

LVSC National Group Time & Discipline Standards

Below is a compilation of considerations used as a part of the process to assess a swimmer's readiness and ability to be promoted into the National group. While these are a few areas of consideration, ultimately the decision to promote a swimmer will remain with the recommendation of the swimmer's current Coach and final approval from the National Coach, Coach Amber.

Practice Time Standards:

It is required for swimmers to achieve 4 of 5 of these practice standards.

Boys:	

Set	Recommended	Consideration
6 x 100 Free & Stroke Kick	@ 1:30	@ 1:40
8-10 x 100 Free	@ 1:05	@ 1:10
6 x 200 IM	@ 2:30	@ 2:40
4 x 500 Free	@ 5:35	@ 6:00
4 x 100 Stroke	Fly/Bk @ 1:15 / Br @ 1:20	Fly/Bk @ 1:20 / Br @ 1:25
<u>Girls:</u>		
Set	Recommended	Consideration
6 x 100 Free & Stroke Kick	@ 1:30	@ 1:40
8-10 x 100 Free	@ 1:10	@ 1:15
6 x 200 IM	@ 2:40	@ 2:55
4 x 500 Free	@ 6:05	@ 6:30
4 x 100 Stroke	Fly/Bk @ 1:25 / Br @ 1:30	Fly/Bk @ 1:30 / Br @ 1:35

Meet Time Standards:

National group members should attain a minimum of 5 Western Zones Time Standards. This may include a variation of both A time standards & Bonus Time Standards. Swimmers must achieve at least 1 A cut.

Current Time Standards can be found here: <u>https://www.teamunify.com/wzone/UserFiles/Image/QuickUpload/2020-arena-western-zone-sr-champs-time-standards_048393.pdf</u>

Practice Habits:

Swimmers should create habits including, but not limited to:

- 1. Maintain 80% attendance for 12-18 months prior to National group consideration.
- 2. 2 Dolphin Kicks off each wall.
- 3. Not breathing on 1st stroke off any wall.
- 4. Showing respect & discipline in their behavior toward coaches & teammates.
- 5. Consistently being in the water on time for practices and for meet warmup.