# Seven Star Women's Kung Fu Basics Handout

# **THREE PRIMARY TARGETS**

- 1. Eyes
- 2. Throat
- 3. Knees

# ALL TARGETS – LISTED FROM THE HEAD DOWN

- 1. Forehead
- 2. Occipital Bone
- 3. Zygomatic Temporal Nerve (Temple)
- 4. Bridge of the Nose
- 5. Eyes
- 6. Infra Orbital Nerve (Lower part of Eye Socket)
- 7. Ears
- 8. Temporal Nerve (Just in front of the Ear)
- 9. Nose
- 10. Filtrum of the Nose
- 11. Superior Labial Nerve (Upper Lip)
- 12. Sternocleido Mastoid Muscle
- 13. Under Jaw
- 14. Mental Nerve (Chin)
- 15. Jaw
- 16. Base Brain
- 17. Throat (Carotid Artery, Jugular Vein, Vagus Nerve)
- 18. Adam's Apple (Larynx)
- 19. Seventh Vertebrae (Base of Neck)
- 20. Windpipe (Trachea)
- 21. Collar Bone (Clavicle)
- 22. Trapezius Muscle
- 23. Brachial Plexus

- 24. Deltoid Muscle
- 25. Sternum
- 26. Spine
- 27. Armpit (Axilla)
- 28. Heart Muscle
- 29. Solar Plexus
- 30. Ribs, Ribcage
- 31. Floating Ribs
- 32. Spleen
- 33. Diaphragm
- 34. Kidney
- 35. Upper Arm (Median Nerve)
- 36. Elbow (Median Nerve)
- 37. Radial Nerve
- 38. Ulnar Nerve
- 39. Wrist (Median Nerve)
- 40. Back of the Hand
- 41. Groin
- 42. Bladder
- 43. Coccyx (Tailbone)
- 44. All Sides of the Thigh
- 45. Knee, Knee Cap (Patella)
- 46. Shin
- 47. Calf
- 48. Ankle
- 49. Instep
- 50. Achilles Tendon
- 51. Branch of the Sural Nerve (Heel)

# **STANCES**

# Orange Belt

- 1. Horse Stance
- 2. Forward Stance
- 3. Modern Cat Stance (Short, Medium, and Long)
- 4. Tiger Stance
- 5. Extended Forward Stance

# Purple Belt

- 6. Twisted Horse Stance
- 7. Drop Stance
- 8. Crane Stance
- 9. Kempo Stance (Toe-in)

#### Blue Belt

- 10. Classical Cat Stance (Short, Medium, and Long)
- 11. Boxer Stance (Back Stance)
- 12. Natural Stance

## Green Belt

- 13. Glass Horse Stance
- 14. Reverse Glass Horse Stance
- 15. Side Drop Stance

# **Brown Belt**

- 16. Seven Star Stance
- 17. Dragon Stance
- 18. Wun Hop Kuen Do Drop Stance

# Black Belt

19. Three Point Stance

# **HAND STRIKES**

## Orange Belt

- 1. Full Twisting Punch
- 2. Reverse Punch
- 3. Back Knuckle Strike
- 4. Back Fist Strike
- 5. Bottom Fist Strike
- 6. Vertical Punch
- 7. Elbow Strike
- 8. Elbow Smash
- 9. Spear Hand Strike
- 10. Spear Hand Thrust
- 11. Palm Heel Strike

## Purple Belt

- 12. V-Hand Strike
- 13. Roundhouse Punch
- 14. Hook Punch (Upper Cut)
- 15. Side to Side Punch
- 16. Eight Knuckle Punch
- 17. Shoto Chop
- 18. Double Punch

#### Blue Belt

- 19. Double Back Knuckle Strike
- 20. Tiger Claw
- 21. Ridge Hand Strike
- 22. Peacock Strike
- 23. Bear Claw
- 24. Spear Hand Rake
- 25. "U" Punch

#### Green Belt

- 26. Palm Fist Strike
- 27. Shoto Chop Short
- 28. Shoto Chop Long
- 29. Leopard's Paw (Fore Knuckle Punch)
- 30. Forearm Strike

### **Brown Belt**

- 31. Upward Slap
- 32. Rising Punch
- 33. Kempo Punch
- 34. Up Vertical Punch
- 35. Down Vertical Punch
- 36. Ear Slap

