

STAR 1-10 Program Information

The Skate Canada STAR Program consists of all Skate Canada STAR assessments and tests, as well as STAR competition categories and supplementary Events. For detailed information regarding categories, qualifications and program requirements, refer to the STAR Technical Requirements Guide for the current season.

STAR 1-5

STAR 1-5 assessments are coach-assessed and include skills, free skate and dance. Assessments at the STAR 1-5 level are designed to support skater development within their own environment and remove barriers such as extra costs, inconvenience and time constraints.

STAR 6-Gold

The new STAR 6 - Gold Structure takes full effect this fall:

- Skills and Artistic: September 1st
- FreeSkate and Dance: November 1st

Freeskate or Dance tests scheduled before November 1st will be evaluated in accordance with the existing Sr. Bronze to Gold system.

STAR 6-Gold assessments are offered in an "external evaluation" environment and will be assessed by a qualified evaluator, with the exception of Skills that may be assessed by either an evaluator or the skater's qualified coach assessor.

All coaches are encouraged to complete the new STAR 6-Gold training for each discipline, as it becomes available on Skate Canada's e-learning site. Currently available are the e-learning modules and exams for the STAR 6-Gold Introduction & Overview, Skills and Artistic.

Additional courses, written resources and updated communications are also available on our website: skatinginbc.com and on the Skate Canada website to support coaches, evaluators, assessment coordinators and skaters with the logistics, descriptions and standards for each element, program or dance at the STAR 6-Gold level.

Star6 - Gold equivalency Chart: <https://noticeboard.skatecanada.ca/2019/04/04/star-6-gold-equivalency/>

Watch for e-blasts with further information as this new structure takes effect this fall.

Questions?

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