

Complaints Procedure

NBA is committed to providing a high-quality service to all our students, and their parents/carers. When something goes wrong, we need you to tell us about it. This will help us to improve our standards.

If you have a complaint, please contact us via the contact form on the NBA website www.newcastleblackbeltacademy.co.uk with the details. We have 28 days to consider your complaint.

What will happen next?

- 1. We will send you notification acknowledging receipt of your complaint within three days of receiving it, enclosing a copy of this procedure.
- 2. We will then investigate your complaint. This will normally involve informal fact finding in the first instance by one of our members.
- 3. We will then contact you to discuss and hopefully resolve your complaint. We will do this within 14 days of sending you the acknowledgement.
 - We will then write to you to confirm the discussion and propose a solution to the issue.
- 4. If you do not want a meeting or it is not possible, we will send you a detailed written reply to your complaint, including our suggestions for resolving the matter, within 28 days of sending you the acknowledgement.
- 5. At this stage, if you are still not satisfied, you should contact us again and we will arrange for another board member to review the issue and the proposed conclusion.
- 6. We will write to you within 14 days of receiving your request for a review, confirming our final position on your complaint and explaining our reasons.