

Region 2 Black Belt Test Packet Check List

Current Rank _____ Association # _____
Studio _____ Chief Instructor's Name _____

Print Candidate's Full Name: _____

Last Test Date: _____ Age: _____ Date of Birth _____

_____ 1) Verified that Candidate meets the minimum attendance of their Studio, Regional Events and Black Belt Clinics.

_____ 2) Three (3) Professionally made Passport size pictures with your name printed on back.

_____ 3) Dan or Gup membership card submitted. If you are a Black Belt, the Dan card must still be valid for at least 6 more months from the month of the test month.

_____ 4) Black Belt WTSDA test fee. **Check with your instructor for appropriate fee.**

_____ 5) Verified Candidate taught (E Dan & above) and attended (Cho Dan Bo & above) at least one Regional Event and Region 2 championship since Blue Belt or add one year.

_____ 6) Current Dan card Membership Up to Date. New Application completed if Cho Dan Bo. **Check with your instructor for appropriate fee.**

_____ 7) Dan Test Application Form - 'For Student' and 'For Instructor' sections completed.

_____ 8) Essay - to include cover page with Title, Name, Dan or Gup number, and Studio, and Date of test. (Cho Dan - 1,000 words, E Dan - 2,000 words, Sam Dan - 3,000) Staple pages together in the upper left hand corner.

_____ 9) Check that candidate does not owe any outstanding money to their Studio or Region.

_____ 10) Check List completed, signed, and dated by Chief Instructor and Candidate.

_____ 11) Tape this Check List on Front of Packet (Envelope Size - 9x12 - (non-padded))

Candidate signature: _____ Date: _____

Chief Instructor: _____ Date: _____

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Instructions

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Test Packet Items:

- 1) Make sure the candidates meet **minimum** training or teaching requirements in the studio – Cho Dan Bo to Cho Dan -72 classes, Cho Dan to E Dan – 208 classes, E Dan to Sam Dan – 312 classes and a **minimum** of one Regional event per year, all Regional tournaments since Blue Belt, and all WTSDA Championships since Black Belt OR add one year for each year missed.
- 2) Three (3) professional Passport size pictures with your name printed on back. Pictures taken in Do Bohk, dress Blues or Sunday best. (If do bohk, Tee shirt under Do Bohk must be white.)
- 3) Valid Dan or Gup membership card. ***Payment for renewal** must be included if a Black Belt's Dan membership card will expire within 6 months from day of test.
- 4) Black Belt membership fees are to be made payable to the World Tang Soo Do Association.
- 5) Studio and Regional Testing Fee – Check with Chief Instructor and Regional Treasure to insure candidate does not owe any outstanding money to their Studio or Region.
- 6) New Association Membership Application for Cho Dan Bos testing for Black Belt must be done - All sections completed, dated, and signed.
- 7) The Dan Test Application Form - 'For Student' and 'For Instructor' sections completed.
- 8) Essay - to include cover page with Title, Your Name, Dan or Gup Number, Your Studio Name and Date. (**Date is the date of the Test.**) Essay should be place on 8.5 X 11inch paper and attached (stapled in upper left corner). The rank that you are testing for is the minimum number of words. Ex: to Cho Dan - 1,000 words; to E Dan - 2,000 words, Sam Dan – 3,000 words.
- 9) Check List completed, sign and dated by Candidate and Chief Instructor
- 10) Tape completed and signed check list on the front of packet.
- 11) **Check with your instructor to know when all paperwork must be turned in. No exceptions. Chief Instructor send to Regional Director with Signature confirmation**

Note: Each Candidate's material should be placed in its own Clasp Envelope. The above should be placed in 9" X 12" envelope with appropriate fees, one candidate per envelope is preferred.