

Girls and Parents:

Varsity/JV/Middle School cheerleader evaluations will be Monday, June 8, 2020. Please read the entire packet very carefully before signing the permission form. All girls who are chosen will be required to follow the given rules and requirements. All financial duties must be met in a timely manner. Fundraising will be used for uniforms and supplies. Camp fees and clothing will be the responsibility of the individual cheerleader.

When you have carefully read the enclosed information, each girl and her parents should sign and date the enclosed application for evaluations.

Thank You and Good Luck!

2020 - 2021 Ardmore High School
Varsity/Junior Varsity/Middle School Cheer Evaluations

Evaluations:

Monday June 8: 3:00 - 6:00

3:00 - 3:30 11th and 12th grade

3:30 - 4:00 10th grade

4:00 - 4:30 9th grade

4:30 - 5:00 8th grade

5:00 - 6:00 7th grade

*This is the grade you will be in for the 20-21 school year

Remember:

Camp dates and fitting dates are yet to be determined.

*****ALL EVALUATIONS ARE CLOSED TO PARENTS, FRIENDS,
ETC...*****

General Requirements, Rules, and Responsibilities:

1. All cheerleaders must meet the athletic academic requirements. An athlete must pass every core subject and maintain an overall 70 average. Cheerleaders with any grade of "D" or below on report cards will be subject to suspension to be determined by the coach.
2. Each cheerleader is expected to attend all practices, camp, and games. Failure to attend without prior approval will be cause for suspension. Do not send word by another cheerleader that you are sick.
3. Social media bashing will not be tolerated. Any negative remarks toward the squad, an individual, or the coach on social media of any kind will result in suspension and/or dismissal.
4. It is the responsibility of the parent(s) to see that their child has transportation which meets their approval to and from practices and all games. Coaches cannot transport cheerleaders.
5. Please schedule family vacations and any other events around camp dates and summer practices. July will be an open month.
6. Each girl will participate in all fundraisers and will be expected to do their part. If the fundraising does not cover all costs, the amount will be divided equally between each cheerleader.
7. Camp fees, camp clothing, warm-up, midriiffs, tights, shoes, and poms will be the cheerleader's responsibility to pay. Fundraising will go for uniforms and supplies.
8. If your cheer bill has not been paid in full, or arrangements for payment have not been made by September 1, 2020, the cheerleader will not be allowed to cheer.
9. All cheerleaders must be on time for all cheerleader functions. Times will vary depending on the occasion.
10. Appropriate girlfriend/boyfriend behavior is a must while in public. Especially in uniform.

11. Any cheerleader who quits without reasons acceptable to the administration will not be allowed to try out again at Ardmore High School.
12. During practices, everyone will be required to stay until everything has been completed and cleaned up.
13. Game schedules and uniform criteria are often subject to change. Cheerleaders are responsible for being aware of these changes. No excuses will be accepted.
14. Cheerleaders must be present at school for half the day on the day of a game in order to cheer that night.
15. There will be no deviations from designated uniforms. All cheerleaders must arrive at games dressed and ready to cheer.
16. Practice clothing: A simple outfit that will allow for easy movement. Avoid clothes that are too tight or baggy. Wear regulation cheer shoes.
17. NO negative attitudes will be tolerated at practices or at games. If an agreement cannot be met, the sponsor will make the final decision.
18. No chewing gum at practices or games.
19. No visible jewelry allowed with the exception of small pearl earrings.
20. Hair that can be worn in a ponytail must be put up for safety reasons. No exceptions or excuses.
21. Cell phones are not permitted while practice is going on. Cheerleaders will be allowed to call parents once practice is completed.
22. No cell phones during games.
23. Cheerleaders will be allowed to cheer on competition squads, but all school functions should take priority.
24. If any uniform, or part of a uniform is lost, it will be the responsibility of the cheerleader to pay for the replacement. The

replacement will not be given to the cheerleader until payment is received.

25. Possible reasons for dismissal:

A. Grades do not meet scholastic requirements.

B. Unbecoming conduct which reflects on the reputation of the school or squad.

C. Fighting, cursing, smoking, vaping, possession of or use of alcoholic beverages or drugs, whether at school or in public.

D. Any disciplinary actions taken by the school administrators.

25. Failure to abide by policies and regulations or failure to accept responsibility as a cheerleader may result in disciplinary action and possible dismissal from the squad. The sponsor reserves the right to suspend a cheerleader from a game and/or pep rally when a rule is broken. Expulsion from the squad will be a decision of the sponsor and the principal.

