

# USA Karate USA Open Championships

## Kata Divisions

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OPEN KATA			ELITE/WKF STYLE KATA		
<b>K200</b>	5 & under Male Kata	<b>K234</b>	14-15 Male Beginner Kata	<i>(Competitors who compete in WKF Style/Elite kata may not compete in open kata)</i>	
<b>K201</b>	5 & under Female Kata	<b>K235</b>	14-15 Male Novice Kata		
<b>K202</b>	6-7 Male Beginner Kata	<b>K236</b>	14-15 Male Intermediate Kata	<b>EK266</b>	14-15 Male Elite Kata
<b>K203</b>	6-7 Male Novice Kata	<b>K237</b>	14-15 Male Advanced Kata	<b>EK267</b>	14-15 Female Elite Kata
<b>K204</b>	6-7 Male Intermediate Kata	<b>K238</b>	14-15 Female Beginner Kata	<b>EK268</b>	16-17 Male Elite Kata
<b>K205</b>	6-7 Male Advanced Kata	<b>K239</b>	14-15 Female Novice Kata	<b>EK269</b>	16-17 Female Elite Kata
<b>K206</b>	6-7 Female Beginner Kata	<b>K240</b>	14-15 Female Intermediate Kata	<b>EK270</b>	18-34 Male Elite Kata
<b>K207</b>	6-7 Female Novice Kata	<b>K241</b>	14-15 Female Advanced Kata	<b>EK271</b>	18-34 Female Elite Kata
<b>K208</b>	6-7 Female Intermediate Kata	<b>K242</b>	16-17 Male Beginner Kata		
<b>K209</b>	6-7 Female Advanced Kata	<b>K243</b>	16-17 Male Novice Kata		
<b>K210</b>	8-9 Male Beginner Kata	<b>K244</b>	16-17 Male Intermediate Kata		
<b>K211</b>	8-9 Male Novice Kata	<b>K245</b>	16-17 Male Advanced Kata		
<b>K212</b>	8-9 Male Intermediate Kata	<b>K246</b>	16-17 Female Beginner Kata		
<b>K213</b>	8-9 Male Advanced Kata	<b>K247</b>	16-17 Female Novice Kata		
<b>K214</b>	8-9 Female Beginner Kata	<b>K248</b>	16-17 Female Intermediate Kata		
<b>K215</b>	8-9 Female Novice Kata	<b>K249</b>	16-17 Female Advanced Kata		
<b>K216</b>	8-9 Female Intermediate Kata	<b>K250</b>	18-34 Male Beginner Kata		
<b>K217</b>	8-9 Female Advanced Kata	<b>K251</b>	18-34 Male Novice Kata		
<b>K218</b>	10-11 Male Beginner Kata	<b>K252</b>	18-34 Male Intermediate Kata		
<b>K219</b>	10-11 Male Novice Kata	<b>K253</b>	18-34 Male Advanced Kata (Non-Elite)		
<b>K220</b>	10-11 Male Intermediate Kata	<b>K254</b>	18-34 Female Beginner Kata		
<b>K221</b>	10-11 Male Advanced Kata	<b>K255</b>	18-34 Female Novice Kata		
<b>K222</b>	10-11 Female Beginner Kata	<b>K256</b>	18-34 Female Intermediate Kata		
<b>K223</b>	10-11 Female Novice Kata	<b>K257</b>	18-34 Female Advanced Kata (Non-Elite)		
<b>K224</b>	10-11 Female Intermediate Kata	<b>K258</b>	35-44 Male Beginner/Novice Kata		
<b>K225</b>	10-11 Female Advanced Kata	<b>K259</b>	35-44 Male Intermediate/Advanced Kata		
<b>K226</b>	12-13 Male Beginner Kata	<b>K260</b>	35-44 Female Beginner/Novice Kata		
<b>K227</b>	12-13 Male Novice Kata	<b>K261</b>	35-44 Female Intermediate/Advanced Kata		
<b>K228</b>	12-13 Male Intermediate Kata	<b>K262</b>	45-54 Male Beginner/Novice Kata		
<b>K229</b>	12-13 Male Advanced Kata	<b>K263</b>	45-54 Male Intermediate/Advanced Kata		
<b>K230</b>	12-13 Female Beginner Kata	<b>K264</b>	45-54 Female Beginner/Novice Kata		
<b>K231</b>	12-13 Female Novice Kata	<b>K265</b>	45-54 Female Intermediate/Advanced Kata		
<b>K232</b>	12-13 Female Intermediate Kata	<b>K266</b>	55+ Male Beginner/Novice Kata		
<b>K233</b>	12-13 Female Advanced Kata	<b>K267</b>	55+ Male Beginner/Novice Kata		
		<b>K268</b>	55+ Female Beginner/Novice Kata		
		<b>K269</b>	55+ Female Intermediate/Advanced Kata		

