

2026-2030 STAR Pattern and Solo Dance Requirements Quick Reference Guide

Pattern Dance: Team comprised of two skaters

Event	Test Prerequisite	2026-2027	2027-2028	2028-2029	2029-2030
STAR 2/STAR 3*	Each skater must have passed the STAR 1 dance assessment.	Dance #1: Dutch Waltz (2 sequences) Dance #2: Canasta Tango (2 sequences)	Dance #1: Canasta Tango (2 sequences) Dance #2: Baby Blues (3 sequences)	Dance #1: Dutch Waltz (2 sequences) Dance #2: Baby Blues (3 sequences)	Dance #1: Dutch Waltz (2 sequences) Dance #2: Canasta Tango (2 sequences)
STAR 4/STAR 5	Each skater must have passed the STAR 3 dance assessment.	Dance #1: Baby Blues (3 sequences) Dance #2: Swing Dance (2 sequences)	Dance #1: Swing Dance (2 sequences) Dance #2: Fiesta Tango (3 sequences)	Dance #1: Baby Blues (3 sequences) Dance #2: Swing Dance (2 sequences)	Dance #1: Swing Dance (2 sequences) Dance #2: Fiesta Tango (3 sequences)
STAR 6/STAR 7	At least one partner must have passed the complete STAR 5 dance assessment.	Dance #1: Ten-Fox (3 sequences) #2: European Waltz (2 sequences)	Dance #1: Fourteenstep (4 sequences) Dance #2: Foxtrot (4 sequences)	Dance #1: Ten-Fox (3 sequences) Dance #2: European Waltz (2 sequences)	Dance #1: Fourteenstep (4 sequences) Dance #2: Foxtrot (4 sequences)
STAR 8/STAR 9	At least one partner must have passed the complete STAR 5 dance assessment.	Dance #1: Rocker Foxtrot (4 sequences) Dance #2: Starlight Waltz (2 sequences)	Dance #1: Tango (2 sequences) Dance #2: Blues (3 sequences)	Dance #1: Rocker Foxtrot (4 sequences) Dance #2: Starlight Waltz (2 sequences)	Dance #1: Tango (2 sequences) Dance #2: Blues (3 sequences)

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<p>STAR 10/Gold</p>	<p>At least one partner must have passed the complete STAR <u>8</u> <u>7</u> dance assessment.</p>	<p>Dance #1: Starlight Waltz (2 sequences)</p> <p>Dance #2: Quickstep (4 sequences)</p>	<p>Dance #1: Paso Doble (3 sequences)</p> <p>Dance #2: Westminster Waltz (2 sequences)</p>	<p>Dance #1: Starlight Waltz (2 sequences)</p> <p>Dance #2: Argentine Tango (2 sequences)</p>	<p>Dance #1: Blues (3 sequences)</p> <p>Dance #2: Viennese Waltz (3 sequences)</p>
<p>Diamond</p>	<p>At least one partner must have passed the complete STAR <u>10</u> <u>7</u> dance assessment.</p>	<p>Dance #1: Yankee Polka (2 sequences)</p> <p>Dance #2: Rhumba (4 sequences)</p>	<p>Dance #1: Cha Cha Congelado (2 sequences)</p> <p>Dance #2: Ravensburger Waltz (2 sequences)</p>	<p>Dance #1: Argentine Tango (2 sequences)</p> <p>Dance #2: Rhumba (4 sequences)</p>	<p>Dance #1: Silver Samba (2 sequences)</p> <p>Dance #2: Ravensburger Waltz (2 sequences)</p>

*STAR 2/STAR 3 dance events will be assessed to standard.

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Solo Dance

Event	Test Prerequisite	2026-2027	2027-2028	2028-2029	2029-2030
STAR 2/STAR 3*	Skater must have passed the STAR 1 dance assessment.	Dance #1		Dance #2	
		DRAW FOR ONE OR TWO OF: Dutch Waltz (2 sequences) Canasta Tango (2 sequences) Baby Blues (2 sequences)			
STAR 4/STAR 5	Skater must have passed the STAR 3 dance assessment or higher.	Dance #1: Baby Blues (3 sequences) Dance #2: Swing Dance (2 sequences)	Dance #1: Swing Dance (2 sequences) Dance #2: Fiesta Tango (3 sequences)	Dance #1: Baby Blues (3 sequences) Dance #2: Swing Dance (2 sequences)	Dance #1: Swing Dance (2 sequences) Dance #2: Fiesta Tango (3 sequences)
STAR 6/STAR 7	Skater must have passed the complete STAR 5 dance assessment or higher.	Dance #1: Ten-Fox Dance (3 sequences) #2: European Waltz (2 sequences)	Dance #1: Fourteenstep (4 sequences) Dance #2: Foxtrot (4 sequences)	Dance #1: Ten-Fox (3 sequences) Dance #2: European Waltz (2 sequences)	Dance #1: Fourteenstep (4 sequences) Dance #2: Foxtrot (4 sequences)
STAR 8/STAR 9	Skater must have passed the complete STAR 5 dance assessment or higher.	Dance #1: Rocker Foxtrot (4 sequences)	Dance #1: Tango (2 sequences) Dance #2: Blues (3 sequences)	Dance #1: Rocker Foxtrot (4 sequences)	Dance #1: Tango (2 sequences) Dance #2: Blues (3 sequences)

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		Dance #2: Starlight Waltz (2 sequences)		Dance #2: Starlight Waltz (2 sequences)	
STAR 10/Gold	Skater must have passed the complete STAR 8 dance assessment.	Dance #1: Starlight Waltz (2 sequences) Dance #2: Quickstep (4 sequences)	Dance #1: Paso Doble (3 sequences) Dance #2: Westminster Waltz (2 sequences)	Dance #1: Starlight Waltz (2 sequences) Dance #2: Argentine Tango (2 sequences)	Dance #1: Blues (3 sequences) Dance #2: Viennese Waltz (3 sequences)

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