

Congratulations! You've just started on an important journey, one that promises to be both rewarding and quite memorable. We've provided a quick guide into some of the most frequently asked questions that parents have about signing up for classes at Major Tae Kwon Do Academy.

FAQs:

- 1. *What are the benefits of tae kwon do?*** Great question! Tae kwon do fosters a good sense of self on many levels. Students further develop important character traits such as focus, enthusiasm, goal setting, confidence, self-control, respect, responsibility, cooperation, and leadership as they keep physically fit. Taking classes also fosters positive peer interaction, helps students make healthy life choices, and students learn how to face challenges productively and constructively. Another bonus is that you've got us! We want to help your student succeed in life, not just here at our school. Open communication is key to increase your student's success.
- 2. *Is consistent attendance important?*** Yes, consistent attendance significantly increases your student's success. Structure is always important for young people. Choose which days he or she will take classes here, and stick to them. Similar to the way that your child should be prepared to succeed in academic school, he or she should be prepared for class here. Make it a point to arrive 10 minutes before class so that your student learns how to be prompt. Help him or her understand the importance of maintaining a clean uniform, keeping up with his or her belt, and also bringing all sparring gear to class. It's no different from arriving to school on time, school appropriate clothing, and bringing homework and school supplies to succeed in his or her academic classes.
- 3. *Is tae kwon do year round?*** Yes, tae kwon do is year round. Similar to the way that parenting is year round, we're always here to provide opportunities for character development, community service, and keeping both mentally and physically fit. If your family takes a vacation, just add in another class or two before and after so that your student doesn't lose his or her momentum in retaining and improving tae kwon do character development and physical techniques.
- 4. *Why does Major Tae Kwon Do need my e-mail address?*** We never share your address with others. We need your e-mail address to keep you updated on MTKD News items, events, holiday closings, and belt promotion tests.
- 5. *What if my child also wants to participate in other activities such as soccer, theater, or something else?*** Actually, tae kwon do sets a great foundation for additional activities. Just balance out your class schedule here.
- 6. *What do I do if my child wants to stop taking tae kwon do?*** There are many reasons for this. Sometimes it's frustration over a complex technique. Or it's something else. We're a team, and we're here to help. Feel free to set an appointment to discuss your concerns with us anytime.