

Exceptional Junior Jiu-Jitsu Athlete Program Policy Outline

Objective:

The Exceptional Junior Jiu-Jitsu Athlete Program aims to provide junior athletes with the opportunity to compete at an appropriate level of competition by allowing them to move up one or two age divisions.

Process:

1. Submission of Application:

- Athletes interested in participating in the program must download and fill out the designated Form.
- The Form must be signed by the athlete, their parents, and the athlete's coach.
- The completed Form should be submitted to the Ontario Jiu-Jitsu Association.

2. Review Process:

- The submitted applications will be reviewed by the Chief Official of the Ontario Jiu-Jitsu Association.
- The Chief Official will either recommend or not recommend the application to the Ontario Jiu-Jitsu Association Board of Directors

3. Board Decision:

- The Ontario Jiu-Jitsu Association Board of Directors will make the final decision regarding the application.
- Approved applicants will be notified accordingly.

4. Duration:

- Athletes accepted into the program will compete in the new age division for one season.
- During the course of this season, athletes will not be permitted to revert to their previous division, with the only exception being the National Championships.
- At the National Championships, athletes may compete in their correct division to qualify for the World Championships.

5. Re-application:

- Athletes who wish to apply for the Exceptional Junior Jiu-Jitsu Athlete Program again can do so in the following season.
- Re-application is required for each subsequent season the athlete wishes to participate in the program.

Note:

The Exceptional Junior Jiu-Jitsu Athlete Program aims to facilitate fair and appropriate competition opportunities for junior athletes. All decisions regarding applications will be made with the athlete's best interest in mind and in accordance with the guidelines outlined in this policy.

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Program Description:

The Exceptional Junior Jiu Jitsu Athlete Program, established by the Ontario Jiu Jitsu Association, aims to provide junior athletes with the opportunity to compete at an appropriate level of competition by allowing them to move up one or two age divisions. Athletes accepted into the program will compete in the new age division for one season. Exceptions are made for the National Championships, where athletes may compete in their correct division to qualify for the World Championships. Once accepted into the program, athletes cannot revert to their previous division for the duration of the season.

1. Athlete Information:

Name:

Date of Birth (YYYY-MM-DD):

Current Home Address:

Street Number:

Apt.:

City:

State/Province:

Postal/Zip Code:

Mailing Address (if different from current home address):

Street Number:

Apt.:

City:

State/Province:

Postal/Zip Code:

Phone Number:

Email Address:

Rank:

Current Division:

Requested Division:

2. Parent/Guardian Information:

Name:

Relationship to Athlete:

Phone Number:

Email Address:

3. Coach Information:

Name:

Affiliated Jiu Jitsu Club:

Phone Number:

Email Address:

Club Address

Street Number:

Apt.:

City:

State/Province:

Postal/Zip Code:

4. Program Agreement:

I, _____, understand and agree to participate in the Exceptional Junior Jiu Jitsu Athlete Program for the specified season.

I understand that I will compete in the designated age division for the duration of the season, with the exception of the National Championships.

I understand that I cannot revert to my previous division for the course of this season once accepted into the program.

Signatures:

Athlete's Signature:

Parent/Guardian Signature:

Coach's Signature:

Waiver:

I, _____, hereby acknowledge that by participating in the Exceptional Junior Jiu Jitsu Athlete Program, I agree to abide by the rules and regulations outlined in the program description and form. I understand that once accepted into the program, I will compete in the designated age division for the duration of the season, with exceptions for the National Championships. I also understand that this decision is non-reversible for the course of this season.

Acknowledgement of Program Terms:

Athlete's Signature:

Parent/Guardian Signature:

Coach's Signature: