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Gup Rank Belt System

Gup System	Color Belt System	Taegeuk Form System & Koryo Poomse	Minimum time in-grade for exceptional performance. Only your elite students should be tested at the minimum time in-grade!
9th Gup	White to Yellow	Il Jang	3 months
8th Gup	Yellow to Orange	Ee Jang	3 months
7th Gup	Orange to Green	Sam Jang	4 months
6th Gup	Green to Blue	Sa Jang	4 months
5th Gup	Blue to Purple	Oh Jang	4 months
4th Gup	Purple to Red	Yuk Jang	4 months
3rd Gup	Red to Brown	Chil Jang	5 months
2nd Gup	Brown to Brown with Black Stripe	Pal Jang	5 months
1st Gup	Brown with Black Stripe to Black	Koryo	5 months
			37 total months

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Dan Rank System – Based on Kukkiwon Regulations

Rank	Time in-grade for exceptional performance... means your elite students only!	Age requirements for promotion, based on starting from Dan	Age requirements for promotion, based on starting from Poom
1st to 2nd Dan	2 year	16 years old & above	Poom if under 15
2nd to 3rd Dan	3 years	18 years old & above	Poom if under 15
3rd to 4th Dan	4 years	21 years old & above	18 years old & above
4th to 5th Dan	5 years	25 years old & above	22 years old & above
5th to 6th Dan	6 years	30 years old & above	30 years old & above
6th to 7th Dan	7 years	36 years old & above	36 years old & above
7th to 8th Dan	8 years	44 years old & above	44 years old & above
8th to 9th Dan	9 years	53 years old & above	53 years old & above

Solid black belt with red lettering, and solid black collar: under 13

Solid black belt with gold lettering, and solid black collar: 13 and older

Black Pants: VTCDKA Certified Instructors may wear black pants when teaching class.

Color Pants: Non-certified class assistants may wear red or blue pants.