

# Grading Requirements for Sandan

## *Kosen Bujutsu*

### **Prerequisites for this rank:**

1. You have held the rank of Nidan (Kosen Bujutsu) for at least three years.
2. You currently hold a Kobudo ranking of at least Shodan (Kosen Kobujutsu)
3. You have met or exceeded the yearly requirements for all Dan rankings and submitted your "Black Belt Annual Reports" within the prescribed timelines.

### **Sandan Candidates will need to demonstrate:**

1. Three Traditional Kata Forms
2. Two Kobudo Forms
3. Embu Sequence (*3 attacker - self defence sequence*)

*Candidates will prepare a unique Embu Sequence demonstrating defensive movement and counters in a multiple attacker scenario.*

### **Letter of Intention To Grade**

If you are prepared and wish to grade for your Sandan, please submit your *letter of intent to grade*, to your principle instructor six-months in advance of your desired grading date.

Please include your updated Martial Arts Resume along with a list of the "*Katas*" you wish to prepare for your grading.

### **Written Report**

Written assignments will be provided at your grading.

*The qualifications and examination process beyond Sandan are unique to the rank and individual.*

*Please meet with your Sensei to discuss future ranking goals.*

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