

## **COMPETITION FORMAT:**

The **Charles Gracie Jiu-Jitsu Tournament** uses a SINGLE ELIMINATION SYSTEM for youth, juvenile and adult competitors.

## **WEIGHT CLASSES WITH GI ON:**

Be aware that ALL ATHLETES must WEIGH-IN with his/her **GI ON**. In the weight list the “GI” weight is already added, so make sure the athletes are in the correct division. All athletes must wear a CLEAN and a SOLID colored Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu GI (Kimono), either ALL WHITE, ALL BLUE or ALL BLACK in color. NO OTHER COLORS OF ANY KIND! NO mixing of colors. Example; white pants and blue top or blue pants and white top, etc.... will NOT be allowed.

Athletes’ brackets are based on Weight Division, Age, and Belt Rank. We never combine male and female.

In the weight list the “GI WEIGHT” is already added, so make sure all the athletes are in the correct division.

It is the athlete’s responsibility to review their information and let us know if they would like us to make any changes. We can only accept changes for weight classes via email by Wednesday, April 15, 2026 11:59pm PST. To change your weight class just send an email to [cgtournaments@charlesgracie.com](mailto:cgtournaments@charlesgracie.com)

Athlete or in the case of children, the parent is responsible for ensuring that the weight is met with GI already on. Any athlete that is over their registered weight will automatically be disqualified. Athletes must make weight to fight at the event.

**WEIGHT DIVISIONS:** Official photo ID is required at the time of weigh-in ONLY for all juvenile and adults.

### **Weight Division for “YOUTH” (Male and Female). Age Category “4 to 15 years old”**

**NOTE: Valid identification NOT needed for children at the time of weigh-in.**

<b>Division Number</b>	<b>Weight Limit</b>	<b>Division Number</b>	<b>Weight Limit</b>
Youth Division 1	Up to 37lbs.	Youth Division 10	92.1lbs. – 100.0lbs.
Youth Division 2	37.1lbs. – 44lbs.	Youth Division 11	100.1lbs. – 108.0lbs.
Youth Division 3	44.1lbs. – 50lbs.	Youth Division 12	108.1lbs. – 116.0lbs.
Youth Division 4	50.1lbs. – 56lbs.	Youth Division 13	116.1lbs. – 127.0lbs.
Youth Division 5	56.1lbs. – 63lbs.	Youth Division 14	127.1lbs. – 141.0lbs.
Youth Division 6	63.1lbs. – 70lbs.	Youth Division 15	141.1lbs. – 154.0lbs.
Youth Division 7	70.1lbs. – 77lbs.	Youth Division 16	154.1lbs. – 167.0lbs.
Youth Division 8	77.1lbs. – 85lbs.	Youth Division 17	167.1lbs. – 181.0lbs.
Youth Division 9	85.1lbs. – 92lbs.	Youth Division 18	181.1lbs. & Over
THIS IS THE ATHLETE’S WEIGHT WITH THE “GI ON”			

### **Weight Division for “JUVENILE” (Male and Female). Age Category “16 and 17 years old”**

<b>Division</b>	<b>Weight Limit</b>
Rooster	Up to 118.0lbs.
Light Feather	118.1lbs. – 129.0lbs.
Feather	129.1lbs. – 141.5lbs.
Light	141.6lbs. – 152.5lbs.
Middle	152.6lbs. – 163.5lbs.
Medium Heavy	163.6lbs. – 175.0lbs.
Heavy	175.1lbs. – 186.0lbs.

