

Code of Conduct addendum (4th level - K. Guro)

Follow and enforce the “chain of command” for any occasion or problem –

We have a well defined ranking system and it should be followed. If by chance, you have a dispute with a particular link in the chain of command, first let that person know you intend to talk to the next senior up (or junior down), and then do so. Some situations require the chain of command to be broken as described above - it is up to the sr. student or instructor to recognize when this is. The sr. student or instructor will be held responsible for breaking the chain of command without a legitimate reason.

Fulfill your responsibility in teaching/learning –

It is the responsibility of the sr. student or instructor to research and understand to the fullest of their abilities what they are teaching; otherwise, you are wasting the students' time. By teaching you have the opportunity to refine what you have already learned and to honor your instructor by passing on his knowledge and keeping it alive. The weight has been put on your shoulders to make Inayan students into warriors and to teach them in a realistic format. You must pay close attention to detail and correct the students and yourself as needed. With this in mind the instructor should:

- Get to class on time

- Practice on a regular basis

- Teach with extreme focus on whatever lesson you are sharing

- Raise your hand when you need assistance or have a question of your senior or senior instructors

- If you dispute a particular move or idea a senior student or instructor has expressed – respectfully inquire an explanation after class or during class when both of you have time
“Horse play” or showing off is tolerated only after class

The Sr. student or instructor should view class time as being a place to “learn by teaching” and as dues to be paid back to the seniors who took time to teach them.

Sr. students or instructors are not to make statements lightly in or out of class -

If a student (or instructor) asks a question of you or asks you to make a statement in class the instructor should pay attention to detail and speak only after deliberate thought has been given to the response they intend to give. The Inayan sr. student or instructor will be worth their word and understand the high price of a promise and the responsibility of following it through. Admittance in being wrong and non-admittance in being right is the first step. The Inayan sr. student or instructor must set the example for other warriors to follow: the Inayan sr. student or instructor's word must be as good as or better than their fighting ability.

Show respect to others -

By conducting oneself properly and politely in class the sr. student or instructor shows respect to themselves, Suro, other instructors, students, and the art in general. By showing students respect you show them the proper way to conduct themselves as well. The sr. student or instructors should always display proper attitude and pride in our art. We owe it to the men that taught us to keep our name in present, as well as their name in past, honorable ones. In the end, honor is all that matters.