#### Black Belt

- 37. Back Hand Slap
- 38. One Knuckle Punch
- 39. Mid-Knuckle Punch
- 40. Dropping Punch
- 41. Ripping Punch
- 42. Thumb Up Punch
- 43. One Finger Poke
- 44. Whipping Hand Strike
- 45. Twist-Out Punch
- 46. Head Butt
- 47. Upside Down Punch

# **BLOCKS**

## Orange Belt

- 1. Outward Block
- 2. Inward Block
- 3. Upward Block
- 4. Downward Block
- 5. Brush Block
- 6. Upper Cross Block
- 7. Lower Cross Block
- 8. Bottom Fist Block

# Purple Belt

- 9. Peacock Block
- 10. Extended Outward Block
- 11. Shooting Star Block
- 12. Extended Inward Block
- 13. Open Hand Inward Block
- 14. Extended Ridge Hand Block
- 15. Open Hand Upward Block
- 16. Palm Heel Block

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#### **Blue Belt**

- 17. Palm Fist Block
- 18. Outward Arc Block
- 19. Knife Hand Block
- 20. Wedge Block
- 21. Scroll Block 1
- 22. Scroll Block 2
- 23. Scroll Block 3

Green Belt

- 24. Back Fist Block
- 25. Open Hand Downward Block
- 26. Hook Block
- 27. Ridge Hand Block
- 28. Forearm Block
- 29. Double Forearm Block

#### **Brown Belt**

- 30. Hanging Elbow Block
- 31. Elbow Block
- 32. Punch Block
- 33. Shield Block

## Black Belt

- 34. Upper Elbow Block
- 35. Scissor Block
- 36. Mantis Block

# **KICKS**

## Orange Belt

- 1. Front Snap Kick
- 2. Front Thrust Kick
- 3. Side Thrust Kick
- 4. Roundhouse Snap Kick
- 5. Roundhouse Thrust Kick
- 6. Back Thrust Kick
- 7. Butterfly Kick

# Purple Belt

- 8. Back Snap Kick
- 9. Inside Crescent Kick
- 10. Outside Crescent Kick
- 11. Kempo Snap Kick
- 12. Hook Kick

#### Blue Belt

- 13. Side Snap Kick
- 14. Side Stomp Kick
- 15. Kempo Thrust Kick
- 16. Heel Kick
- 17. Knee Strike
- 18. Football Kick
- 19. Spinning Back Snap and Thrust Kicks
- 20. Spinning Side Thrust Kick

#### Green Belt

- 21. Inward Axe Kick
- 22. Outward Axe Kick
- 23. Spinning Hook Kick
- 24. Jumping Front Snap and Thrust Kicks
- 25. Jumping Roundhouse Snap and Thrust Kicks
- 26. Spinning Roundhouse Snap and Thrust Kicks

#### **Brown Belt**

- 27. Wheel Kick (Spinning Heel Kick)
- 28. Jumping Side Snap and Thrust Kick
- 29. Rising Side Thrust Kick
- 30. Funny Kick
- 31. Jump Spinning Crescent Kick (Inside)
- 32. Drop Kick
- 33. Skip Kick
- 34. Back Toe Kick
- 35. Back Heel Kick

#### Black Belt

- 36. Jump Spinning Back Snap and Thrust Kicks
- 37. Jump Spinning Roundhouse Snap and Thrust Kicks
- 38. Tiger Tail Kick
- 39. Sil Lum Double Front Kick
- 40. Double Front Kick
- 41. Scissor Kick
- 42. Low Toe-Out Heel Kick
- 43. Donkey Kick
- 44. Jump Spinning Crescent Kick (Outside)
- 45. Front Toe Hook Kick
- 46. Upward Slap Kick
- 47. Single Si Lum Front Kick

# **GRAB ARTS**

#### Orange Belt

- 1. TWO HAND GRAB from the front, Double Palm Heel Strike, Front Snap Kick
- 2. TWO HAND GRAB from the front, Double Palm Heel Strike, Front Snap Kick, Front Thrust Kick

# Purple Belt

- 3. TWO HAND GRAB from the front, Double Forearm Trap, Eight Knuckle Punch
- 4. TWO HAND GRAB from the front, Simultaneous Outward Block and Downward Block, Back Knuckle Strike

