2024 Lalla Aicha Qualifying School for the 2025 Season - FAQ's

Q: What is the Lalla Aicha Qualifying School?

A: The Lalla Aicha Qualifying School is a two-stage process (consisting of a Pre-Qualifier and Final Qualifier) to determine membership status on both the LET and the LET Access Series for the following year.

Q: What is the field size for the Final Qualifier?

A: The intended maximum field size is 156 players. The field size is based on the number of competitors who qualify through the eligibility categories and may have more or less players due to tied positions.

Q: What is the format for the Pre-Qualifier and Final Qualifier?

A: The Pre-Qualifier is a 54-hole, stroke-play event with no cut. The Final Qualifier is a 90-hole, stroke-play event with a cut after 72 holes.

Q: Where will the Pre-Qualifier and Final Qualifier be held?

A: Pre-Qualifiers will be held at Noria Golf Club, Palmeraie Rotana Resort, SAMANAH Golf by Nicklaus and Palm Golf Ourika, Marrakech, Morocco. The Final Qualifier will be held at Al Maaden Golf Course and Royal Golf Club in Marrakesh, Morocco, with the final round being held over the Al Maaden Golf Course.

Q: Can I pick which pre-qualifying venue I want to play?

A: No. Players attending the Pre-Qualifier will be allocated a venue by the LET at the close of entry deadline. Once allocated, players will play all three rounds on the same course.

Q: What status will be awarded at the end of Final Qualifier?

A: Top 20 players and ties will be eligible for LET Membership in Category 12. In case of a tie for 20th position, ties will be broken in the following order: lowest final round; lowest last 54 holes; until the tie is broken. If players remain tied, ties will be broken by match of score cards, beginning with the 18th hole of the final round backwards. If Players remain tied, ties will be broken by a match of score cards beginning with the aggregate results of the 18th hole of the third and fourth round and working backwards.

21st to the 50th position and ties will be eligible for LET Membership in Category 16. Ties will be broken in the following order: lowest final round; lowest 54 holes; until the tie is broken. If players remain tied, ties will be broken by match of score cards, beginning with the 18th hole of the final round working backwards. If Players remain tied, ties will be broken by a match of score cards beginning with the aggregate results of the 18th hole of the third and fourth round and working backwards.



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Players finishing outside the Top 50 and ties at the most recent Lalla Aicha Qualifying School will be offered LET Membership in Category 19. Ties will be broken in the following order: for those players making the cut, lowest final round; lowest last 54 holes. If Players remain tied, ties will be broken by a match of score cards beginning with the 18th hole of the final round and working backwards. For the remaining players, ties will be broken in the following order: lowest last 36 holes. If Players remain tied, ties will be broken by a match of score cards beginning with the 18th holes of the 3rd and 4th rounds together and working backwards.

Any player, who makes the cut and subsequently withdraws due to injury or illness, will be offered LET Membership in Category 19.

Q: What is the +18 Aggregate Score Rule?

A: Any player that scores a total of +36 or higher over the first two rounds will be automatically withdrawn from the Qualifying Tournament and will not be eligible to receive any type of LET or LETAS Tour status for the 2025 season.

Q: Will all players who compete in the Pre-Qualifier and do not advance to the Final Qualifier, earn status on the LETAS Tour for the 2025 season?

A: No. A set number of players competing in the Pre-Qualifier will be eligible to earn 2025 LETAS Tour status which will be determined at the close of entry deadline once the total number of players competing in each Pre-Qualifier is confirmed.

LET MEMBER FAQ

Q: Which LET Members will be exempt into the Final Qualifier?

A: LET members ranked in the top 135 of the 2024 final LET Order of Merit rankings, including those tied for 135th place.

Q: What if an LET Member ranked outside the Top 135 elects not to compete at Qualifying School?

A: If the Member is ranked outside the Top 135 on the season-ending LET Order of Merit, she may remain an LET Member and compete out of Category 18 on the LET Exemption Category List for the 2025 season, providing she is within the Top 200 on the full LET Career Money List.

