



Detailed Technique Schedule MAY 2024



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	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	No-Gi THURSDAY No-Gi	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
A M	29	9:30am-10:30am (+ 30 min sparring) 30	1	9:30am-10:30am (+ 30 min sparring) 2	0.000	8:30am-9:30am (+ 30 min Street Sparring) 4	
		Leg Locks: Knee Lock Counters		Leg Locks: Heel Hooks	Technique Review &	Leg Locks: Heel Hooks	
		BBS4 L44: Inverted Knee Lock Counters	. 1	BBS2 L47: Inverted Heel Hook	Sparring	BBS1 L48: Standard Heel Hook	
		1) Half Guard 2) Closed Guard	MAY	1) Standard Finish		1) Standard Finish	
		2) Closed Guard 3) Emergency Escape	•	2) Advanced Heel Scoops x2		2) Rolling Finish	
	7:30pm-8:30pm (+ 30 min sparring)	7:30pm-8:30pm (+ 30 min sparring)	NO CLASS	6:30pm-7:30pm (+ 30 min sparring)			
	Leg Locks: Knee Lock Counters	Leg Locks: Heel Hooks		Leg Locks: Heel Hooks			
P	BBS4 L44: Inverted Knee Lock Counters	BBS1 L48: Standard Heel Hook		BBS2 L47: Inverted Heel Hook			
M	1) Half Guard	1) Standard Finish		1) Standard Finish			
	2) Closed Guard 3) Emergency Escape	2) Rolling Finish		2) Advanced Heel Scoops x2			
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A	_	Leg Locks: Heel Hooks		Leg Locks: Heel Hooks	Technique Review &	Leg Locks: Heel Hook Counters	
		BBS3 L45: Heel Hook Connections		BBS4 L45: 411 Attacks		BBS1 L49: Primary Counter / BBS3 L46: Donkey Kick	
М		1) Standard Heel to Knee		1) Ankle Lock Entry 4) Knee Lock Entry		1) Spiral Dive	
		2) Inverted Heel to Knee 3) Knee to Inverted Heel		2) Side Shots x2 5) Knee on Stomach Entry 3) Quarter Guard Entries		2) Donkey Kick	
\Box	7:30pm-8:30pm (+ 30 min sparring)	7:30pm-8:30pm (+ 30 min sparring)	NO CLASS	6:30pm-7:30pm (+ 30 min sparring)			
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		Leg Locks: Heel Hook Counters		Leg Locks: Heel Hook Counters	Technique Review &	Standing: Front Attack Defenses	
A		BBS2 L48: Inverted Heel Hook Counters		BBS4 L46: 411 Counters	Sparring	BBS1 L50/51: Sucker Punch & Stand. Headlck Defense	
М		1) Early Counter		1) Triangle Get-up		1) Sucker Punch Defense 1) Punch Block Variation	
		2) Late Counter 3) Emergency Escape		2) Triangle Hook 3) Spiral Dive		2) Smart Base Variation	
\vdash	7:30pm-8:30pm (+ 30 min sparring)	7:30pm-8:30pm (+ 30 min sparring)	NO CLASS	6:30pm-7:30pm (+ 30 min sparring)			
	Leg Locks: Heel Hook Counters	Leg Locks: Heel Hook Counters		Standing: Front Attack Defenses			
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	2) Late Counter 3) Emergency Escape	2) Triangle Hook 3) Spiral Dive		2) Smart Base Variation			
H		9:30am-10:30am (+ 30 min sparring) 21	22	9:30am-10:30am (+ 30 min sparring) 23	24	25	
	_	Standing: Front Attack Defenses		Standing: Front Attack Defenses			
A		BBS2 L49: Single-hand Collar Grabs		BBS2 L50: Front Chokes	A		
М		1) Standard Variation		1) Standard Variation		Closed for	
		Wrist Chop Variation Twisted Palm Variation 4) Shoulder Dip Variation		Hip Throw Variation 3) 2-handed Wall-pin Var. 4) 1-handed Wall-pin Var.		Memorial Day	
\vdash	7:30pm-8:30pm (+ 30 min sparring)	7:30pm-8:30pm (+ 30 min sparring)	NO CLASS	6:30pm-7:30pm (+ 30 min sparring)		Weekend	
	Standing: Front Attack Defenses	Standing: Front Attack Defenses		Standing: Front Attack Defenses	*	May 24th-27th	
P	BBS2 L49: Single-hand Collar Grabs	BBS2 L50: Front Chokes		BBS2 L51: Bear Hugs		May 24th-27th	
M	1) Standard Variation	1) Standard Variation		1) Under-arm Variation			
	Wrist Chop Variation Twisted Palm Variation A) Shoulder Dip Variation	2) Hip Throw Variation 3) 2-handed Wall-pin Var. 4) 1-handed Wall-pin Var.		2) Over-arm Variation			
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		Standing: Front Attack Defenses		Standing: Front Attack Defenses	Technique Review &	Standing: Front Attack Defenses	
A		BBS2 L51: Bear Hugs		BBS3 L49: Headlock Defense	Sparring	BBS3 L47: One-handed Attacks	
М	CLOSED FOR	1) Under-arm Variation		1) Postured Spin 2) Postured Slam		1) Shoulder Grab (Bent Arm)	
	MEMORIAL BAN	2) Over-arm Variation		3) Wall-pin Variation (Opponent Outside) 4) Wall-pin Variation (Opponent Inside)		2) Shoulder Gran (Extended Arm) 3) Chest Push 4) Aggressive Handshake	
\vdash	MEMORIAL DAY	7:30pm-8:30pm (+ 30 min sparring)	NO CLASS	6:30pm-7:30pm (+ 30 min sparring)		3) Chest Fusil 4) Agglessive Hallustiake	
P M	MEMORIALDA	Standing: Front Attack Defenses		Standing: Front Attack Defenses		٧.	
	***	BBS3 L47: One-handed Attacks		BBS3 L49: Headlock Defense		IUNE	
		1) Shoulder Grab (Bent Arm)		1) Postured Spin 2) Postured Slam		70	
		2) Shoulder Gran (Extended Arm)		3) Wall-pin Variation (Opponent Outside)			
\Box		3) Chest Push 4) Aggressive Handshake		4) Wall-pin Variation (Opponent Inside)			