#### Blue Belt

- 5. TWO HAND GRAB from the front, Nerve Attack, Arm Trap, Bottom Fist, Chop, Step Back, Bottom Fist Elbow Break
- 6. TWO HAND GRAB from the front, Nerve Attack, Arm Trap, Rising Punch, Bottom Fist, Step Back, Bottom Fist Elbow Break
- 7. (Not Required) ONE HAND GRAB from the front, Nerve Attack, Step In, Forearm Strike
- 8. ONE HAND GRAB from the front, Nerve Attack, Step In, Forearm Strike, Back Knuckle Strike, Elbow Strike, Knee Takedown

# Green Belt

- 9. TWO HAND GRAB from the front, Rotate Right and Left, Rising Punch, Pull Down, Knee Strike with Slap, Chop
- 10. "PULL PUNCH"--ONE HAND GRAB from the Rear and Punch, Simultaneous Outward Arc Block and Outward Block, Bottom Fist, Tiger Claw, Back Knuckle, Back Thrust Kick
- 11. "PULL PUNCH"--ONE HAND GRAB from the Rear and Punch, simultaneous Outward Arc Block and Outward Block, Kempo Punch

#### **Brown Belt**

12. BEAR HUG from the Rear, Double Punch, Simultaneous Elbow Strike and Jab, Back Fist Strike, Front Snap Kick, Full Twisting Punch, Side Thrust Kick

# **GRAB ARTS (cont).**

14. BEAR HUG from the Rear, Double Punch, Simultaneous Elbow Strike and Jab, Knife Hand Strike, Grab and Pull, Back Thrust Kick

## Black Belt

- 13. BEAR HUG from the Rear, Double Punch, Simultaneous Elbow Strike and Jab, Back Fist Strike, Full Twisting Punch, Front Snap Kick, Full Twisting Punch, Lunge Punch, Side Thrust Kick
- 15. BEAR HUG from the Rear, Double Punch, Simultaneous Elbow Strike and Jab, Arm Catch, Takedown, Front Thrust Kick

# **PUNCH ATTACKS**

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Orange	e Belt	
1	One Punch	Brush Outward Block, Front Snap Kick, Bottom Fist, Reverse Punch
2	One Punch	Brush Outward Block, Front Snap Kick, Back Knuckle Rake, Check, Back Knuckle Strike
3	One Punch	Simultaneous Brush Block-Bottom Fist Strike-Front Snap Kick, Takedown, Two Back Fist Strikes, Reverse Punch, Roundhouse Kick
Purple	Belt	
5a	One Punch	Brush Outward Block, "Left" Bottom Fist, "Right" Bottom Fist, Chop, Front Snap Kick, Pull, Palm Heel, Takedown
5b	One Punch	Brush Outward Block, "Left" Bottom Fist, "Right" Bottom Fist, Chop, Front Snap Kick, Pull, Palm Heel, Takedown, Forearm Strike, Choke
4a	One Punch	Simultaneous Brush Block-Bottom Fist Strike-Front Snap Kick, Takedown, Elbow Break, "Left" Bottom Fist, "Right" Bottom Fist
6a	One Punch	Open Handed Upward Block into circling redirect, Eye Rake, Spear Hand Thrust, "V" Hand Strike, Roundhouse Kick
6b	One Punch	Open Handed Upward Block into circling redirect, Bottom Fist Strike, Chop, Pull Down for Knee Strike and Slap, Elbow Strike
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7a	One Punch	Double Palm Heel Strike, Bottom Fist Rake, Front Snap Kick, Bottom Fist Strike, Chop, Takedown, Back Knuckle Strike
7b	One Punch	Peacock Block and Hook, Palm Heel Strike, Bottom Fist Rake, Palm Heel Strike, Front Snap Kick, Forearm Strike, Back Knuckle Strike, Full Twisting Punch, Side Stomp Kick (or Side Snap Kick)

