

**Canadian Kendo Federation
Montréal IAIDO GRADING
Monday, September 5, 2016
IAIDO WRITTEN EXAM**

Paragraph for the CKF Iaido website home page:

Iaido Written Exams

Written Exam for September 5, 2016 Grading -

The written exam questions for the September Iaido grading are now available on the [Iaido section page](#).

Deadline for submissions is **Friday, August 26, 2016**.

Paragraph for the CKF Iaido website page:

The written exam questions for the September Iaido grading are now available. The following document provides the questions for 1 Kyu to 5 Dan grade levels (answer only the question for the level you are challenging for), as well as instructions on how to submit your answers and by when.

Please start early, late submissions will not be accepted.

[September Iaido Written Exam Questions \(.pdf\);](#)
[Examen écrit de Iaido Septembre 2016 \(.pdf\)](#)

Canadian Kendo Federation
Montréal September 5, 2016
Grading Iaido Written Examination Questions

Please answer the questions that are applicable for your grade.
For those grading submit your response to:

iaidowrittenexamEAST@kendo-canada.com

Please send your response prior to **Friday, August 26, 2016.**
LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL BE REFUSED.

INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WITH YOUR SUBMISSION

Name: _____

Dojo: _____

CKF ID#: _____

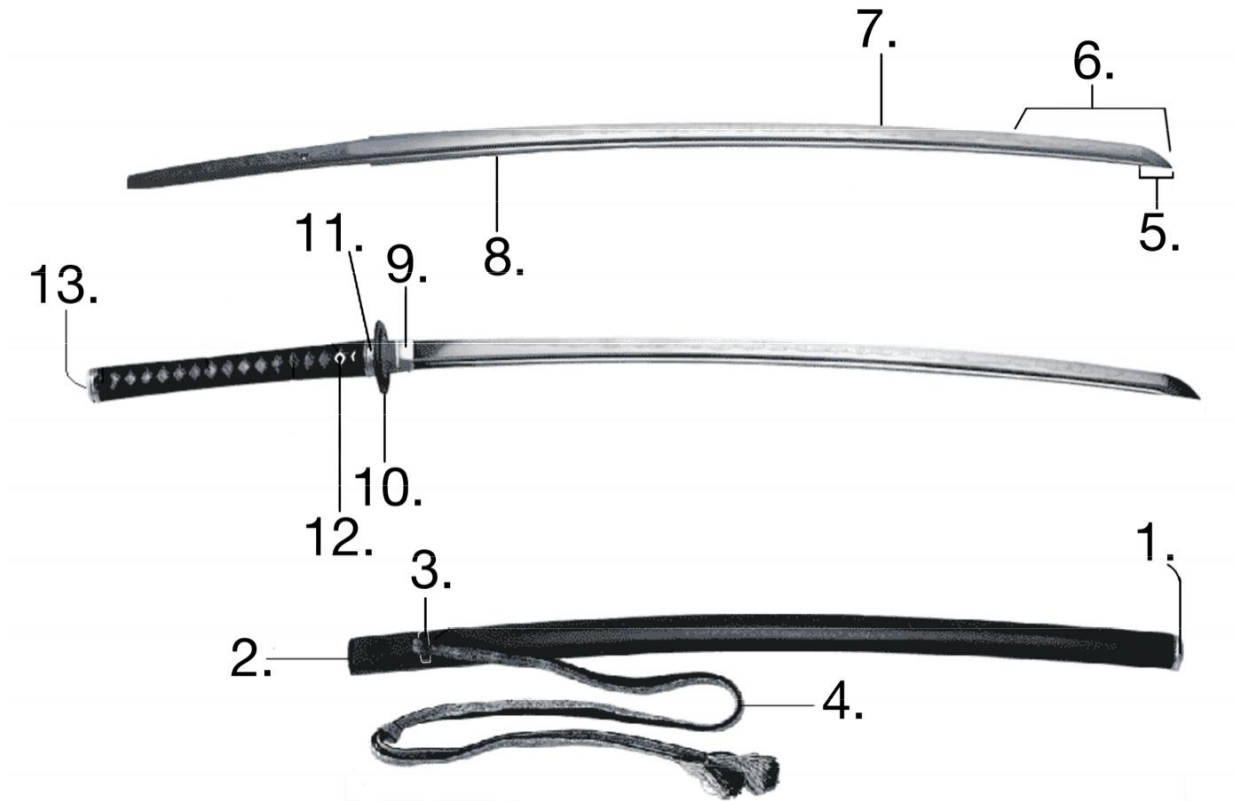
The following questions for 1 Kyu and Dan should be answerable with consultation of the ZNKR Seitei Iaido manual, your sempai and/or your sensei.

**ONLY answer question that pertains to
the grading you are applying for.**

Your answers may be in French or English.

1 – Kyu

1. Identify the following sword parts:



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| 1. | 4. | 7. | 10. |
| 2. | 5. | 8. | 11. |
| 3. | 6. | 9. | 12. |
| | | | 13. |

2. Identify the following Iaido techniques:

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|-----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Nukitsuke | 4. Chiburi | 7. Noto |
| 2. Furi kaburi | 5. Saya biki | 8. Kesa giri |
| 3. Kiri oroshi | 6. Kamae | |

3. List the Japanese names of all 12 Zen Ken Ren Iai kata.

1 – Dan

Answer **both** questions:

1. Why is it important to learn *Reiho* in Iaido.
2. Name the 4 **rei** (bows) in Iaido.

2 – Dan

Choose **only one** of the following questions to answer:

1. Explain the concept of *Ki-ken-tai-itchi*.

OR

2. Explain the concept of *Metsuke*.

3 – Dan

Choose **only one** of the following questions to answer:

1. Explain the concept of *Jo-ha-kyu*.

OR

2. Explain the concept of *Kigurai*.

4 – Dan

1. Explain *Metsuke*,
including *Enzan no Metsuke* and
Kan Ken no Metsuke.

5 – Dan

1) Explain the concept of *Hara* and its importance in **Iaido**.

OR

2) What key points would you stress when teaching beginners and why?

What points would you not stress and why?