General Information & Training Guidelines



Beyond Gracie Combatives, Gracie Jiu-Jitsu consists of hundreds of advanced techniques, all of which have been organized into a clearly defined, systematic curriculum called The Master Cycle. The Master Cycle is broken down into seven positional chapters each of which is studied for several months before moving on to the next.

To optimize your learning in the Master Cycle, it is important that you utilize a blend of technique classes, spar classes, and online classes at GracieUniversity.com.

	The Seven Chapters												
	1. Mount	2. Side Mount	3. Guard	4. Half Guard	5. Back Mount	6. Leg Locks	7. Standing						
	Escapes	Escapes	Controls	Bottom Strategies	Controls	Straight Foot Locks	Front Attack Defenses						
S	Controls	Controls	Passes	s Top Strategies Subm		Toe Hold Foot Locks	Rear Attack Defenses						
ection	Submissions	Submissions	Submissions		Submission Counters	Knee Locks	Weapon Defenses						
Sub-Sections	Submission Counters	Submission Counters	Submission Counters	/A		Heel Hooks	Clinch & Takedowns						
S			Sweeps				3						
			Sport Guards										

TECHNIQUE CLASSES

Each technique class begins with a 15-20 minute review/warm-up period during which you will go over techniques from previous lessons, share/receive knowledge from your training partners, and explore any techniques that you may have learned online through Gracie University. After the review, the instructor will present 2-3 variations of a technique that pertains to the positional chapter of study. In a cooperative manner, you will practice the techniques with a partner.

SPARRING CLASSES

Sparring classes are approximately 30 minutes long and usually take place immediately after technique classes. This is where you will have a chance to test your skills against a variety of training partners in a safe environment through a variety of training exercises, such as: Rapid Mastery Drills, Street Sparring, Focus Sparring Exercises, and Fight Simulation Drills. Students who do not train in a safe and productive manner will not be allowed to participate in sparring classes. If you are nursing an injury or you are new to the Master Cycle, you should not spar, and you are encouraged to use the sparring class time to review techniques with a cooperative partner until you are ready to spar. Remember to tap early, tap often, and always identify the hidden lessons when you spar.

24-HOUR PROGRESS

There is a remarkable difference in the rate of progress between students who study in their off-time and those who don't. As an active member of the Master Cycle program, you qualify for a free subscription to GracieUniversity.com, which gives you unlimited online access to the Master Cycle video-based curriculum. If you haven't been granted access please speak to a receptionist. With this resource, you can review past lessons, learn new techniques, and prepare for future belt tests 24 hours a day from any computer or mobile device! Use GU to boost your progress on and off the mat!

GROW AT YOUR OWN PACE

Unlike the Gracie Combatives program, which is entirely designed for new students to the art, the Master Cycle program caters to students of all belt levels from blue to black. As a result, you will often be exposed to techniques beyond your belt level. These advanced techniques should be practiced enthusiastically, and will give you a good idea of what to look forward to, but you should not burden yourself with the task of trying to memorize them all. If a move seems easy and applicable for you, take it, but if not, leave it alone and trust that you'll get it next time you cycle through that chapter. Remember, it's not a sprint, it's a marathon, and you're only racing against yourself, so be patient and have fun!