4b	One Punch	Simultaneous Brush Block-Bottom Fist Strike-Front Snap Kick, Takedown, Front Thrust Kick, Heel Kick, Shoulder Dislocation, Back Fist Strike, Side Stomp Kick, Cover, Full Twisting Punch, Cover
8a	One Punch	(Not Required) Simultaneous Palm Heel Slip Block & Full Twisting Punch, Up Vertical Punch, Whipping Hand Strike, Pull Down for Knee Strike and Slap, Chop
8b	One Punch	Simultaneous Palm Heel Slip Block & Full Twisting Punch, Up Vertical Punch, Whipping Hand Strike, Double Roundhouse Punch, Pull Down for Knee Strike and Slap, Chop, Double Knife Hand Strike
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9b	Two Punches	Simultaneous Upward Block and Full Twisting Punch, Brush Block, Back Knuckle Strike, Chop, Roundhouse Kick, Chop, Takedown, Front Thrust Kick, Double Palm Heel Strike, Reverse Punch, Jumping Roundhouse Kick
10a	One Punch	Vertical Punch, Tiger Claw, Vertical Punch, Elbow Strike Takedown, Bottom Fist Strike
10b	Two Punches	Vertical Punch, Extended Ridge Hand Block, Spear Hand Rake, Full Twisting Punch, Roundhouse Kick
9a	One Punch	Simultaneous Upward Block and Full Twisting Punch, Simultaneous Chop and Ridge Hand Strike, Back Breaker, Double Bottom Fist
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11a	Two Punches	Side-to-side, Simultaneous Outward Block and Full Twisting Punch and Front Snap Kick, Palm Heel Block, Full Twisting Punch, Side Thrust Kick
11b	Two Punches	Side-to-side, Simultaneous Ridge Hand Block, Spear Hand Thrust and Front Snap Kick, Palm Heel Block and Grab, Side Thrust Kick
12a	One Punch	(Not Required) Whipping Hand Strike, Double Jabs, Elbow Strike Takedown, Palm Heel Strike
12b	Two Punches	Whipping Hand Strike, Double Jabs, Head Butt Takedown, Front Thrust Kick
13a	One Punch	Simultaneous Brush Block and Bottom Fist Rake, Bottom Fist Rake, Elbow Smash, Simultaneous Front Snap Kick and Chop
13b	Two Punches	Simultaneous Brush Block and Bottom Fist Rake, Double Forearm Block, Simultaneous Forearm Strike and Hook Punch, Hook Punch, Side Stomp Kick Takedown, Back Fist Strike

	14a	One Punch	Simultaneous Brush Block, Rising Punch and Front Snap Kick, Knife Hand Strike	
	14b	Two Punches	Simultaneous Brush Block, Rising Punch and Front Snap Kick, Extended Ridge Hand Block, Spear Hand Rake, Elbow Strike, Tiger Claw, Back Knuckle Strike, Back Thrust Kick	
	15a	One Punch	Open Handed Upward Block and Catch, Roundhouse Punch, Roundhouse Kick	
	15b	Two Punches	Open Handed Upward Block and Hook, Outward Arc Block and Catch, Roundhouse Punch, Roundhouse Kick	
	16a	One Punch	Simultaneous Upward Block to Catch and Full Twisting Punch, Simultaneous Knee Strike and Hook Punch, Hook Punch, Pull Down, Football Kick	
	16b	Two Punches	Simultaneous Upward Block to Catch and Full Twisting Punch, Outward Arc Block to Catch, Knee Strike, Hook Punch, Throw Down, Front Thrust Kick	
	17a	One Punch	Brush Outward Block, Pull Down with Knee Strike and Slap, Chop	
	17b	Two Punches	Brush Outward Block, Knife Hand Block with simultaneous Vertical Punch, Catch, Roundhouse Kick, Elbow Smash, Elbow Strike, Takedown	
	18a	One Punch	(Not Required) Palm Heel Block, Knife Hand Block, Simultaneous Spear Hand Strike and Front Snap Kick (not required)	
	18b	Two Punches	Palm Heel Block, Palm Heel Block, Knife Hand Block, Simultaneous Spear Hand Strike and Front Snap Kick, Double Ear Slap, Knee Strike, Takedown	
Black Belt				
	19a	One Punch	Upward Block, Tiger Claw, Takedown, Spear Hand Thrust	
	19b	Two Punches	Upward Block, Palm Heel Block and Catch, Forearm Strike, Leg Sweep, Back Knuckle Strike	
	20a	One Punch	Palm Heel Block and Catch, One-Knuckle Punch, Bottom Fist Strike, Chop, Forearm Strike to Arm Lock Takedown	
	20b	Two Punches	"Left" Palm Heel Block, "Right" Knife Hand Block to Catch, Roundhouse Kick, Forearm Strike to Arm Lock Takedown	
	21a	One Punch	(Not Required) Drop Roundhouse Kick	
	21b	Two Punches	Drop Roundhouse Kick, Scissor Takedown, Roundhouse Thrust Kick	

