



# PETER MORTON ACADEMY OF JUDO JUJITSU KARATE

モートン流自修館柔術

## *Code of Conduct*

1. Member

2. Instructor

3. Student

4. Academy

**Code**

*A system of rules governing the conduct*

With acceptance of a membership, a member of any standing agrees to support the constitution of the Academy and any legal rule or policy made under the authority of the Academy.

A member of any standing proven to have violated the constitution of the Academy or any legal rule or policy made under the authority of the Academy through unacceptable action or behaviour, which includes teaching or conveying the Academy Syllabus in any way without authority, will be subject to disciplinary measures.

Disciplinary measures may encompass a reprimand, temporary suspension, permanent expulsion as a member of the Academy or any lawful disciplinary action deemed necessary by the Academy.

The Academy code of conduct applies to all members of the Academy and, unless specifically stated, it shall apply at all times, both inside and outside a dojo.

### **1. A member of any standing must:**

- 1.1 Comply with this code of conduct.
- 1.2 Not bring discredit to the Academy.
- 1.3 Practice at all times respect, self-restraint and humility.
- 1.4 Be a positive role model for the Academy.
- 1.5 Maintain a reasonable standard of behaviour.
- 1.6 Not abuse another member:
  - 1.6.1 physically
  - 1.6.2 sexually
  - 1.6.3 emotionally
  - 1.6.4 in any other way.
- 1.7 Not intentionally act in a manner that is violent or harmful.
- 1.8 Not participate in the Academy martial art under the influence of any substance that is:
  - 1.8.1 intoxicating
  - 1.8.2 performance-enhancing
  - 1.8.3 illicit.
- 1.9 Not indulge in substance abuse.

1.10 Use the Academy martial art only:

1.10.1 in defence of oneself

1.10.2 in defence of another

1.10.3 with minimum force.

1.11 Not use the Academy martial art:

1.11.1 indiscriminately

1.11.2 just for the sake of showing off

1.11.3 as a form of aggression.

## **2. An Instructor must:**

2.1 Operate within the rules and spirit of the Academy.

2.2 Maintain a duty of care toward a student.

2.3 Protect the health and safety of a fellow instructor and a student.

2.4 Ensure safety through instruction and supervision.

2.5 Provide a student with instruction, training and supervision.

2.6 Monitor the health and safety of a student before, after and while providing Academy martial art instruction.

2.7 Convey to a student that playing by the rules of the Academy is that student's responsibility.

2.8 Be reasonable in demands on a student's energy and enthusiasm.

2.9 Ensure that time spent in a class is a positive experience for all.

2.10 Encourage and display to all control, respect and professionalism.

2.11 Ensure that physical contact with a student is:

2.11.1 appropriate to a situation

2.11.2 necessary for that student's skill development.

2.12 Give a student equal opportunity to participate.

2.13 Maintain member information and records in a confidential and appropriate manner.

## **3. A Student must:**

3.1 Operate within the rules and spirit of the Academy.

3.2 Not take any action that creates or increases a risk to the health and safety of others.

3.3 Follow all instructions given by an instructor.

3.4 Use safety equipment in a safe and proper way in accordance with instructions from both an instructor and a manufacturer.

3.5 Display control and respect toward all.

## **4. The Academy will:**

4.1 Take appropriate action:

4.1.1 in the event of an accusation

4.1.2 if any member breaches Academy Law.

- 4.2 Provide:
  - 4.2.1 a safe environment for a member
  - 4.2.2 support to a member who reports an accusation of abuse
  - 4.2.3 ongoing support, training and information.
- 4.3 Undertake administrative tasks in a professional and ethical manner.
- 4.4 Acquire police checks, as required.
- 4.5 Treat member information as confidential.
- 4.6 Promote and ensure that a member is aware of Academy policies and procedures.

***Code of conduct end***