AIKIDO that is on the one hand dynamics and the joy of movement, on the other hand training is rounded up by stretching-, breathing- and concentration-exercises.

AIKIDO was developed in Japan and the word means:

**AI** = harmony; **KI** = mind, spirit, vitality; **DO** = art, way of practice. The aim of AIKIDO is the unity of body and mind on the basis of a martial art.

In our training attacks are diverted to round, circular movements and are finished into a throw or a grab of holding. In this context we learn to use the energy of the attacking movement for (defending) ourselves. (In Japan: "ju principle")

There are no competitions in AIKIDO and therefore there are no winners or losers. In principle we practice <u>with one another</u> and not against another.

Continuous training of AIKIDO promotes besides fitness and litheness, a good perception of the own body, the alertness and a peaceful attitude.

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