

California Aikido Association

Yondan/Godan/Rokudan Application

(revised August 2006)

Instructors wishing to recommend a candidate for the rank of yondan or godan may initiate a recommendation by completing this form and talking to his or her Division Head. Either an exam date will be set, the applicant will be promoted by recommendation, or the recommendation will be disapproved. In the event that the recommendation is disapproved, the instructor will be advised of the reason. The Association Administrator must receive applications for godan by November 15th. Applicants must be members of the Association and participate in its functions.

First Name: Sex: Male Date of Birth
Surname: Female
Month Day Year

Home address:
City: State: Zip Code:
Country: Home Phone:
Nationality: Occupation:
E-mail:

Rank Applied For: yondan godan rokudan Fee:
(U.S. Dollars)
Checks should be payable to CAA

Training days after previous promotion: Date of Exam
(Please do not enter the number of years. Dojo chos are responsible for recording days of training for each applicant. If you train more than one time per day, it is still counted as one training day. Note that the minimum requirement for each rank must be satisfied or the application will be rejected.)
Month Day Year

Name of Dojo:

Rank prior to exam: sandan yondan godan Date Obtained

Dojo where obtained:
Month Day Year

Aikikai Membership Number: Date of Registration
Applications are subject to rejection if the required years since the date of the last registered rank is not satisfied.
Month Day Year
(date is listed in applicant's yudansha book)

Seminars, Camps, and Other Special Training:
Applicant's yudansha book must accompany this application and should reflect all such training, conducted by an Aikikai registered instructor senior to the applicant, which the applicant has attended since the date of their last rank.

Recommended by: Rank: