

# THE WKSA TOURNAMENT REQUIREMENTS

*Effective as of October 2017, and for all tournaments*

For more details concerning competition requirements, see WKSA Standard Tournament rules, revised 2008  
Etiquette is very important within Kuk Sool Won™ and competitors' manners and attitude will affect the judge's final score.

RANK	ADULT (AGE 18 & UP)	YOUTH (AGE 13-17)	JUNIOR (AGE 9-12)	Little Dragon (Age 8 & under)	WEAPONS	BREAKING
WHITE BELT	Ki Cho Hyung (1-3) Ki Bohn Soo (1-5)		Ki Cho Hyung (1-3) Ki Bohn Soo (1-5)	Ki Cho Hyung (1-2) Sohn Ppae Ki (1-5)	NONE	For Selected Tournaments (See each Entry Form)  <u>ADULTS ONLY</u> Age 18 and over, AND Brown Belt & up. Adjust Height for Senior Divisions. There is no division for Juniors / Youth.
YELLOW BELT	Ki Cho Hyung (4-6) Ki Bohn Soo		Ki Cho Hyung (4-6) Ki Bohn Soo (1-10)	Ki Cho Hyung (3-4) Ki Bohn Soo (1-5)		
BLUE BELT	Cho Geup Hyung Sohn Mohk Soo		Cho Geup Hyung Ki Bohn Soo (1-15)	Ki Cho Hyung (4-6) Ki Bohn Soo (1-10)		
RED BELT	Joong Geup Hyung Eue Bohk Soo		Joong Geup Hyung Sohn Mohk Soo	Cho Geup Hyung Ki Bohn Soo (1-15)		
BROWN BELT	Goh Geup Hyung Ahn Sohn Mohk Soo Maek Chi Ki		Goh Geup Hyung Eue Bohk Soo	Joong Geup Hyung Sohn Mohk Soo	Bohng Dohl-li-ki All ages: 1-5 (3 times)	High Spin Kick (Left OR Right)
DBN* (4 & less stripes)	Dae Geup Hyung Maek Cha Ki Joo Muhk Maga Ki Bohn Soo		Dae Geup Hyung Ahn Sohn Mohk Soo	Goh Geup Hyung Eue Bohk Soo	Bohng Dohl-li-ki Junior & below: 1-5 (3 times) Youth & Adults: 6-10 (3 times)	Two High Spin Kicks (L & R)
DBN* (5 & more stripes)	Guhm Moo Hyung Joong Geup Sohn Mohk Soo Ahp Eue Bohk Soo		Guhm Moo Hyung Maek Chi Ki Maek Cha Ki	Dae Geup Hyung Ahn Sohn Mohk Soo	Bohng Dohl-li-ki Junior & below: 6-10 (3 times) Youth & Adults: 11-15 (3 times)	
1st Dahn (JKN)	Guhm Moo Hyung Dee Eue Bohk Soo Too Ki Yahng Sohn Mohk Soo	Guhm Moo Hyung Dee Eue Bohk Soo Kwahng Juhl Ki Too Ki	Guhm Moo Hyung Joong Geup Sohn Mohk Soo Ahp Eue Bohk Soo	Guhm Moo Hyung Maek Chi Ki Maek Cha Ki	Joong Bong IL Hyung Juhng Guhm Hyung	Spin Kicks (L&R) High & Low (total of 4 boards)
2nd Dahn (KSN)	Baek Pahl Ki Hyung Gahk Doh Bub Goh Geup SMS Goh Geup EBS Jwah Ki / Wah Ki	Baek Pahl Ki Hyung Bahng Too Ki Yahng Sohn Mohk Soo Ssahng Soo	No Category	No Category	Dahn Bohng Hyung (18 movements) Yuhk Guhm Hyung	Scissors Kick & Yahng Bahl Cha Ki (total of 4 boards) – kicks must be continuous in one run
3rd Dahn (PSBN)	Kyuhk Pah Hyung Ee In Jeh Ahp Sool	No Category	No Category	No Category	Dahn Ssahng Bohng Hyung Dahn Ssahng Guhm Hyung	Sahm Bahng Cho Cha Ki (3-board breaks using 2 kicks and 1 hand strike -- all in one jump)
4th Dahn (SBN)	Sahm Bahng Cho Hyung 1 Poh Bahk Sool Jee Peng Ee Sool	No Category	No Category	No Category	Chahng Hyung	No Category

\* DBN Belt is two black stripes running along the Brown Belt, and you need to count the NUMBER of STRIPES on DBN Belt when indicating the division category. Ex) DBN belt with no stripe is 0, DBN belt with one stripe is 1, ... DBN belt with 5 stripes is 5, etc.

\*\* Stripe Belts are permitted and will compete in their appropriate RANK division (e.g. Yellow Stripe Belt at WHITE BELT division, Blue Stripe Belt at YELLOW BELT division, etc). The same rule applies for any extra stripes or tabs on the WKSA official ranking belts.

## NOTES ON DIVISIONS

### TECHNIQUES

Empty hand techniques to be performed with a partner, before a panel of judges. The partner must fall correctly, **and falling is mandatory.**

Ask your instructor for the rank & age requirements for partnering.

**Adults Black Belt competitors are required to wear the official WKSA's THE GENERAL uniform for all Weapons Divisions.**

### SWORD AND STAFF

Black belts may enter both staff and sword division. If you enter both, they will be considered two separate divisions. No live (sharp) blades. Staff must be free from any decorations. **Only official WKSA sword is allowed** for this division.