

.8 Combat sports

Class here interdisciplinary works on martial arts

Class combat with animals in 791.8; class Oriental martial arts forms in 796.815

For martial arts as exercises for physical fitness, see 613.7148

.809 History, geographic treatment, biography

Class here combat sports and martial arts in general practiced in a specific location, e.g., combat sports practiced in Italy 796.80945, martial arts practiced in Japan 796.80952

Class a specific combat sport or martial arts form practiced in a specific location in 796.81–796.86, plus notation 09 from Table 1, e.g., Oriental martial arts forms practiced in Japan 796.8150952, fencing practiced in Italy 796.8620945

.809 2 Biography

Class biography of a specific type of martial artist with the type, e.g., taekwondo practitioner 796.8157092

.810 95 Asia

Do not use for martial arts forms originating in, or in styles characteristic of, Eastern, Southern, and Southeast Asia; class in 796.815

.810 951 China and adjacent areas

Do not use for Chinese forms of martial arts; class in 796.8155

.815 Oriental martial arts forms

Limited to martial arts forms originating in, or in styles characteristic of, Eastern, Southern, and Southeast Asia

Class here comprehensive works on armed and unarmed Oriental martial arts forms

Class comprehensive works on Oriental and other martial arts forms in 796.8 Class martial arts forms originating in, or in styles characteristic of, other parts of Asia in 796.81095

For armed Oriental martial arts forms, see 796.85

.85 Armed combat

Class comprehensive works on armed and unarmed Oriental martial arts forms in 796.815

For sword fighting, see 796.86

.852 Knife fighting**.855 Stick fighting**

Including bojutsu

For kendo, see 796.86

- .86 Sword fighting
 - Including kendo
- .862 Fencing