



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 2003

PARTICIPANTS (per the 2016 census):

Registered Athletes and Unified Partners:	1,458
Coaches:	7
Competitions:	20

SUPPORT:

Recipient of government, corporate and individual funding

INTERNATIONAL EVENTS:

- 2011 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Athens, Greece
- 2013 Special Olympics World Winter Games, PyeongChang, South Korea
- 2015 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Los Angeles, California

7 OFFICIAL SPORTS:

Athletics	Badminton	Basketball	Bocce
Football (Soccer)	Table Tennis	Volleyball	

OTHER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS:

Athlete Leadership, Healthy Athletes, Special Olympics Unified Sports

EXECUTIVE STAFF:

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