

IMPORTANT BLACK BELT PREP AND PROMOTION DATES AUGUST 2026 TEST

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Activity/Requirements</u>
Jun 6	TBA	Your Academy	Begin Prep Cycle for Jr. Adv. Brown Belts
Jun 6 – Aug 26		All locations	Regular prep training
Jun 6	8-10 A.M.	Carmichael	Prep class starts for Jr. Black Belts, Adult Adv. Brown & Black Belts @ the Carmichael Academy
Jun 27	8-10 A.M.	Carmichael	Advanced degree candidates – PASS/FAIL TEST TURN IN PAPER ON MARTIAL ARTS HISTORY email to lisa.cox@kovars.com
Jul 4	8-10 A.M.	Carmichael	Closed for 4th of July Holiday
Jul	TBD	Your Academy	Jr. Adv. Brn candidates – TURN IN INTENT TO PROMOTE WITH ESSAY ON BACK OF FORM TO YOUR ACADEMY
Jul 11	8-10 A.M.	Carmichael	Jr Black Belts & Teen/Adult Adv Brown candidates - Carmichael, Laguna and Waterman - PRE-TEST TURN IN INTENT TO PROMOTE TO YOUR ACADEMY
Jul 18	8-10 A.M.	Carmichael	Jr Black Belts & Teen/Adult Adv Brown candidates - Roseville, Folsom, Cameron Park, Natomas & Madison - PRE-TEST TURN IN INTENT TO PROMOTE TO YOUR ACADEMY
Jul 25	8-10 A.M.	Carmichael	Advanced Degree candidates – PRE-TEST
Aug 8	8-10 A.M.	Carmichael	Fitness Standards Test

RED TIP TESTING (START TIMES WILL BE DETERMINED BY LATE JULY 2026)

Aug 22	TBD	Carmichael	JR ADVANCED BROWN BELTS TURN IN THEIR FITNESS STANDARDS FOLDER.
	TBD	Carmichael	JR BLACK & TEEN/ADULT ADV BROWN BELTS TURN IN THEIR FITNESS STANDARDS FOLDER.
	TBD	Carmichael	ALL ADVANCED DEGREES TURN IN THEIR FITNESS STANDARDS FOLDER.

BLACK BELT TESTING (START TIMES WILL BE DETERMINED BY LATE JULY 2026)

The belt award ceremony will follow each respective test:

Aug 29	TBD	Carmichael	JR ADVANCED BROWN BELTS TO JUNIOR BLACK
	TBD	Carmichael	JR BLACK & TEEN/ADULT ADV BROWN BELTS TO 1st DEGREE
	TBD	Carmichael	ALL ADVANCED DEGREES