

THE NETHERLANDS HAEDONG KUMDO TESTING REQUIREMENTS 2020 - 2021

Keup	Color	Push up's	Basics	Baldo-Chakkum (1 sword)	Ssangsu Kumbup (1 sword)	Kyuk Kum (1 sword)	Baldo-Chakkum (2 swords)	Ssang Kumbup (2 swords)	Kyuk Kum (2 swords)	Paper cutting*
10	White		<i>You become white belt after your first lesson</i>							
9	White + stripe		Basic stances							
8	White/yellow		Basic stances	1	1	1				
7	Yellow	10 – any style	Basic 12 up to 6 1 sword	2-3	2-3	2-3				Vertical
6	Green	15 – proper push up's	Basic 12 1 sword	4-5	4-5	4-5		1		Horizontal
5	Blue	20 – proper push up's	Basic 12 1 sword	6-7	6-7	6-7		2		Horizontal 2 x
4	Blue/red	20 – first push up with finger tips	Basic 12 1 sword	8-9	8-9	8-9		3		Horizontal 2 x
3	Brown	20 – first five with finger tips	Basic 12 2 swords	10-11	10-11	10-11	1-2	4	1-2	Horizontal 3 x one with spinning
2	Red	20 – first ten with finger tips	Basic 12 2 swords	12	12	**	3-4	5	3-4	4 cuts various techniques
1	Red/black	20 – all with finger tips	Basic 12 2 swords	**	Shimsang Part 1 & 2	**	5-6	6	5-6	4 cuts various techniques
0	Red/black	15 with 4 + 4 fingers	1000 straight cuts	**	Shimsang Part 3 & 4	**	1-6	1-6	1-6	4 cuts various techniques

*) at the discretion of the examiner candle snuffing may also be requested as to supplement or replace paper cutting

***) must know complete set and be able to show any previous lower rank techniques instantly. Show skills with spinning and handling techniques.

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Dan	Uniform	Years	Status	1-sword-form	2-sword-form	Cutting technique	Cutting target	Push up
1	Dark green	+	Senior student	Shimsang	Ssang kum 1-12	Straight cut	Wooden stick	15 with 3 + 3 fingers
2	Light grey pants	1-2	Assistant instructor	Yedo 1-9	Sim Hyung	2 downward cuts	Cardboard pipe	20 with 3 + 3 fingers
3	Sky blue jacket	2-3	Instructor	Bongkuk 1-4	Jiri Hyung 1-11	Down- and upward cuts	Cardboard pipe, two targets	25 with 3 + 3 fingers
4	Red jacket	++	Assistant Master	Bongkuk 1-9	Byol Hyung	Two swords	Multiple targets	30 with 3 + 3 fingers
5	White jacket	++	Master	Jangbek 1-4	Sobek Hyung 1-2	Two swords	Multiple targets	35 with 2 + 2 fingers
6	White jacket	++	Master	Jangbek 5-7	Sobek Hyung 3-4	Two swords	Multiple targets	

+) After passing a pre-dan test and gaining Chodan yebi or "0. keup" level, the student may participate in the next dan test organized by UWHKF

++) Participation to high dan graduations needs invitation from grandmaster Kim

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