



# Demo Team Application

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Rank: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_

Students wishing to gain admittance to this program must complete this application and return it for review. The lead instructor team will review it, as well as the student's past performance in classes. Students will be contacted within a week as to the final decision. Students who are not accepted will receive an explanation as to which areas they need to improve upon.

Please do not apply for this program if you engage in activities which will consistently conflict with your ability to maintain the expected standards. We only wish to invest our time in those who will take these responsibilities seriously, and wish to more fully develop their skill in the Martial Arts.

Our demonstration teams are active all year, representing our school at both KLC Dojos events such as tournaments, and community events such as school fund raisers. There are several teams to allow for participation starting as a young blue belt, and progressing all the way up to an elite black belt. Demo Team members will learn to refine their body control, as well as develop the team work necessary to put on a good show for the audience.

## **Demo Team Levels:**

### **Preparatory Demo Teams:**

- Monkey – under 11 years old
- Tigers – 11 years old or older, done with two kata

*The Monkey and Tiger Demo teams are designed to prepare students to represent the school at public events. They are invited to show off their developing skills in a special demonstration each year at our annual spring tournament. All students must begin on one of these two teams, depending on their age, in order to be a part of our Presentation Teams.*

### **Presentation Demo Team:**

- Dragons – 1st Degree Black Belts & higher
  - *Audition required; Tiger Team experience strongly recommended*

*Our Dragon Team represents us out in public. Team members are required to perform at our annual spring tournament as well as the Summer Windham Relay for Life. They may also be asked throughout the year to demonstrate at various school fairs and local events and at the fall International Tournament in Massachusetts.*

# Application

*Please answer the following questions honestly and to the best of your ability.*

1. Do you consistently attend your two group classes per week?   **YES**   **NO**  
If not, what prevents you from coming to class regularly?

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2. How on time are you for class?
- I almost always get to class 5-10 minutes early
  - I arrive in time to line up with the class
  - I usually come in as my class is bowing in
  - I usually arrive during warm-ups or stretches

3. Do you wear your belt and proper uniform to class?   **YES**   **NO**

4. Are you able to keep your uniform and belt on properly for the entire class?   **YES**   **NO**

5. Are you willing to support Community Connection events whenever possible?

- Yes!
- Yes, but I am very often busy on the weekends with other commitments
- I am not interested in the Community Connection Program

6. Have you competed in our spring tournament? **YES** **NO**    Would you in the future? **YES** **NO**

7. How often do you practice at home? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Demo Teams meet once a month on a Friday (Dragons twice per month), with occasional extra practices to prep for events. Are you willing to make demo a priority for that one evening a month and confident that you will be able to attend a **minimum** of 10 practices a year? **YES** **NO**

9. What do you think should be expected of a demo team member? What kind of focus, discipline, martial ability, teamwork skills do you think they should possess?

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10. How would you evaluate your level of focus, discipline, martial ability, teamwork skills, etc?

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11. What sort of behavior do you think should be expected of a demo team member outside of the dojo (school, home, karate events, etc)?

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