

# Application for DMS Cheerleading Tryouts



My daughter, \_\_\_\_\_ has my permission to attend cheerleading try outs for the Dorseyville Middle School 2019-2020 season. I understand that she must abide by the rules and regulations set forth by the Coaches, Athletic Director and the Principals of the Fox Chapel Area School District, and she must be present throughout the year for all practices and games.

I understand that my daughter must attend the tryout clinic Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup>-Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup> from 6:00pm- 8:00pm with actual tryouts on Friday or my child will not be considered for a cheerleading position. Tryouts will be held in the Middle School gymnasium. I understand that my child will be evaluated by qualified judges; for a non-biased score, and I agree to abide by the decision of the judges.

I understand by the very nature of the activity, cheerleading and gymnastics carry a risk of physical injury. No matter how careful the participant and coaches are, how many spotters are used, or what landing surface is used, the risk cannot be eliminated. I understand there are risks and I will not hold Fox Chapel Area School District or any of its personnel responsible in the case of accident or injury at anytime.

I understand that all cheerleaders who make the squad are required to attend one week of mandatory summer camp the week of August 19<sup>th</sup>. Times will be discussed within the tryout packet. I understand regular mandatory practices will take place beginning the week of August 26<sup>th</sup> and will continue throughout the remainder of the two seasons. Please schedule summer vacations around this week. Any missed days will count as **demerits** and ALL work needs to be made up **on your own time**.

I understand there are some costs associated with joining the cheerleading squad and I am willing to cover these expenses. I also understand that I am responsible for reimbursing the school district if my daughter loses or damages any items that were provided by the school district such as uniforms.

Practice sessions for the 2019-2020 school year will be held during the evening unless otherwise notified by the coach. **I understand that cheerleading is a two-season sport (Fall and Winter) and that this is the only tryout for both seasons. I understand that there will be no additional tryouts.**

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Parent or Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

I am interested in being a cheerleader for the Fox Chapel Area School District 2019-2020 school year. I understand the risks stated above. If selected, I promise to abide by the rules and regulations set forth by the Coaches, Athletic Department and the Principals of Dorseyville Middle School. I understand that when in uniform I am a representative of the district, therefore my conduct, language, and demeanor will be appropriate. I promise to cooperate and follow the instructions of the cheerleading coaching staff.

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Student Name

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Student Signature

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Date

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Email address for Tryout Team Announcement

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Grade Next year