



# HKSI ETG PT Selection Criteria

Enrollment starts : Mid October 2025  
(to be announced by e-mail and on HKSI Website)

An overview of the criteria and requirements for the Hong Kong, China Tennis Association, ETG PT and National Squad programmes, which aim to identify and develop the most promising young tennis players in Hong Kong

**STATUS EFFECTIVE: 1<sup>st</sup> APRIL 2026**

# Nomination Criteria

All Players must achieve one result from the below table by the deadline set by HKCTA in order to submit their ETG application.

| U14  | U16  | U18   |
|--|--|---|
| ◆ Top 3 position in a U14 ATF event in singles (minimum 4 nations)   | ◆ Top 3 position in a U16 ATF event in singles (minimum 4 nations)   | J100 Semi final or better in singles                            |
| ◆ Semi final or better in a U14 ATF event in doubles (Minimum 4 nations)                                       | ◆ Semi final or better in a U16 ATF event in doubles (Minimum 4 nations)                                       | J100 Semi final or better in doubles (with a Hong Kong Partner) |
| ◆ Top 1/3 results of Jr. Davis Cup / Jr. Billie Jean King Cup / World Junior Tennis – Asian Oceania Zone Group | ◆ Top 1/3 results of Jr. Davis Cup / Jr. Billie Jean King Cup / World Junior Tennis – Asian Oceania Zone Group |   |

Players will have to choose their funding category (ETG or SAG) and Full time training(25 hours per week)/ Part Time training (15 hours per week)

ETG: meeting the nomination criteria, fulfill the selection criteria plus fulfill the commitment set by HKCTA

SAG: meeting the nomination criteria only

# General Requirements



## Players must be able to represent Hong Kong

Players must be eligible and available to play for the Hong Kong national team at the time of selection



## Meet one Ranking and one Result criteria

Players must achieve one ranking-based objective and one result-based objective to be eligible



## Meet all participation requirements

Players must compete in the specified events and tournaments throughout the year to meet the participation criteria



## Meet minimum ETG PT programme criteria

Players must meet the minimum requirements to join the ETG PT programme, unless granted exceptional approval by Elite Committee

**The general requirements ensure that the selected players have the eligibility, performance, and commitment to represent Hong Kong and participate in the ETG PT programme effectively.**

# Selection Criteria (ETG Only) - Players Born 2014

## Meet one Ranking and one Result based criteria

- **Ranking Based Criteria**

- ◆ Top 4 nationally ranked players among YOB 2014 or after (November Ranking)

- **Result Based Criteria**

- ◆ Players who reach the quarterfinals of the U12 National Championships in singles event
- ◆ Players who achieve a top 6 or better result in an ATF Category 2 or higher singles event
- ◆ Players who achieve a top 3 or better result in an ATF Category 3 or higher singles event
- ◆ Players who reach the semi finals of an ATF Cat 2 doubles event with a Hong Kong partner

# Commitments (ETG Only) - Players Born 2014

## Meet all participation requirements whilst an ETG player

- **Participation Based Criteria**

- ◆ Players must compete in both U12 & U14 singles event in Hong Kong National Championships
- ◆ Players must compete in the CRC U14 and SCAA U14 in singles event
- ◆ Players must compete in a minimum of 6 or more ATF Category 3 or higher events per year
- ◆ Players must be available for all selected team events

# Selection Criteria (ETG Only) - Players Born 2013

## Meet one Ranking and one Result based criteria

- **Ranking Based Criteria**

- ◆ Top 4 nationally ranked players among YOB 2013 or after (November Ranking)

- **Result Based Criteria**

- ◆ Players who reach the finals of the U12 National Championships in singles event
- ◆ Players who achieve a top 3 or better result in an ATF Category 2 or higher singles event
- ◆ Players who win an ATF Category 3 or higher singles event
- ◆ Players who reach the finals of an ATF Cat 2 doubles event with a Hong Kong partner

# Commitments (ETG Only) - Players Born 2013

Meet all participation requirements whilst an ETG player

- **Participation Based Criteria**

- ◆ Players must compete in both U14 & U16 single event in Hong Kong National Championships
- ◆ Players must compete in the CRC U14 and SCAA U14 in singles event
- ◆ Players must compete in a minimum of 6 or more ATF Category 2 or higher events per year
- ◆ Players must be available for all selected team events

# Selection Criteria (ETG Only) - Players born 2012

## Meet one Ranking and one Result based criteria

- **Ranking Based Criteria**

- ❖ Top 4 nationally ranked players among YOB 2012 or after (November Ranking)
- ❖ ITF Ranking

- **Result Based Criteria**

- ◆ Players must have reached the quarterfinals of the U14 Hong Kong National Championships in singles event
- ◆ Players must have reached in Semi-Final or better result in an ATF Category 1 or higher singles event
- ◆ Players must have reached in Finalist in an ATF Category 2
- ◆ Qualification for ITF Main Draw in singles event
- ◆ Top 3 of the WJT Final Qualifying tournament

