White and White Stripe Goals and Objectives to grade to Yellow

Minimum Training time - 4 months or 20 hours (recommended to attend one tournament or workshop)

Waza: (basics)

- Puncheś (zuki) -jodan zuki, chudan zuki, gedan zuki
- Stances(dachi) kiba dachi and zenzkustu dachi
- Blocks (uke) ude uke, osoto uke, age uki, gendan barai (uke) Kicks (geri) – mae geri and mawashi geri
- Turns the basic 3 point turn always set the foot

Kata:

- Youth White Belt Power kata White Stripe Power kata and Chonan
- Adults Power kata and/or chonan and Pinan Shodan

Kumite:

Focus with partner, respect for partner, understand target areas, legal strikes, basic terminology

Yellow and Yellow Stripe Goals and Objectives to grade to Orange

Minimum Training time - 4 months or 25 hours (recommended to attend one tournament or workshop since last grading)

Waza: (basics)

- Work blocks and stances together
- Strikes / Punches (zuki) -jodan zuki, chudan zuki, gedan zuki, nukite
- Stances(dachi) kiba dachi and zenzkustu dachi, kokutsu dachi
- Blocks (uke) ude uke, osoto uke, age uki, gendan barai (uke), shoto uke, morote uke,
- Kicks (geri)- mae geri, mawashi geri, yoko geri
- Turns the basic 3 point turn always set the foot

Kata:

- Further refinement includes knowledge of technique application (bunkai), speed, power, form, kime and breathing.
- Pinan Nidan, Chonan Shodan and improvement of previous Katas

Kumite:

Focus with partner, respect for partner, understand target areas, legal strikes, basic terminology, work both side, learn a new technique, throw more than on attack, always counter attack, block counter.

Orange and Orange Stripe Goals and Objectives to grade to Green

Minimum Training time - 4 months or 25 hours (recommended to attend one tournament or workshop since last grading)

Waza: (basics)

- Work blocks and stances together
- Strikes / Punches (zuki) -jodan zuki, chudan zuki, gedan zuki, nukite, uraken, empi
- Stances(dachi) kiba dachi and zenzkustu dachi, kokutsu dachi, nekowashi dachi
- Blocks (uke) ude uke, osoto uke, age uki, gendan barai (uke), shoto uke, morote uke,
- Kicks (geri) mae geri, mawashi geri, yoko geri, uro-maewashi geri

Kata:

- Further refinement includes knowledge of technique application (bunkai), speed, power, form, kime and breathing.
- Pinan Sandan, Tekki Shodan and improvement of previous Katas

Kumite:

Focus with partner, respect for partner, understand target areas, legal strikes, and basic terminology, work both side, learn a new technique, throw more than on attack, and counter attack, block counter, shifting both on offense and defense.

Green and Green Stripe Goals and Objectives to grade to Blue

Minimum Training time - 8 months or 50 hours (recommended to attend one tournament or workshop since last grading)

Waza: (basics)

- Work blocks and stances together like in katas
- Strikes / Punches (zuki) -jodan zuki, chudan zuki, gedan zuki, empi, nukite, uraken
- Stances(dachi) kiba dachi and zenzkustu dachi, kokutsu dachi, nekowashi dachi
- Blocks (uke)— Morote uke, ude uke, osoto uke, age uki, gendan barai (uke), shoto uke, juji uke
- Kicks (geri) mae geri, mawashi geri, yoko geri, ushiro geri, uro-maewashi geri

Kata:

- Further refinement includes knowledge of technique application (bunkai), speed, power, form, kime and breathing.
- Pinan Yodan, Seisho and improvement of Previous Katas

Kumite:

Focus with partner, respect for partner, understand target areas, legal strikes, and basic terminology, work both side, learn a new technique, throw more than on attack, and always counter attack, block counter, shifting both on offense and defense.

Bunkai:

Work on a Bunkai for one kata sequence.

Blue and Blue Stripe Goals and Objectives to grade to Brown

Minimum Training time - 8 months or 50 hours (need to attend one tournament or workshop since last grading)

Waza: (basics)

- Work blocks and stances together like in katas
- Strikes / Punches (zuki) -jodan zuki, chudan zuki, gedan zuki, empi, nukite, uraken
- Stances(dachi) kiba dachi and zenzkustu dachi, kokutsu dachi, nekowashi dachi
- Blocks (uke) ude uke, osoto uke, age uki, gendan barai (uke), Morote uke, shoto uke, juji uke
- Kicks (geri) mae geri, mawashi geri, yoko geri, ushiro geri, uro-maewashi geri

Kata:

- Further refinement includes knowledge of technique application (bunkai), speed, power, form, kime and breathing.
- Pinan Godan, Shopai, Sankyo and improvement of Previous Katas

Kumite:

Focus with partner, respect for partner, understand target areas, legal strikes, and basic terminology, work both side, learn a new technique, throw more than on attack, and always counter attack, block counter, shifting both on offense and defense.

Bunkai:

Be able to teach a Bunkai to one kata sequence.