



BRITISH WADOKAI KARATE-DO FEDERATION
英国和道会空手道連盟 - 本部道場
LICENCE/MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

All members must hold an up-to-date British Wadokai Licence/Grade Record Book and proof of National Insurance cover within two weeks of starting, *and PRIOR to*, regular training. It is negligent for an Instructor to allow students to train without adequate insurance.

Name Date of Birth Age

Address

Post Code Tel. No. Email

Present Grade Club **Full start date if new licence**

DELETE THE FOLLOWING THAT DOES NOT APPLY

Type of Licence required: Student/Assistant-Instructor/Main-Instructor/Life-Member.
 New/Renewal/Replacement. If Renewal: British Wadokai 5-digit Licence No. _ _ _ _ _

Have you ever had a criminal conviction? YES/NO.
 If YES, please give details:

Do you accept that the practise of a combat art or contact sport involves the risk of serious injury? YES/NO.

Do you suffer from any medical condition/s? YES/NO. If YES, please indicate which applies.
 EPILEPSY, HAEMOPHILIA, HEART DISORDERS, HIV/AIDS, RESPIRATORY PROBLEMS,
 DIABETES, NERVOUS DISORDERS, OTHER/S:

If you suffer from any medical condition, it is important to ensure that your instructor is aware of these. It is also advisable that ALL applicants (especially over the age of 40) should have a Medical Examination BEFORE commencing into any physical activity related to the Martial-arts.

I have read and understood the Dojo (Club) Rules and Training Conditions:

Signature Date
 (Parent/Guardian if under the age of 18 years)

Signature Date
 (Instructor/Secretary)

INCLUDE WITH APPLICATION

1. **Remittance of £30.00.** Payable to **British Wadokai.**
2. **2 Passport sized photographs.** *Not required if renewal.*
3. **Large stamped (1st Class) self-addressed envelope (at least A5 sized).** *Not required for renewal.*

DUE TO SIZE & WEIGHT PLEASE CHECK WITH THE POST OFFICE THAT YOU HAVE ADEQUATE POSTAGE TO SEND APPLICATION-PACKAGE TO THE LICENCE OFFICE.

If Licence is out of date by more than 6 months you will be issued with a new Licence/Licence Record and Number.

IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO ENSURE YOU HAVE A VALID LICENCE – YOU ARE NOT INSURED TO TRAIN IF YOU DO NOT HAVE AN UP TO DATE BWK LICENCE.

DO NOT send your British Wadokai Licence Book to the Licence Office for renewal

Send completed form to: British Wadokai Licence Office. 57 South Hill, Hooe, Plymouth, Devon. PL9 9PT. *BWK reserves the right to refuse an application without giving a reason.*

Allow 14 days for processing.

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE RETURNED
THIS IS A TWO PAGE APPLICATION FORM - PLEASE SEE OVER

IMPORTANT INFORMATION & CONDITIONS

New Licences - Check postage-weight with the Post Office **BEFORE** sending. A new Licence/Insurance will commence from the date the student **STARTED** training within British Wadokai, hence the importance of an **ACCURATE** Start Date on application. Cover is for **British Wadokai** Karate-do and all related activities organised within the British Wadokai Karate-do Federation. *Cover does not include training elsewhere and does not allow the use of live bladed weapons or kick-boxing.*

Renewals – **DO NOT send your Licence/Grade Book to the Licence Office.**

Applications from other Wado Organisations outside of the British Wado Federation (BWF) - Grades registered within your existing karate licence will be 'automatically' transferred to your new BWK Licence upon acceptance; *Please include your present Licence (or photocopy) for British Wadokai records.* Your Instructor will continue your grade commencement once you are in receipt of your new licence and are fully conversant with the requirements for progression.

Late Renewals - *Firstly.* It is the sole responsibility of the individual to keep their insurance, licence, membership up to date and valid. *Secondly.* It is considered '**negligent**' for instructors to allow students to train without adequate insurance. **You are placing yourself and your instructor at risk by training without insurance.**

Replacement Licence Books – To replace a Licence Book, that has been lost or damaged, you must use this form. **Replacement cost £5.75** payable to **British Wadokai**. Only your recent 'registered' grade will be entered on a replacement Licence Book.

YOU ARE NOT INSURED TO TRAIN IF YOU DO NOT POSSESS A VALID UP TO DATE LICENCE

Insurance.

United Kingdom National Benefits Insured: General Third Party Indemnity, Public Liability and Member to Member Liability; £5,000,000. For Full Synopsis, please refer to Master Policy.

A British Wadokai Licence includes:

1. Registration & Membership to British Wadokai/British Wado Federation.
2. UK Person to Person and Public Liability Insurance cover for £5,000,000.
3. Personal grade record log.

Due to the high turnover of student memberships in martial-arts it is usually considered that if a martial-arts licence has expired it is normally due to the result of the individual terminating training & membership etc. A student who allows his/her licence to expire will result in the following:

1. Registration card is destroyed after 3 months expiry.
2. Kyu grade registration records destroyed after 3 months expiry.
3. Insurance cover becomes invalid at time of expiry.
4. Membership terminated at time of expiry.

Once reapplication has been accepted all records are replaced.

Date/Reference:

Your Application Form/Licence has been issued/returned with the following reasons, or with the following conditions:

The British Wado Federation is the only UK National Governing Body for Wado Karate under the International Wado Federation.