North High School Cheerleading
Application Packet

I am excited that you want to be a North High Cheerleader! In order to tryout, you must have all the materials completed and turned in before the tryout date and have paid your deposit on the day of tryouts. Your teacher recommendations and this packet is due by Friday, March 1st. There will also be a parent information meeting on February 26th at 4:30 in room 231.

Fill out all papers!

- Cheerleader Application + Short Answer Questions: tell me about you
- 3rd Quarter Grade Report (or report card)
- 3 Teacher Recommendations: Fill out your name and the teacher’s name. Give this to your teachers ASAP so they can get them back to me. They should not give them back to you!
  - Two teachers of your choice
  - Teacher in the class with the lowest grade (from first semester)
    - Please pay attention to which form you give each teacher, because there is one specifically for your lowest grade.
- Permissions page: your counselor, administrator, treasurer, and parents must sign

**Mandatory Tryout Clinic:**
- March 4, 4-6:30 pm
- March 5, 4-6:30 pm
- March 6, 4-6:30 pm

**Tryouts:**
- March 7th, beginning at 3:25(all applicants)
  **Incoming freshman, you will have a later time block.**

**Announcements:**
- March 8th, 3:30 pm (via Instagram)
  **If you do not make either JV or Varsity, you will be able to pick up your deposit in the main office throughout the day on Friday.**

You may wear any appropriate athletic clothing and shoes. No jeans, jewelry, boots. Returning cheerleaders may not wear cheer gear.

**Don’t forget:**
- Remind your teachers to turn in your recommendations
- Bring your application packet
- Bring your $300 deposit

Email jamie.brown@ops.org with any questions!
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Name: 

Current School: 

Current Grade: 

Cell Phone: 

Parent or guardian names: 

Parent cell phone: 

Other extracurricular activities (actual and potential): 

How do you plan to get to and from practices and games? 

Are you employed: 

   Yes          No

Place of employment: 

How many hours do you plan to work weekly? 

Previous cheerleading experience: 

   Yes          No

Previous dance experience: 

   Yes          No

Previous gymnastics experience: 

   Yes          No
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Please list the teachers that you asked for recommendations:

1.

2.

3.

Why do you want to be a cheerleader at North?

What are your expectations of cheerleading at North?

Why would you be an asset to the cheerleading program at North?
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Cheerleading Grade Report

Name: 

School: 

Grade: 

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You may turn in a copy of your OPS report card instead of this page!
Candidate:       Teacher:

This student is interested in cheering next year at North High. We value the attributes listed below, and would like your input on this student’s ability to be successful.

Please rank the student in each category.

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Please leave additional comments that will recommend (or NOT recommend) this student to serve as a cheerleader for the next school year. Thank you so much for your time!

I would _______ I would not _______ recommend this student to be a cheerleader.

I would _______ I would not _______ recommend this student for a leadership role.

CANDIDATE SHOULD NOT SEE THIS FORM

Please return by February 28th, 2019

Please return this form to Jamie Brown, North High School through school mail. It can also be sent via fax to 402-557-3439, attn: Jamie Brown

Your input is very important to the selection process, and counts as a portion of the overall score. All responses will remain confidential. Thanks for your time!
North High Cheerleading
Teacher Recommendation Form

Candidate:       Teacher:

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Teacher Recommendation Form (Lowest Grade)

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Cheerleader Name:

**Administrator Permission**

This student has not been suspended from school or received an in-school suspension due to behavior during the 2018-2019 academic year. An ISS due to tardies is permissible.

Administrator Signature  ________________________________

**Counselor Permission**

Cheerleaders must maintain a GPA of 2.75 in order to participate.

Current GPA for the 2018-2019 school year: _________

Counselor Signature  ________________________________

**Treasurer/Secretary Permission**

This student has settled all accounts with the school and has no outstanding fines.

Is this student able to pay by check?  YES  NO

Treasurer Signature  ________________________________
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Parent Permission
I give my child permission to be a North High Cheerleader. I understand that s/he must abide by the squad rules and regulations and in the Student Code of Conduct. I also understand that s/he must be present and on time for all squad events.

I understand that my child will not be allowed to try out if all forms are not turned in by March. I understand that payment of $300 is required at the time of the tryout and will ONLY be refunded if my child is cut from the squad, not if s/he chooses to quit.

I understand that if my child is selected for the squad, s/he will have to purchase her uniform and pay for camp, based on the payment schedule. Refunds are not given, and I understand that I am obligated to pay all expenses even if my child quits or is removed from the squad. I understand that no uniform will be ordered until payments are made and my child may not participate until s/he has a uniform.

I understand that qualified judges and selection committee will evaluate my child and I agree to abide by this decision.

I understand that by the very nature of the activity, cheerleading carries the risk of physical injury. No matter how careful the participant and sponsor are, the risk cannot be eliminated. I understand these risks and will not hold North High or any North High personnel responsible in case of accident or injury at any time.

Parent/Guardian Name ________________________________ Date: ______________

Parent/Guardian Signature __________________________________________________________

Student Signature

I agree to the above condition and will follow all rules of the Cheerleading squad if I am selected as a member for the 2019-2020 Cheerleading squad.

Student Signature ________________________________ Date: ______________