

Westminster High School Cheer Tryout & Clinic Information 2015–2016

1. Attendance at clinics: It is very important that students are dressed, checked in and ready to cheer promptly by 3:15. We have lots to learn and don't want to waste any time!
2. Appropriate attire should be worn during clinics and tryouts. If a student comes without the appropriate clothing, a parent/guardian will be called and asked to either bring it to them, or pick them up. The list is as follows:
 - i. T-shirt or tank top. This means no spaghetti straps or bare midriffs.
 - ii. Athletic shorts or pants that allow for movement.
 - iii. Athletic shoes and socks. This means no sandals or barefeet!
 - iv. Jewelry of any kind should not be worn.
 - v. Hair should be pulled back into a ponytail
 - vi. During the tryouts (Friday), returning students should not wear any item of clothing affiliated with their previous membership to the WHS Pepsters.
3. Material: Current Senior Cheerleaders will be instructing during clinics (under the instruction and supervision of Mrs. Brownell, Coach Sypen, and Mrs. Greico). The material will consist of a chant, a sideline cheer, and a dance to music.
4. Clinics: Each day clinics will begin with stretches and jumps, followed by splitting into groups to be taught the material (dance & cheer).
5. Tryouts will be held in B-2 on Friday. The name of the new Cheer and Song Squads will be posted on the front office door Friday evening at 8 PM.
6. Tryouts are closed to the public.
7. Selecting a squad: Tryouts will be scored by two professional cheer judges, and Mrs. Brownell, and Mrs. Grieco. The students will be judged on:
 - i. Behavior & Effort during clinics
 - ii. Performance during cheer, chant, and dance at try-outs

Westminster High School Cheer Clinic, Try-outs, and Fitting Schedule 2015-2016

All Participants are **REQUIRED** to attend every day of clinics, unless otherwise excused by Mrs. Brownell or Mrs. Grieco.

Monday, April 20th – Turn in the Pepster Application and \$15 for the Application/Judging Fee

First Clinic – 3:15 – 5:00

Tuesday, April 21st -

Second Clinic – 3:15 – 5:00

Wednesday, April 22nd -

Third Clinic – 3:15 – 5:00

Thursday, April 23rd -

Final Clinics - 3:15 - 4:00

Mock Try-outs - 4:00 - 5:00

Friday, April 24th -

Tryouts in B2 – 3:30 – done.

Wednesday, April 29th -

MANDATORY MEETING - Parents & cheerleaders
(who made the team) Meet in Cafeteria at 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 28th -

Fittings in T-1 (current cheerleaders - during 6th, new members - right after school) **EVERYONE** will be fitted for a uniform, sweatshirt, shorts, warm-ups, and tshirt at this time. If you have paid your deposit, then your uniform materials will be ordered. In order to place the order, we need 50% down for every cheerleader. The other 50% will be due when you pick up your order.

- **SUMMER PRACTICES:** All summer practices are required! At these practices we will be setting stunt groups, learning football cheers, routines, and chants. You will be given the summer practice schedule at the meeting on Wednesday, April 29th.

Westminster High School Cheer Tryout Application 2015-2016

This Application is DUE the first day of clinics - Monday, April 20th!!!

NOTE: \$15.00 is requested to cover the cost of hiring professional judges for tryouts.

Applicant's Name: _____

Address: _____

Applicant's Cell Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Applicant's Birthday: _____ Current Grade Level: _____

Mother's Name: _____ Work Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____ Cell Phone Number: _____

Father's Name: _____ Work Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____ Cell Phone Number: _____

Health Insurance Company: _____ Policy Number: _____

Family Doctor: _____ Phone Number: _____

Medical Problems: _____

Medications: _____

This form must be entirely filled out in order to be eligible to tryout.