



## GCG APPARATUS DESIGNATION

2017 – 2024

LEVEL	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
<b>Novice</b>	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	
	Hoop	Rope	Rope	Rope	Rope	Rope	Rope	
	Ball	Ball	Ball	Hoop	Hoop	Hoop	Hoop	
	Clubs	Clubs	Clubs	Clubs	Clubs	Ball	Ball	
<b>Novice Group</b>	Rope	Hoop	Hoop	Ball	Ball	Rope	Rope	
<b>Junior</b>	Hoop	Hoop	Rope	Rope	Rope	Rope	Rope	Rope
	Ball	Ball	Ball	Ball	Hoop	Hoop	Hoop	Hoop
	Clubs	Clubs	Clubs	Clubs	Clubs	Clubs	Ball	Ball
	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon
<b>Junior Group</b>	Rope Clubs	Rope Clubs	Hoop Ribbon	Hoop Ribbon	Ball Ribbon	Ball Ribbon	Clubs Rope	Clubs Rope
<b>Junior Dev't.</b>	5 pr. Clubs							
<b>Open Group</b>	4 or 5 Ribbon							
<b>Senior</b>	Hoop	Hoop	Hoop	Hoop	Hoop	Hoop	Hoop	Hoop
	Ball	Ball	Ball	Ball	Ball	Ball	Ball	Ball
	Clubs	Clubs	Clubs	Clubs	Clubs	Clubs	Clubs	Clubs
	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon
<b>Senior Group</b>	Hoop 3 Balls & 2 Ropes	Hoop 3 Balls & 2 Ropes	Ball 3 Hoops & 2 pr. Clubs	Ball 3 Hoops & 2 pr. Clubs	Clubs 3 Hoops & 2 Ribbons	Clubs 3 Hoops & 2 Ribbons	Ribbon 3 Ball & 2 pr. Clubs	Ribbon 3 Ball & 2 pr. Clubs
<b>Senior Dev't</b>	3 Balls & 2 Ropes							
Routine Length for National Stream Groups 2:15 - 2:30								

**Novice Group Age: 10 - 12 (Born 2007 - 2006 - 2005)**

**Novice Group Requirements:** Jr. Group Difficulty as per FIG CoP (pg. 80)

Novice	Group of 3 or 4	Rope
Novice	Group of 5	Rope

**Junior Group Age: 13 - 15 (Born 2004 - 2003 - 2002) - Junior Difficulty**

Junior	Group of 3 or 4	Clubs
Junior FIG	Group of 5	Rope Clubs

**Junior Development Group Age: 12 - 15 (Born 2005 - 2004 - 2003 - 2002) - Junior Difficulty**

Jr. Dev't	Group of 5	5 pr. Clubs
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**Open Group: (Novice-Junior-Senior Mix) - Junior Difficulty**

Open Grp	Group 4 or 5	Clubs
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**Senior Group Age: 16 and older (Born 2001 and before) - Senior Difficulty**

Senior	Group 3 or 4	Balls & Ropes (2 Balls & 1 Rope) OR (2 Balls & 2 Ropes)
Senior FIG	Group of 5	Hoops
	Group of 5	3 Balls & 2 Ropes

**Senior Development: (Junior-Senior Mix) - Senior Difficulty**

Sr. Dev't	Group of 5	3 Balls & 2 Ropes
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**Athletes can compete in a group one age level up from the level they compete as individuals.**

**NOTE: For the Jr. FIG groups that wish to be eligible to compete at international events, all registered athletes MUST be the correct age & be Canadian citizens as per FIG for Junior.**