



# WORLD TANG SOO DO ASSOCIATION APPLICATION FOR GUP PROMOTION

(PLEASE PRINT)

Date of Test : \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR STUDENT**

Assoc. Membership No. \_\_\_\_\_ Student's No. in Studio \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle Init Sex : Male  Female

Address : \_\_\_\_\_

(Please fill if there's any change) No Street City State Zip

Date of Birth : \_\_\_\_\_ Tel: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

(Please fill if there's any change)

Education: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Present Gup Rank: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Entrance: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Last test: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby submit my application for Gup promotion in the World Tang Soo Do Association. I have read the agreements for promotion test on the Reverse side of this application and fully understand and agree to the terms and conditions.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Month of birth if emailed \_\_\_\_\_ Guardian's Signature(if under 18 years) \_\_\_\_\_ Month of Birth if emailed \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR INSTRUCTOR**

Award or Punishment: \_\_\_\_\_

I evaluate \_\_\_\_\_'s Attendance, Attitude,  
Student's Name

Enthusiasm and Techniques in general classes as  poor,  fair,  good,  excellent,  
 and hereby recommend him/her for Gup of \_\_\_\_\_.

Studio Name \_\_\_\_\_

Instructor \_\_\_\_\_

\*Mail the original copy to the World Tang Soo Do Association, 2436 Hanford Rd, Burlington, NC 27215, and make a copy for your records.

**FOR EXAMINER:**

Average points: \_\_\_\_\_

Point System A. Excellent (90-100) B. Good (80-89) C. Average(70-79)  
 D. Recommended (60-69) E. Fail (59 & under)

\*An average score above 70 points qualifies for Gup promotion

\*An average score below 69 points fails

I recommend promotion of this student to \_\_\_\_\_.

Examiner(s) 1. \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. \_\_\_\_\_

Chairman of Test Committee: \_\_\_\_\_

Chairman of Technical Advisory Committee: \_\_\_\_\_

President of World Tang Soo Do association: \_\_\_\_\_

General	Ki Hap	
	General Attitude	
	Terminology	
	General Knowledge	
Hand Techniques	Low Defense	
	Middle Punch	
	High Punch	
	High Defense	
	Inside/Outside Block	
	Outside/Inside Block	
	Side Punch	
	Two Hand Block, Fr/S	
	Two Hand Block, Fi/S	
	High Block	
	High two hands X Block	
	Low Two hands X Block	
	Side Defense	
	High Knife Hand Block	
	Spear Hand Punch	
	Yuk Jin (Kn-Re/P, Fi/S)	
	Yuk Soo (Kn-Re/P, Fr/S)	
Kick Techniques	Front Stretch Kick	
	Front Kick	
	Side Kick	
	Side Stretch Kick	
	Round House Kick	
	Spinning Back Kick	
	Straight Back Kick	
	Crescent Kin In/Out	
	Crescent Kin Out/In	
	Wheel Kick	
	Hook Kick	
	Axe Kick	
	Diagonal Kick	
	Front Jump Kick	
	Side Jump Kick	
Jumping Round Kick		
Jump Spinning Kick		

Hyungs	Sae Kye Hyung Il Bu	
	Sae Kye Hyung E Bu	
	Sae Kye Hyung Sam Bu	
	Pyung Ahn Cho Dan	
	Pyung Ahn E Dan	
	Pyung Ahn Sam Dan	
	Pyung Ahn Sah Dan	
	Pyung Ahn Oh Dan	
	Bassai	
	Naihanchi Cho Dan	
	Sip Soo	
	Bong Hyung Il Bu	
Comb.	Hand Combinations	
	Kick Combinations	
	H/K Combinations	
	Sparring	Three Step Sparring
One Step Sparring		
Free Sparring		
Sparring with two or more		
	Self-Defense without Weapon	
	Self-Defense with Weapon	
	Break Ability	

REMARKS:

\* Kn-Re/P – Knife Hand and Reverse Punch  
 FR/S – Front Stance  
 Fi/S – Fighting Stance

## **Gup Promotion Examination Agreement**

I, the signed applicant on the reverse side (front), hereby agree to abide by and observe all the rules and regulations of the World Tang Soo Do Association and will accept any grade or belt rendered by this Association with complete satisfaction, neither contesting nor demanding a higher grade or belt.

The Association hereby agrees to furnish a competent judge and adequate facilities for the promotion examination and will also issue an identification card and certification in accordance with the requirements listed in the current Student Manual. I understand and agree that the promotion examination fee is not refundable under any circumstances. I recognize the strenuous nature of this activity and I agree to hold the WTSDA, its officers, instructors, testing examiners, guests and members, my affiliated studio and the location where this promotion examination is being conducted harmless of any liability or damages for personal injuries I may sustain during said promotion examination.

I further agree that any pictures taken of or by me in connection with said examination may be used by the WTSDA for publicity or promotion purposes without compensation at this time or any other time.

I will not violate any of the conditions of membership as outlined in the current Gup Manual. If at any time I violate any of the conditions therein or if I violate any of the following conditions expressly agreed upon between the WTSDA, my studio and me, I will agree that the WTSDA and my studio reserve the right to withdraw and revoke any rank and/or status.

I agree to pay any and all liquidated damages to the WTSDA as a result of violating the above conditions and/or rules and regulations of the WTSDA. Said liquidated damages shall be fair and reasonable.

1. I pledge to protect the honor and dignity of the Art of Tang Soo Do through my behavior inside and outside of the dojang.
2. I am prohibited from using or executing any Tang Soo Do techniques or other martial arts techniques unless it reasonably appears necessary to defend myself or another against an apparent threat of unlawful and immediate violence from another.
3. I will not engage in the demonstration or instruction of the Art of Tang Soo Do in any form whatsoever or under any circumstances without the express written permission of the WTSDA and/or my studio.
4. If I ever become inactive for a period of more than three (3) months or if I ever become lackadaisical in my training, my rank may be re-evaluated and I may be demoted to a lower rank.
5. I agree that if I ever cease to be a member of the Association, whether voluntarily or involuntarily, I will not hold myself out as a current member of the WTSDA. I further agree to refrain from displaying or showing any certificate or identification card which contains the WTSDA trademark and/or WTSDA logo, both of which are protected by US Trademark Registration No.1,327,588.
6. I agree it is the total discretion of the WTSDA to suspend or expel any member from his or her membership or from the WTSDA for conduct unbecoming a member of the WTSDA. Conduct unbecoming is determined as any conduct which is not in keeping with the standards of the WTSDA. Any member who is suspended or expelled from the WTSDA may not train or participate in events at any member studio. Any studio owner, after notice of said member suspension or expulsion, who allows that member to train at their studio events will risk the loss of their studio membership in the WTSDA.

I have read and fully understand this agreement and agree that all the terms and conditions shall be deemed to exist and bind all of the parties herein signed on the front side of this agreement.

### **FOR STUDIO OWNERS:**

The studio owner named in this contract has the right to suspend or expel any member from him/her studio for conduct unbecoming a member. Conduct unbecoming is to be determined at the discretion of the studio owner and/or by the WTSDA by virtue of membership in said association. This paragraph is an essential part of the contract between the member and the studio owner. The member, by virtue of his/her signature, acknowledges that he/she has read this paragraph, understands same and accepts its provisions.