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## Kumite Divisions

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A competitor may compete in only one weight restricted division

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OPEN KUMITE					
<b>S200</b>	5 & under Male Kumite	<b>S234</b>	12-13 Female Beginner Kumite	<b>S266</b>	16-17 Female Beginner Kumite
<b>S201</b>	5 & under Female Kumite	<b>S235</b>	12-13 Female Novice Kumite	<b>S267</b>	16-17 Female Novice Kumite
<b>S202</b>	6-7 Male Beginner Kumite	<b>S236</b>	12-13 Female Intermediate Kumite	<b>S268</b>	16-17 Female Intermediate Kumite -55 kg
<b>S203</b>	6-7 Male Novice Kumite	<b>S237</b>	12-13 Female Advanced Kumite -35kg	<b>S269</b>	16-17 Female Intermediate Kumite +55 kg
<b>S204</b>	6-7 Male Intermediate Kumite	<b>S238</b>	12-13 Female Advanced Kumite -40kg	<b>S270</b>	16-17 Female Advanced Kumite -48 kg
<b>S205</b>	6-7 Male Advanced Kumite	<b>S239</b>	12-13 Female Advanced Kumite -45kg	<b>S271</b>	16-17 Female Advanced Kumite -53 kg
<b>S206</b>	6-7 Female Beginner Kumite	<b>S240</b>	12-13 Female Advanced Kumite +45kg	<b>S272</b>	16-17 Female Advanced Kumite -59 kg
<b>S207</b>	6-7 Female Novice Kumite	<b>S241</b>	14-15 Male Beginner Kumite	<b>S273</b>	16-17 Female Advanced Kumite + 59 kg
<b>S208</b>	6-7 Female Intermediate Kumite	<b>S242</b>	14-15 Male Novice Kumite	<b>S274</b>	18-34 Male Beginner Kumite
<b>S209</b>	6-7 Female Advanced Kumite	<b>S243</b>	14-15 Male Intermediate Kumite -60 kg	<b>S275</b>	18-34 Male Novice Kumite
<b>S210</b>	8-9 Male Beginner Kumite	<b>S244</b>	14-15 Male Intermediate Kumite +60 kg	<b>S276</b>	18-34 Male Intermediate Kumite
<b>S211</b>	8-9 Male Novice Kumite	<b>S245</b>	14-15 Male Advanced Kumite -52 kg	<b>S277</b>	18-34 Male Advanced Kumite (Non-Elite Only)
<b>S212</b>	8-9 Male Intermediate Kumite	<b>S246</b>	14-15 Male Advanced Kumite -57 kg	<b>S278</b>	18-34 Female Beginner Kumite
<b>S213</b>	8-9 Male Advanced Kumite	<b>S247</b>	14-15 Male Advanced Kumite -63 kg	<b>S279</b>	18-34 Female Novice Kumite
<b>S214</b>	8-9 Female Beginner Kumite	<b>S248</b>	14-15 Male Advanced Kumite -70 kg	<b>S280</b>	18-34 Female Intermediate Kumite