If a Member is not within the Top 200 on the full LET Career Money List, she may become a LETAS member and compete out of LETAS Category 10 (Previous Year LET Member without status).

LET ACCESS SERIES MEMBER FAQ

Q: Which LETAS Members will be exempt into the Final Qualifier?

A: LETAS Members must be ranked #8-32, including those tied for 32nd place on the season ending LETAS Order of Merit List to automatically qualify for the Final Qualifier. If the players ranked #8-32 are otherwise exempt, a place in the Final Qualifier will be extended to the next ranked player on the official LETAS Order of Merit.

Q: What are the options for a LETAS Member who finishes outside of the Top 32 on the LETAS Order of Merit List?

A: If a LETAS Member finishes outside the Top 32 on the LETAS Order of Merit List at the conclusion of the official LETAS season, she may compete in the Pre-Qualifier to attempt to advance to the Final Qualifier. If a Member is ranked within the Top 70 on the season-ending LETAS Order of Merit List, she can compete as a LETAS Member in Category 2 on the LETAS Exemption Category List for the 2025 season.

AMATEUR FAQ

Q: Can an amateur compete in the Lalla Aicha Qualifying School?

A: Yes. A competitor may play in the Pre-Qualifier and the Final Qualifier of the Lalla Aicha Qualifying School as an amateur.

Q: If a competitor competes as an amateur, must she declare professional status at some time during the qualifying process?

A: No. An amateur competitor is not required to declare professional status at any point during the qualifying process, including the Final Qualifier.

Q: If an amateur competitor earns LETAS membership, does she have to turn professional to accept membership?

A: No. An amateur competitor earning LETAS status may join the LETAS Tour as an amateur and she will be eligible to participate in LETAS tournaments (as an amateur) with the status she earned at the Pre-Qualifier or the Final Qualifier.

Q: If a competitor joins LETAS as an amateur, can she turn professional later?

A: Yes, she may declare professional status at any time or remain as an amateur member throughout the season. Once turning professional, any LETAS Order of Merit points earned as an amateur, will not be lost with the change of status.

Q: If an amateur competitor earns LET Tour membership, must she make a decision to turn professional at the conclusion of the Final Qualifier to accept LET membership?



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A: In order for an amateur competitor to accept and take up LET membership, she is required to turn professional by the close of membership deadline for the 2025 LET season.

Q: Can an amateur competitor play LET events based on her performance at the Final Qualifier prior to turning professional?

A: No. As an amateur, she may not participate in LET tournaments with the status she earned at the Final Qualifier. However, an amateur competitor may participate in LET tournaments following Lalla Aicha Qualifying School as a non-member amateur via sponsor invitation or any other eligibility category for which she may qualify, such as Rolex Rankings, amateur exemptions, etc.

AGE QUALIFICATION FAQ

Q: How old does a player need to be to compete in the Lalla Aicha Qualifying School?

A: A player may compete in the Pre-Qualifier and Final Qualifier at the age of 17, provided she turns 18 on or before 31st December in the year in which she is competing in the Qualifying Tournament.

Q: What if the player wants to compete, but does not meet the age requirements?

A: If a player does not meet the age requirement for the Pre-Qualifier or Final Qualifier, and she is between the ages of 16 and 18, she may petition the LET for a waiver of the minimum age requirement.

Q: What is the process for a player who does not meet the age requirement to petition the LET? A: Players wishing to petition the LET must complete a petition application. The details of how to apply are included within the Lalla Aicha Qualifying School Fast Facts and Eligibility document. Applications are reviewed by the LET CEO and the decision to approve or not approve a petition is at their discretion.

Q: If a player turns 17 on or before the 31st December in the year in which she is competing in the Lalla Aicha Qualifying School, can she compete in LPGA Qualifying School's Final Stage?

A: No. A player may only compete in the LPGA Qualifying School Final Stage if she will reach the age of 18 in the year during which she competes, or if she petitions and receives a waiver of the minimum age requirement from the LPGA.