

# ITF Grading Information 10<sup>th</sup> Kup – White Belt

#### **Practical**

10 Push Ups
Front Rising Kick
Parallel Stance Single Punch
Walking Stance Middle Obverse Punch (Line Work)
Walking Stance Outer Forearm Low Block

(Line Work)

**Walking Stance Inner Forearm Middle Block** (Line Work)

Saju Jirugi (Four Direction Punch) Saju Makgi (Four Direction Block)

10 Push Ups, Front Rising Kick
Parallel Stance Single Punch
Walking Stance Middle Obverse Punch
Walking Stance Outer Forearm Low Block
Walking Stance Inner Forearm Middle Block
Walking Stance Knife Hand Low Block
Saju Jirugi (Four Direction Punch)
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Saju Makgi (Four Direction Block)
July Mange (1 July 2 model of block)

## <u>Theory</u>

#### What is Taekwon-Do?

Taekwon-Do is a Korean military martial art, inaugurated on 11<sup>th</sup> April 1955. Loosely translated it means Foot Fist Art. 'Tae' means to jump, smash or kick with the feet and 'Kwon' to punch, strike with the hand and 'Do' is the way of life or philosophy to live your life by.

#### Who is the Founder of Taekwon-Do?

Grandmaster General Choi Hong Hi – 9<sup>th</sup> Degree

### Where did Taekwon-Do originate?

Korea

#### What are the five tenets of Taekwon-Do?

Courtesy, Integrity, Perseverance, Self-control and Indomitable spirit.

### What is your Instructor's name and grade?

Mr Chris Clarke, 5th Degree

#### Describe a Walking stance?

The dimensions are one shoulder width in width and one and a half shoulder widths in length. The weight ratio is 50/50. Front foot facing forward, rear foot 25 degrees outward.

#### **Meaning of White Belt**

White belt signifies innocence, as that of a beginning student who has no previous knowledge of Taekwon-Do.

## **Terminology**

## General

Chariot Attention Bow Kyong-yi Ready Junbi Training hall Dojang **Training Suit** Dobok Belt Τi Instructor Sabum Student Jeja Kaunde Middle Najunde Low Obverse Baro

## Parts of the body

Forefist Ap joomuk
Forearm Palmok
Inner forearm An palmok
Outer forearm Bakat palmok

## **Stances**

Attention stance Chariot sogi
Parallel ready stance Narani junbi sogi
Walking stance Gunnun sogi

#### Attacks

Obverse punch Baro jirugi Front Rising Kick Ap Cha Olligi

## **Defences**

Inner forearm block An palmok makgi
Outer forearm block Bakat palmok makgi