<b>S215</b>	8-9 Female Novice Kumite	<b>S249</b>	14-15 Male Advanced Kumite + 70 kg	<b>S281</b>	18-34 Female Advanced Kumite (Non-Elite Only)
<b>S216</b>	8-9 Female Intermediate Kumite	<b>S250</b>	14-15 Female Beginner Kumite	<b>S282</b>	35-44 Male Beginner/Novice Kumite
<b>S217</b>	8-9 Female Advanced Kumite	<b>S251</b>	14-15 Female Novice Kumite	<b>S283</b>	35-44 Male Intermediate/Advanced Kumite
<b>S218</b>	10-11 Male Beginner Kumite	<b>S252</b>	14-15 Female Intermediate Kumite -50 kg	<b>S284</b>	35-44 Female Beginner/Novice Kumite
<b>S219</b>	10-11 Male Novice Kumite	<b>S253</b>	14-15 Female Intermediate Kumite +50 kg	<b>S285</b>	35-44 Female Intermediate/Advanced Kumite
<b>S220</b>	10-11 Male Intermediate Kumite	<b>S254</b>	14-15 Female Advanced Kumite -47 kg	<b>S286</b>	45-54 Male Beginner/Novice Kumite
<b>S221</b>	10-11 Male Advanced Kumite	<b>S255</b>	14-15 Female Advanced Kumite -54 kg	<b>S287</b>	45-54 Male Intermediate/Advanced Kumite
<b>S222</b>	10-11 Female Beginner Kumite	<b>S256</b>	14-15 Female Advanced Kumite + 54 kg	<b>S288</b>	45-54 Female Beginner/Novice Kumite
<b>S223</b>	10-11 Female Novice Kumite	<b>S257</b>	16-17 Male Beginner Kumite	<b>S289</b>	45-54 Female Intermediate/Advanced Kumite
<b>S224</b>	10-11 Female Intermediate Kumite	<b>S258</b>	16-17 Male Novice Kumite	<b>S290</b>	55+ Male Beginner/Novice Kumite
<b>S225</b>	10-11 Female Advanced Kumite	<b>S259</b>	16-17 Male Intermediate Kumite -65 kg	<b>S291</b>	55+ Male Intermediate/Advanced Kumite
<b>S226</b>	12-13 Male Beginner Kumite	<b>S260</b>	16-17 Male Intermediate Kumite +65 kg	<b>S292</b>	55+ Female Beginner/Novice Kumite
<b>S227</b>	12-13 Male Novice Kumite	<b>S261</b>	16-17 Male Advanced Kumite -55 kg	<b>S293</b>	55+ Female Intermediate/Advanced Kumite
<b>S228</b>	12-13 Male Intermediate Kumite	<b>S262</b>	16-17 Male Advanced Kumite -61 kg		
<b>S229</b>	12-13 Male Advanced Kumite -35kg	<b>S263</b>	16-17 Male Advanced Kumite -68 kg		
<b>S230</b>	12-13 Male Advanced Kumite -40kg	<b>S264</b>	16-17 Male Advanced Kumite -76 kg		
<b>S231</b>	12-13 Male Advanced Kumite -45kg	<b>S265</b>	16-17 Male Advanced Kumite + 76 kg		
<b>S232</b>	12-13 Male Advanced Kumite -50kg				
<b>S233</b>	12-13 Male Advanced Kumite +50kg				

