



MISSION:

To provide year-round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic-type sports for children and adults with an intellectual disability, giving them continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy and participate in the sharing of gifts, skills and friendship with their families, other Special Olympics athletes and the community.

HISTORY:

Founded in 1988

PARTICIPANTS (per the 2017 census):

Registered Athletes and Unified Partners:	156
Coaches:	82
Competitions:	6

INTERNATIONAL EVENTS:

- 2019 Special Olympics World Games, Abu Dhabi, UAE
- 2015 Special Olympics World Games, Los Angeles, USA (27 athletes)
- 2012 Special Olympics World Aquatics Competition, Puerto Rico, USA (2 athletes)
- 2011 Special Olympics World Games in Athens, Greece (9 athletes)
- 2011 Latin American Games, Puerto Rico, USA (10 athletes)
- 2007 Special Olympics World Games, Shanghai, China (4 athletes)
- 2004 Special Olympics Caribbean Regional Games in Kingston, Jamaica (21 athletes)
- 2003 Special Olympics World Games, Dublin, Ireland (10 athletes)
- 1999 Special Olympics World Games, North Carolina, USA (9 athletes)
- 1995 Special Olympics World Games, Connecticut, USA (9 athletes)
- 1991 Special Olympics World Games, Minnesota, USA (11 athletes)

6 OFFICIAL SPORTS:

Aquatics (Swimming)	Athletics	Basketball
Bocce	Football	Open Water Swimming

OTHER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS:

Athlete Leadership, Family Support Network (FSN), Healthy Athletes, Law Enforcement Torch Run (LETR), Special Olympics Unified Sports®, Young Athletes

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