# **FORMS**

# (Opening Moves)

# Orange Belt KATA 1 Step Back Right, Left Downward Block KATA 2 Step Back Right, Left Downward Block, Right Punch PINYON 1 Step Back Left, Left Brush Block, Right Outward Block KATA 3 Step Forward Left, Right Brush Block, Left Upward Block, Right Punch PINYON 2 Double Punch Downward, Double Back Knuckle Strike, Right Punch Downward PINYON 3 (Optional) Double Punch Downward, Double Back Knuckle Strike, Figure Four to the Right Purple Belt Side to Side Punch Left, Left Punch Downward, Figure Four PINYON 4 PINYON 5 Double Palm Fist Block, Double Rising Punch Double Palm Heel Block, Double Upward Slaps PINYON 6 **Blue Belt** PINYON 7 Side to Side Punch Left, Simultaneous Back Fist Block and Hook Punch Block on Right

Right Side Thrust Kick with Right Upward Block, Right Front Thrust Kick with

Left Upward Block, Right Back Thrust Kick with Right Full Twisting Punch

(Optional)Step Back Left, Left Brush Block, Right Extended Inward Block

PINYON 8

KATA 4

# Green Belt PINYON 9 Cover Back into Right Cat Stance with Right Upward Block and Left Outward Block, Right Hook Punch, Left Bottom Fist Strike PINYON 10 Drop Stance, Right Vertical Punch, Left Brush Block, Right Vertical Punch LIM PO (Optional) Continuous Step

#### **Brown Belt**

PINYON 11	Double Upward Ridge Hand Strike with Tension
PINYON 12	Kempo Stance, Shift to Left Forward Stance with Left Downward Block
PINYON 13	(Clock Dance) Right Drop Stance, Left Drop Stance, Horse in Eight Directions
PINYON 14	Double Palm Heel Strikes to the Rear, Right Back Heel Kick to the Rear

# **Brown or Black Belt**

FAU YIP (Floating Leaf)

HAU KUEN (Monkey Form)

SUI WAN (Small Circle)

PAK PAI 6 (Northern Way)

SIL LUM PAI (Southern Hand Way)

NUN PAI (Middle Way)

STANCE FORM

PAK PAI 8

**AGILITY FORM** 

# **SPARRING PRINCIPLES**

# Orange Belt

- 1. Center Line Cover (open vs. closed)
- 2. Bridge the Gap
- 3. Constant Forward Pressure

#### Purple Belt

- 4. Relaxation vs. Tension
- 5. Targeting
- 6. Economy of Movement
- 7. Leading Side vs. Trailing Side
- 8. Critical Distance Line

# **Blue Belt**

- 9. Independent Movement
- 10. Faking
- 11. Broken Rhythm
- 12. Straight Line vs. Curved Line
- 13. Three Primary Techniques (Back Knuckle, Roundhouse Kick, Reverse Punch)

#### Green Belt

- 14. Focus in Combinations
- 15. Primary vs. Secondary Attack
- 16. Initial Speed
- 17. Set Ups
- 18. Angular Attacks vs. Technique Variation
- 19. Unpredictability vs. Classical
- 20. Line of Attack (inside front center line, outside back center line)
- 21. Defensive Choice (jam, block & counter, retreating, angle off)
- 22. Initial Speed vs. Combination
- 23. Half, Full and Extension Commitment

#### Brown Belt

- 24. Reversing the Flow
- 25. External vs. Internal Focus
- 26. Positioning (mobility, leg & hand immobility, recovery)
- 27. Defensive Movement Pattern

#### Black Belt

- 28. Mental Projections
- 29. Leading Center watch opponent's center for the first movement of attack
- 30. Time Commitment Theory how long to formulate a plan, set yourself to it and deliver the blow

Al Dacascos and Joe Lewis identified these principles to use in sparring against Japanese Karateka. They used mobility against immobility, straight line against curved line, technique variation against angling.

# **Fighting Skills Exercises**

- 1. Two-on-One
- 2. Street vs. Classical
- 3. Variability in Control (restrain, injure, maim, or kill)
- 4. Monkey Line
- 5. Multiple Attacker