

Qualification Criteria for 4* Championships from 2010 onwards:

Art. 816.3:

Junior/Young Riders:

- 816.3.1 Horses must have graduated through the qualifying processes outlined above for Novice and CEI-Star qualifying up to, and including, the distance of the event for which a Certificate of Capability is sought.
- 816.3.2 Horses must have successfully completed at least 2 CEI 2* events or higher.
- 816.3.3 Of these 2 CEI events, at least one must be at the same distance, minimum speed and time frame as the 4-Star Championship and achieved no earlier than 24 months prior to, no later than the close of nominated entries for Championship and/or 60 days prior to the event, which ever is the longest and must be in combination with the nominated rider.
- 816.3.4 Riders must have graduated through the qualifying processes outlined above for Novice and CEI-Star qualifying up to, and including, the distance of the event for which a Certificate of Capability is sought.
- 816.3.5 Riders must have successfully completed at least 3 CEI 2* events or higher.
- 816.3.6 Of those 3 CEI events, one must be at the same distance, minimum speed and time frame as the 4* Championship and achieved no earlier than 24 months prior to, no later than the close of nominated entries for Championship and/or 60 days prior to the event, which ever is the longest and must be in combination with the nominated horse.
- 816.3.7 Recording and Proof of Qualification: Approved records must be provided for Rider/Horse results for eventual insertion into FEI Database/Passports as required. However, the ultimate responsibility for proof is still remains with each NF.