

# In Photos: Russian Athletes Compete in Beijing Winter Games

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Russia has sent 212 of its athletes to the Beijing Winter Olympics, where they are competing under the Russian Olympic Committee banner due to past doping violations. After less than a week of the competition, the ROC team is currently in the lead with nine medals overall. Russian athletes have won gold medals in figure skating and cross-country skiing as well as bronze and silver medals in the biathlon, ski jumping, snowboarding and freestyle skiing. Here's a look at the athletes in action so far:



Russia's Kamila Valieva competes in the women's single skating short program during the figure skating team event. **Anne-Christine Poujolat / AFP**

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