



Type of courses	Level	Disciplines	Open to	Financing	Course Material provided by	Certificates	FEI Tutor(s) appointed by	FEI Tutor(s) fees	FEI Tutor(s) travel expenses paid by	FEI Tutor(s) hotel + meals paid by	Course management	Coaches database
National or Regional	Introduction to Coaching	Olympic disciplines & NOS*	National Potential Candidates	NF/FEI	FEI	NF	NF	NF	100% NF if National 50 % FEI if Foreign <i>Note:</i> for Intro courses, the NF may appoint National Certified Level 2 Coaches to deliver the courses	NF	NF	NF
National	Level 1	Olympic disciplines & NOS*	National Candidates	NF/Olympic Solidarity/FEI	FEI	NF	FEI	50% FEI** / 50% NF	NF/Olympic Solidarity**	NF/Olympic Solidarity	NF/FEI	FEI/NF
	Level 2	Olympic disciplines										
Regional	Level 1	Olympic disciplines & NOS*	Regional Candidates	NF/Olympic Solidarity/FEI	FEI	NF	FEI	FEI	NF/Olympic Solidarity/FEI**	NF/Olympic Solidarity	NF/FEI	FEI/NF
	Level 2	Olympic disciplines										
	Level 3	Olympic disciplines										

*NOS: Non-Olympic sports = Vaulting and Endurance

3 Types of Courses for Coaches (quotas):

- NF National courses:** Open only to coaches from the organising NF and using the "FEI Introduction to coaching" syllabus. To introduce potential NF candidates to coaching. Max. 20 participants + 1 Course Director (National Certified L2 Coaches may be appointed to deliver Intro Courses).
- FEI National courses:** Open only to coaches from the organising NF and using FEI level 1 and FEI Level 2 syllabi.
- FEI Regional courses:** Open to coaches from NFs belonging (in principle) to the same FEI Regional Group and using FEI Level 1, Level 2 or Level 3 syllabi
 - Level 1:** Total places: 14 (Endurance 12 places); Organising NF => maximum 8 places*** + Tutor
 - Level 2:** Total places: 12; Organising NF => maximum 7 places*** + 1 Tutor (at the Level 2, the tutor MUST be foreign in order to avoid a potential conflict of interest)
 - Level 3:** Total places: 10; maximum 2 places per NFs + 2 Tutors. **Note:** should the number of applications exceed the 10 places available, the FEI will select the final list of participants based on their past evaluation (courses and log books) as well as their application form. If the 10 places are not filled, priority will be given to the Organising NF. Should the Organising NF not be able to fill the empty places, these will be open to all NFs in the same FEI Regional Group (as per the invitation).

3 Types of Financing Rules

- Introduction to Coaching courses:** using FEI syllabus; may be conducted either by a National Certified Level 2 Coach or an FEI Tutor. Possible contribution towards travel if the Course director is Foreign.
- National L1 & L2 courses:** the total Tutor's fees will be paid to the Tutor by the FEI. The 50% at the NF's cost will be invoiced to the organising NF by the FEI. No FEI contribution to Tutor's travel expenses.
- Regional courses:** the total Tutor(s) fees will be paid to the Tutor(s) by the FEI. *** **In a Regional course, when the number of coaches from the organising NF exceeds the specified and set quota, the course is considered as a National course and the financing rules pertaining to National courses apply.**

It is at the discretion of the organising NF to cover the accommodation and meals of the participants. In any cases, coffee breaks, lunches and one official reception (closing ceremony & award of certificates) must be covered by the organising NF.

Subsidy towards organisation of FEI National and Regional Courses for Coaches is provided by OLYMPIC SOLIDARITY World Programme for Coaches (Technical courses for coaches) via the National Olympic Committees (NOCs), info on: <https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/coach/olympic-solidarity-coaches-programme>.

**Only upon presentation of an official letter from the NOC confirming the inability to fund the course, the FEI considers, case by case sharing the Tutor's travel expense. For NOS courses, no OS subsidy is available therefore the Tutor's fees are 100% covered by the FEI.