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Graduation Packet (Black Belt Tip)

Junior/Teen Checklist

- Complete the “Graduation Application” on page 2 of this packet.
- Reply to your graduation e-mail confirming your testing date and time, spelling of name, and belt size.
- Have a teacher complete the assessment on page 3 and a parent write a recommendation letter as outlined on page 4.
- Complete the essay as described on page 5.
- Update your Notebook, being sure to include the “Notebook Grade Sheet” on page 6 and a copy of your latest academic report card.
- Turn in your Academic Achievement *in class*.
- Turn in your Community Service *in class*.
- By the packet due date, turn in your up-to-date notebook and materials, including materials/testing fee (\$5 for 1st Dan, \$8 for 2nd Dan) and your “Tip Log.”

Adult (18+) Checklist

- Complete the “Graduation Application” on page 2 of this packet.
- Reply to your graduation e-mail confirming your testing date and time, spelling of name, and belt size.
- Complete the essay as described on page 5.
- Turn in your Community Service *in class*.
- Turn in your Goal Sheet *in class*.
- By the packet due date, turn in all materials, including materials/testing fee (\$5 for 1st Dan, \$8 for 2nd Dan) and your “Tip Log.”



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Graduation Application

Name _____ Date _____

Age/Date of Birth _____

Testing to Belt Tip _____

Payment Amount (\$5 for 1st Dan; \$8 for 2nd Dan) _____ Cash or Check No. _____

From your graduation e-mail, write down these important dates:

Testing Date and Time _____

Graduation Packet Due Date and Stripes Earned-by Date _____

Graduation Date and Time _____

Graduation and Testing Guidelines

- For both testing and graduation, be dressed in your complete uniform (no T-shirts) 15 minutes before the event begins.
- Be sure that your uniform is clean and neat, with all patches sewn properly.
- If you cannot attend your scheduled testing and/or graduation, you must inform your instructor. Failure to do so may result in waiting for the next testing cycle.



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Teacher Assessment

Student Name _____ Date _____

To be completed by an educator/teacher at the student's academic school (not necessary if on summer break).

Dear Teacher/Educator:

At the Jhoon Rhee Institute of Tae Kwon Do, we consider academic effort and conduct to be essential to our students' success. Please take a moment to complete this short survey as part of our evaluation process in your student's upcoming Tae Kwon Do examination. We appreciate your time. If you have any questions, please feel free to call our school at 703.532.7433 or email us at arlington@tkdlifeskills.com.

1. Student is attentive and respectful during classroom instruction.
a. all of the time b. most of the time c. some of the time d. needs work

2. My student is respectful, courteous, and kind to his/her classmates.
a. all of the time b. most of the time c. some of the time d. needs work

3. My student turns in his/her homework in on time.
a. all of the time b. most of the time c. some of the time d. needs work

Teacher's Signature _____



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Parent Recommendation Letter

To be completed by a parent.

Dear Parent,

In order to maintain a Black Belt, all students must demonstrate respect in the household. Parents are asked to write a letter of recommendation for each tip test with emphasis on the student's attitude and conduct at home. Students must receive a positive letter of recommendation to test.

Please make sure your child includes your letter in his or her finished Tae Kwon Do Notebook.

Thank you.



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Belt Concept Essay

All students must submit an essay on the belt concept that corresponds to the belt tip for which they are testing. All essays must be legible. Parents, you may help your child, but please make sure your child originates the content. We are checking for concepts and the student's understanding, not for grammar or spelling errors.

Please check the box by the belt concept that will be the subject of the essay.

- Testing to Gold Tip *The importance of Humility*
- Testing to Orange Tip *The importance of Punctuality*
- Testing to Green Tip *The importance of Patience*
- Testing to Purple Tip *The importance of Constructive Criticism*
- Testing to Blue Tip *The importance of Perseverance in Helping Others*
- Testing to Red Tip *The importance of Responsibility*
- Testing to Brown Tip *The Seven Qualities of a Champion*
- Testing to 1st Black Belt *What Jhoon Rhee Tae Kwon Do has done for me (2 pages typed)*



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Notebook Grade

Please place this sheet in the front of your notebook. Fill in only your name.

Your notebook is a very important part of Tae Kwon Do. Your notebook represents not just your martial arts achievements, but highlights your achievements and character outside of Tae Kwon Do, as well. Your notebook will be evaluated by an instructor and the grade will be a part of your overall test grade. Please see an instructor if you have any questions.

Name _____ Notebook Examiner _____

Date _____ Late Notebooks/Applications will not be accepted. You will automatically be moved to the next testing cycle.

<p>General</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Tabs</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Page Protectors</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Neatness</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Organization</p>	
<p>Content</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Teacher and Parent Assessments</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Academic School Report Card</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Belt Concept Essay</p>	
<p>Suggestions and Comments</p>	

Grade _____