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### A competitor may compete in exactly one of the following divisions

<b>ES294</b>	18-34 Male Elite -60 kg Kumite	<b>ES299</b>	18-34 Female Elite -50 kg Kumite	
<b>ES295</b>	18-34 Male Elite -67 kg Kumite	<b>ES300</b>	18-34 Female Elite -55 kg Kumite	
<b>ES296</b>	18-34 Male Elite -75 kg Kumite	<b>ES301</b>	18-34 Female Elite -61 kg Kumite	
<b>ES297</b>	18-34 Male Elite -84 kg Kumite	<b>ES302</b>	18-34 Female Elite -68 kg Kumite	
<b>ES298</b>	18-34 Male Elite +84 kg Kumite	<b>ES303</b>	18-34 Female Elite +68 kg Kumite	

### A competitor may compete in exactly one of the following divisions

<b>ES304</b>	18-34 Male Elite Open Kumite	
<b>ES305</b>	18-34 Female Elite Open Kumite	

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# USA Karate USA Open Championships Weapons, Team Kata, & Team Kumite Divisions

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## WEAPONS

**A competitor may compete in exactly one of the following divisions**

<b>W200</b>	9 & under Beg/Nov Weapons	<b>W209</b>	14-15 Intermediate Weapons	<b>W218</b>	18-34 Female Intermediate Weapons
<b>W201</b>	9 & under Int/Adv Weapons	<b>W210</b>	14-15 Advanced Weapons	<b>W219</b>	18-34 Female Advanced Weapons
<b>W202</b>	10-11 Beg/Nov Weapons	<b>W211</b>	16-17 Beg/Nov Weapons	<b>W220</b>	35-44 Male Beg/Nov/Int/Adv Weapons
<b>W203</b>	10-11 Intermediate Weapons	<b>W212</b>	16-17 Intermediate Weapons	<b>W221</b>	35-44 Female Beg/Nov/Int/Adv Weapons
<b>W204</b>	10-11 Advanced Weapons	<b>W213</b>	16-17 Advanced Weapons	<b>W222</b>	45-54 Male Beg/Nov/Int/Adv Weapons
<b>W205</b>	12-13 Beg/Nov Weapons	<b>W214</b>	18-34 Male Beg/Nov Weapons	<b>W223</b>	45-54 Female Beg/Nov/Int/Adv Weapons
<b>W206</b>	12-13 Intermediate Weapons	<b>W215</b>	18-34 Male Intermediate Weapons	<b>W224</b>	55+ Male Beg/Nov/Int/Adv Weapons
<b>W207</b>	12-13 Advanced Weapons	<b>W216</b>	18-34 Male Advanced Weapons	<b>W225</b>	55+ Male Beg/Nov/Int/Adv Weapons
<b>W208</b>	14-15 Beg/Nov Weapons	<b>W217</b>	18-34 Female Beg/Nov Weapons		

## TEAM KATA

<b>TK1</b>	7 & Under Team Kata		<b>ETK1</b>	16+ Male Elite Team Kata
<b>TK2</b>	8-9 Team Kata		<b>ETK2</b>	16+ Female Elite Team Kata
<b>TK3</b>	10-11 Team Kata		(These divisions are for WKF Style Team Kata)	
<b>TK4</b>	12-13 Team Kata			
<b>TK5</b>	14-17 Team Kata			
<b>TK6</b>	18-34 Team Kata (Non-Elite Only)	<b>All Team Kata Divisions except ETK1 &amp; ETK2 are mixed gender. Team may be made up of males and/or females. ETK1 &amp; ETK2 will be run using WKF Rules including performance of bunkai in the medal rounds</b>		
<b>TK7</b>	35+ Team Kata			

## TEAM KUMITE

<b>TS1</b>	7 & Under Male Team Kumite	<b>TS9</b>	14-15 Male Team Kumite	<b>ETS1</b>	18-34 Male Team Kumite ELITE
<b>TS2</b>	7 & Under Female Team Kumite	<b>TS10</b>	14-15 Female Team Kumite	<b>ETS2</b>	18-34 Female Team Kumite ELITE
<b>TS3</b>	8-9 Male Team Kumite	<b>TS11</b>	16-17 Male Team Kumite	<b>ETS1 &amp; ETS2 are WKF Style/Level Team Kumite Divisions. These should be entered by the highest level competitors only! TS13 &amp; TS14 are for NON-ELITE competitors only!</b>	
<b>TS4</b>	8-9 Female Team Kumite	<b>TS12</b>	16-17 Female Team Kumite		
<b>TS5</b>	10-11 Male Team Kumite	<b>TS13</b>	18-34 Male Team Kumite (Non-Elite Only)		
<b>TS6</b>	10-11 Female Team Kumite	<b>TS14</b>	18-34 Female Team Kumite (Non-Elite Only)		
<b>TS7</b>	12-13 Male Team Kumite	<b>TS15</b>	35+ Male Team Kumite		
<b>TS8</b>	12-13 Female Team Kumite	<b>TS16</b>	35+ Female Team Kumite		

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