-27

**Start Times** will be available on the NSEA website 2 days before the competition

[www.nsea.org.uk](http://www.nsea.org.uk)

### **Disclaimer**

*Except as otherwise stated below [or in our terms and conditions]:*

- *all participants undertake activities at NSEA events at their own risk. Please ensure that you seek and act upon any appropriate medical advice which you receive before undertaking any activity at NSEA events;*
- *you are strongly advised to acquaint yourselves with the terms of the NSEA insurance cover which is provided to all registered riders and the team manager of member schools; and*
- *we will not be liable for any acts or omissions of our employees, agents and sub-contractors in relation to any activity at NSEA events or for any loss or damage suffered by you as a result of taking part in any activity at NSEA events .*

*All warranties, conditions and other terms implied by statute or common law in relation to any activity at NSEA events are, to the fullest extent permitted by law, excluded. This does not exclude or limit our liability to you for death or personal injury caused by our negligence or any matter for which it would be illegal for us to exclude or attempt to exclude our liability or for fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation.*

*Notwithstanding the above, NSEA's total liability (including any liability for the acts or omissions of its employees, agents, consultants and subcontractors) in contract, tort (including negligence or breach of statutory duty), misrepresentation, restitution or otherwise arising in connection with your attendance or participation in any activity at NSEA events shall be limited to £5,000,000.*

## **Your Responsibility**

*All persons attending the event must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents and must obey instructions given by the Organiser or by officials and stewards on its behalf.*

*All competitors and those associated with their school are the responsibility of the Team Manager whilst at the competition*

The NSEA will not be held responsible for any financial loss incurred by the attendee as a result of a cancellation.

## **Child Protection & Safeguarding**

If you have any concerns, please contact the NSEA on tel 07552 836032 / [competition@nsea.co.uk](mailto:competition@nsea.co.uk) to be put in contact with our designated Child Protection Officer. If you have immediate concerns, you can contact Childline tel 0800 1111 or NSPCC tel 0808 800 5000

## **TV & Photography**

*Please note that professional photographers will be present at the Qualifiers and there may also be TV cameras at the Championships. Please indicate on the entry form if you do not wish to appear in press coverage/ TV or photos taken by our official photographers.*