

## Piscataway Recreation Mixed Martial Arts Children's Class

Piscataway Dojo, Conackamack Middle School Piscataway, New Jersey

## Terms and Conditions of Participation

This notice serves to establish a guideline regarding your child's participation in the Piscataway Recreation Children's Mixed Martial Arts Program.

We openly welcome your child's participation in this program, whether they are a new student or an established and continuing student. However, please keep in mind that there are certain <u>requirements that are critical for your child to achieving success in a safe youth sports environment. The martial arts are skill sets that are developed through high levels of concentration, discipline, maturity and <u>patience</u>. The absence of these very basic attributes may result in frustration with the class at the very least, and may jeopardize their safety and/or the safety of another student.</u>

As instructors, we carefully monitor the progress of each child in each class. At the very least, children are expected to follow instructions and make an effort to keep up with the group. Your child is expected to know their Right-Sides and Left-Sides, as many of the techniques involve turning in a specific direction, or using their right/left arms/legs. As with any instructional class or school, we ask that your child takes the time to *correctly* practice their newly learned skills at home.

On occasion, the instructors may encounter children who are not physically and emotionally ready to participate in our class because they lack the necessary skill attributes identified above. Children identified as 'not ready' will be directed to wait until a future time to participate.

We sincerely hope that you understand and appreciate our overriding concern for the physical safety and well being of your child, as well as the safety of all of our the other students.

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