Super Heavy	186.1lbs. – 197.0lbs.
Ultra-Heavy	197.1lbs. & Over
THIS IS THE ATHLETE’S WEIGHT WITH THE “GI ON”	

**Weight Division for “ADULT FEMALE”. Age Category “18 years and older”**

Division	Weight Limit
Rooster	Up to 107.0lbs.
Light Feather	107.1lbs. – 118.0lbs.
Feather	118.1lbs. – 129.0lbs.
Light	129.1lbs. – 141.5lbs.
Middle	141.6lbs. – 152.5lbs.
Medium Heavy	152.6lbs. – 163.5lbs.
Heavy	163.6lbs. – 175.0lbs.
Super Heavy	175.1lbs. – 186.5lbs.
Ultra-Heavy	186.6lbs. & Over
THIS IS THE ATHLETE’S WEIGHT WITH THE “GI ON”	

**Weight Division for “ADULT MALE”. Age Category “18 years and older”**

Division	Weight Limit
Rooster	Up to 127.0lbs.
Light Feather	127.1lbs. – 141.5lbs.
Feather	141.6lbs. – 154.5lbs.
Light	154.6lbs. – 168.0lbs.
Middle	168.1lbs. – 181.5lbs.
Medium Heavy	181.6lbs. – 195.0lbs.
Heavy	195.1lbs. – 208.0lbs.
Super Heavy	208.1lbs. – 222.0lbs.
Ultra-Heavy	222.1lbs. & Over
THIS IS THE ATHLETE’S WEIGHT WITH THE “GI ON”	

**NOVICE DIVISION:**

We have a "NOVICE DIVISION" available for youth, juvenile and adults. To qualify for the “Novice Division” the athlete MUST have no more than SIX MONTHS of Jiu-Jitsu training, and the cutoff date for having started training Jiu-Jitsu is **October 25, 2025**. NO EXCEPTIONS! Also, all athletes’ brackets are based on Weight Division, Age, and Belt Rank. We want to give beginners a chance to compete and enjoy the atmosphere as a competitor and not just a spectator. This will be specifically for those students who have just begun to study the Art of Jiu-Jitsu

**CHECK IN TIME AND LOCATIONS:**

**EARLY CHECK-IN (Fast Way):** Day before the tournament / **Friday, April 24, 2026**.

Athletes have the option to check-in the day before the tournament if they wish. This will allow them to bypass the normal line for the competitors at the check-in table the day of the tournament and enter directly into the tournament site without waiting in line. The Athlete can check-in the day before the tournament at the **Charles Gracie Jiu-Jitsu Academy located at 1005 E. Pescadero Ave. Suite 149, Tracy, CA 95304 from 5:00pm to 8:00pm.**

**TOURNAMENT DAY CHECK IN:**

All athletes **MUST** check in at least **ONE HOUR PRIOR** to the start of their scheduled match at the **CHECK IN TABLE**. The athletes have to pick up the required “Competitor’s Package” (Event Entry Tickets and Queuing Card) the day of the tournament at the check in table.

### **WEIGH-INS TIME AND LOCATION:**

**EARLY WEIGH-INS (Highly Recommended):** Day before the tournament / **Friday, April 24, 2026.**

Athletes have the option to weigh-in the day before the tournament if they wish. This will allow them to bypass the normal line for the competitors at the weigh-in table the day of the tournament and enter directly into the tournament site without waiting in line. The Athlete can weigh-in the day before the tournament at the **Charles Gracie Jiu-Jitsu Academy located at 1005 E. Pescadero Ave. Suite 149, Tracy, CA 95304 from 5:00pm to 8:00pm.**

### **TOURNAMENT DAY WEIGH-IN:**

All tournament day weigh-ins will be conducted at the weigh-in area before the athlete’s first match **WITH THE GI ON.** In the weight list the “GI WEIGHT” is already added, so make sure the athletes are in the correct division. Any athlete that is over their registered weight will automatically be disqualified. Weigh-ins will open one hour before the competitors scheduled start time. Athletes must make weight to compete at the event. Both **juvenile** and **adult** athletes **MUST** bring a valid official photo ID at the time of weigh-in.

### **WHAT IS THE BEST WAY TO CONTACT US?**

- For general questions regarding the tournament. Email to [cgtournaments@charlesgracie.com](mailto:cgtournaments@charlesgracie.com)  
Please make sure to include the competitor's first and last name on the email.