# Commitments (ETG Only) - Players born 2012

## Meet all participation requirements whilst an ETG player

- **Participation Based Criteria**

- ◆ Players must compete in both U14 & U16 singles event in Hong Kong National Championships
- ◆ Players must compete in CRC U14 and SCAA U14 in singles in Main Draw
- ◆ Players must compete in minimum of 2 or more Junior ITF tournaments per year
- ◆ Players must be available for all selected team events

# Selection Criteria (ETG Only) - Players born 2011

## Meet one Ranking and one Result based criteria

- **Ranking Based Criteria**

- ◆ Top 4 nationally ranked players among YOB 2011 or after (November Ranking)
- ◆ Players must have an ITF ranking

- **Result Based Criteria**

- ◆ Players must have reached the finals of the National Championships in the U14 age group
- ◆ Players must have an ITF ranking
- ◆ Top 3 of the WJT Final Qualifying tournament

# Commitments (ETG Only) - Players born 2011

Meet all participation requirements whilst an ETG player

- **Participation Based Criteria**

- ◆ Players must compete in both U16 & U18 single event in Hong Kong National Championships
- ◆ Players must compete in the CRC U18 and SCAA U18 in singles event
- ◆ Players must compete in minimum of 4 or more Junior ITF tournaments per year
- ◆ Players must be available for all selected team events

# Selection Criteria (ETG Only) - Players born 2010

## Meet one Ranking and one Result based criteria

- **Ranking Based Criteria**

- ◆ Top 4 nationally ranked players among YOB 2010 or after (November Ranking)
- ◆ Players must have an ITF ranking within the top 1000

- **Result based Criteria**

- ◆ Players must reach the semi-finals or better in the U16 National Championships singles event
- ◆ Players must achieve ITF points in a singles event
- ◆ Top 3 of the DCJ/ BJKJ Final Qualifying tournament

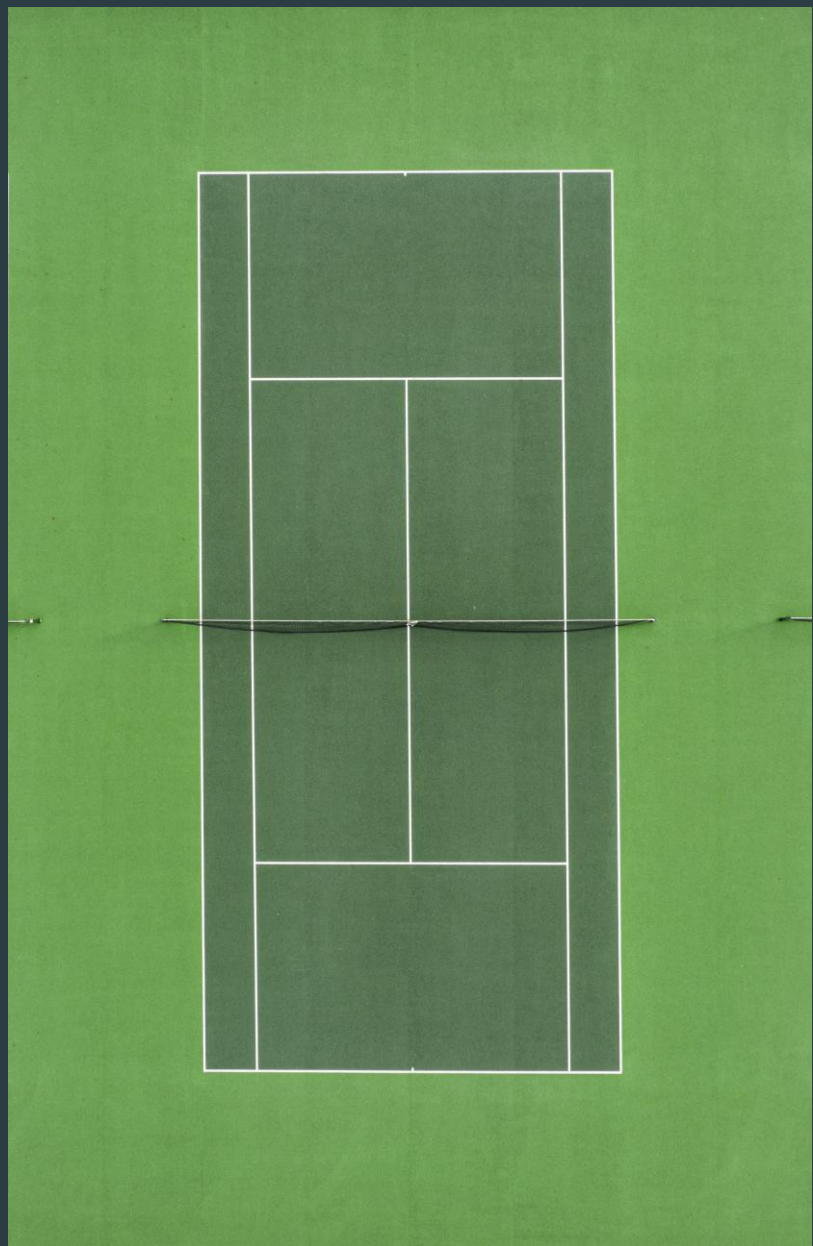
\*Players in their 16<sup>th</sup> year of age are eligible for the ETG PT squad from 1<sup>st</sup> April to 31<sup>st</sup> August. (Please note that effective September each year, players will need to commit to ETG full-time, or their status will be adjusted to SAG).

