## RUNYER'S WORLD GERMANY TRAINING PLAN

## GO 30+ KM IN THE WINGS FOR LIFE WORLD RUN 2020

The training plan below will prepare you to run $30+\mathrm{km}$ in the Wings for Life World Run on May 3, 2020. Designed specifically to help you stay ahead of the Catcher Car, the training plan pushes you to change pace, increase speed and be ready to sprint in those last few moments of the race. Check below for details on pace and technique, and use our Goal Calculator to work out the pace you'll need to reach your goal.


| MONDAY | 40-min gentle run |
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| TUESDAY | 10 -min warm-up run, $3 \times 10$-min tempo run with 4-min jog rests <br> between each, 10 -min cooldown run |
| WEDNESDAY | Rest day |
| THURSDAY | 60 -min easy run with $3 \times$ increases to around 80 or 100 m |
| FRIDAY | Rest day |
| SATURDAY | 20 -min warm-up run, 5 k tempo run, 20 -min cooldown run |
| SUNDAY | 20km slow run with $3 \times$ increases to around 80 or 100 m |


| MONDAY | 40 -min gentle run |
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| TUESDAY | Rest day |
| WEDNESDAY | 15 -min warm-up run, $7 \times 800 \mathrm{~m}$ fast with 3-min jog rests between each, <br> $15-\mathrm{min}$ cooldown run |
| THURSDAY | 60 -min gentle run with $3 \times$ increases to around 80 or 100 m <br> FRIDAY |
| 40-min easy run, increasing pace towards the end of the run (if you feel |  |
| comfortable) |  |

SATURDAY Rest day
SUNDAY $\quad 22 \mathrm{~km}$ slow run, starting very slowly

| MONDAY | 40-min gentle run |
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| TUESDAY | $15-$-min warm-up run, $3 \times 1600 \mathrm{~m}$ fast with 3 -min jog rests between <br> each, 15 -min cooldown run |
| WEDNESDAY | 60 -min easy run |
| THURSDAY | Rest day |
| FRIDAY | 10 -min warm-up run, 8 km interval training, 10 -min cooldown run |
| SATURDAY | Rest day |
| SUNDAY | 24 km slow run with 3 x increases to around 80 or 100 m |

MONDAY 40-min gentle run
TUESDAY $\quad 15$-min warm-up run, $10 \times 400 \mathrm{~m}$ very fast with 3 -min jog rests between each, 15-min cooldown run
WEDNESDAY Rest day
THURSDAY $\quad 40-\mathrm{min}$ gentle run with 3 x increases to around 80 or 100 m
FRIDAY $\quad 10$-min warm-up run, 8 km tempo run, 10 -min cooldown run
SATURDAY Rest day
SUNDAY $\quad 26 \mathrm{~km}$ slow run with 3 x increases to around 80 or 100 m

| MONDAY | 40-min gentle run |
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| TUESDAY | 15 -min warm-up run, $8 \times 800 \mathrm{~m}$ fast with 3 -min jog rests between each, |
|  | 15 -min cooldown run |
| WEDNESDAY | Rest day |
| THURSDAY | 60 -min easy run |
| FRIDAY | 10 -min warm-up run, 10 km tempo run, 10 -min cooldown run |
| SATURDAY | Rest day |
| SUNDAY | 24 km slow run with $3 \times$ increases to around 80 or 100 m |


| MONDAY | 40-min gentle run with 3 x increases to around 80 or 100 m |
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| TUESDAY | Rest day |
| WEDNESDAY | $15-\mathrm{min}$ warm-up run, $4 \times 800 \mathrm{~m}$ fast with 3 -min jog rests between each, <br>  <br> 15-min cooldown run |
| THURSDAY | $40-\mathrm{min}$ gentle run |
| FRIDAY | Rest day |
| SATURDAY | 20-min slow run with 3 x increases to around 80 or 100 m |
| SUNDAY | 15 -min warm-up run, half marathon at race pace, 15 -min cooldown run |

MONDAY 40-min slow run
TUESDAY $\quad 40$-min easy run with 3 x increases to around 80 or 100 m
WEDNESDAY 60-min gentle run
THURSDAY Rest day
FRIDAY $\quad 10$-min warm-up run, 10 km interval training, 10 -min cooldown run
SATURDAY 40-min gentle run
SUNDAY $\quad 26 \mathrm{~km}$ slow run with 5 x increases to around 80 or 100 m

| MONDAY | 40-min gentle run |
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| TUESDAY | 15 -min warm-up run, $10 \times 800 \mathrm{~m}$ fast with 3 -min jog rests between each, 15 -min cooldown run |
| WEDNESDAY | Rest day |
| THURSDAY | 40-min gentle run with 3 x increases to around 80 or 100 m |
| FRIDAY | 10-min warm-up run, 12 km tempo run, 10-min cooldown run |
| SATURDAY | Rest day |
| SUNDAY | 28 km slow run with 5 x increases to around 80 or 100 m |

SATURDAY Rest day
SUNDAY $\quad 28 \mathrm{~km}$ slow run with 5 x increases to around 80 or 100 m


MONDAY $\quad$ 40-min gentle run
TUESDAY Rest day
WEDNESDAY 10 -min warm-up run, $2 \times 4 \mathrm{~km}$ tempo run with 3-min jog rests between each, 10-min cooldown run

THURSDAY Rest day
FRIDAY $\quad 18 \mathrm{~km}$ slow run
SATURDAY 35 -min easy run with $3 x$ increases to around 80 or 100 m



SLOW RUN

Pace: 90 seconds slower than 10km-race speed
Intensity: 70 to $75 \%$ of maximum heart rate
Scale from 1 to 10: 1 to 2
Description: Extremely slow pace, almost too slow
Speak test: You can chat easily, using whole sentences

GENTLE RUN

Pace: 60 to 80 seconds slower than 10km-race speed
Intensity: 75 to $80 \%$ of maximum heart rate
Scale from 1 to 10: 3 to 4
Description: comfortable, feel-good pace
Speak test: You can chat easily, using short sentences

EASY RUN

Pace: 30 to 50 seconds slower than 10km-race speed
Intensity: 80 to $85 \%$ of maximum heart rate
Scale from 1 to 10: 5 to 6
Description: moderate but fun pace
Speak test: You can still chat but it's harder. Short sentences are still possible

## + TEMPO RUN

Pace: Half-marathon speed
Intensity: 85 to $88 \%$ of maximum heart rate
Scale from 1 to 10: 7 to 8
Description: Hard, but you can just keep it going on good days
Speak test: You can use single words, possibly

+ FAST/ VERY FAST

Fast = Pace: 10km-race speed
Very fast = Pace: 5km-race speed
Intensity: 95 to 100\% of maximum heart rate
Scale from 1 to 10: 9 to 10
Description: very fast pace possible only over a short distance
Speak test: You can't talk

+ INCREASES

Building to a sprint for about 80- to 100-meters at the end of training - start with a jog and increase speed steadily to reach the sprint

## + INTERVAL TRAINING

Try to do interval training on soft ground, if possible, in slightly profiled terrain over non-measured distances. After warming up, run varying distances at different speeds, from fast running to sprinting, with easy jogging between each interval. This interval training does not dictate an exact workload; you determine the speed and length of each section.