# Commitments (ETG Only) - Players born 2010

## Meet all participation requirements whilst an ETG player

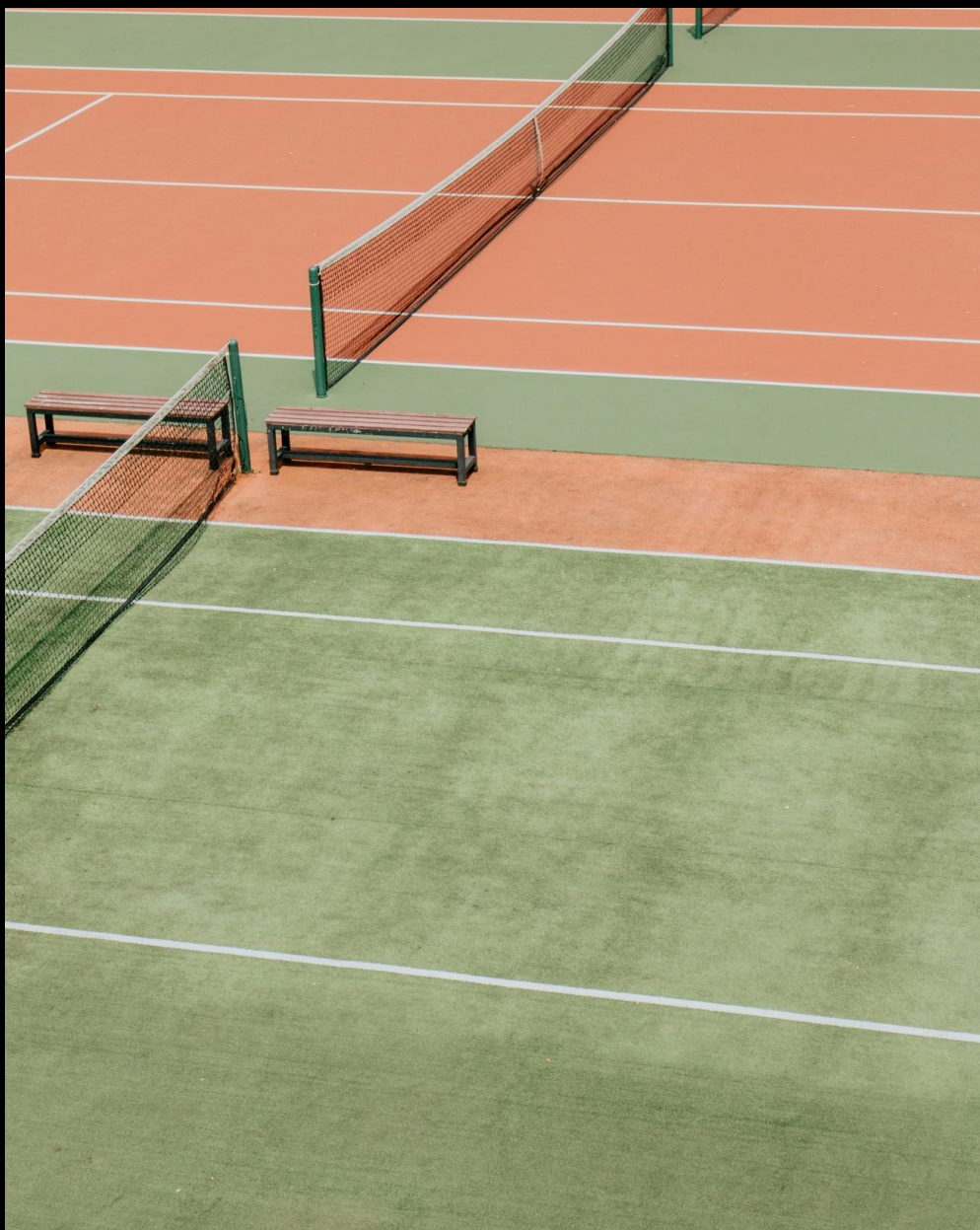
- **Participation Based Criteria**

- ◆ Players must compete in both U16 & U18 singles event in Hong Kong National Championships
- ◆ Players must compete in the CRC U18 and SCAA U18 tournaments in singles event
- ◆ Players must compete in minimum of 6 or more Junior ITF tournaments per year
- ◆ Players must be available for all selected team events



## Conclusion

The selection criteria for the ETG PT and Hong Kong National Squad are designed to identify and support the most promising young tennis players in Hong Kong. By meeting a combination of ranking, result, and participation requirements, players can earn a spot in these elite programmes and gain access to advanced training and development opportunities that will help them reach their full potential as tennis players.



## ETG PT/ National Squad Selection Criteria

The selection criteria for the ETG PT and Hong Kong National Squad are designed to identify and support the most promising young tennis players in Hong Kong. These elite programmes provide advanced training and development opportunities to help these players reach their full potential.