

Wakefield Cheer Rules 2019-2020

As a member of the WHS Cheer Squad, you are required to adhere to all of the following policies. Please read thoroughly and sign below (student and parent).

1. I understand that attendance is an important part of a cheer squad requirement and that absences should be held to a minimum, if at all. Should an emergency arise, please notify your coach immediately. See guidelines below.

Absence Policy: Each cheerleader is given two absences per football and basketball season. 3 tardies is an absence, 3 absences you will sit out a game. Over and above that a parent conference is required before you can return. In order to attend practice or a game each cheerleader must meet all school day attendance guidelines. Possible suspension or dismissal from the team may result in excessive absences or tardies. ALL COMPETITIONS ARE MANDATORY WITH NO EXCEPTIONS!

2. I understand that I should always be prepared for cheer squad events. This means being on time, having all required uniform/practice pieces, no jewelry, hair is pulled back, and no long or colored nails.
3. I understand that my selection to this team is based partially on professional behavior. This means a positive approach and attitude towards others. Cursing and vulgar language are not acceptable at any time. Talking about others in a negative manner is also not allowed. Excessive PDA with a significant other is not allowed. Please see your coach should an issue arise.
4. I understand that I represent WHS and the cheer program at all times (in and out of school), and will conduct myself in a respectful manner. Any behavior that reflects negatively on myself and/or the program could result in disciplinary action.
5. I understand that I must maintain my grades per WCPSS athletic policy and will be required to meet with my coach and a parent should they drop below that limit. Coaches will check Power Schools on a regular basis.
6. I understand that if I receive ISS or ALC for any reason, I will not be allowed to cheer at the game for that week. A second offense will require a parent conference in order to return. If I am suspended from school for any reason, I will be removed from the squad.
7. I understand that away game transportation is arranged through the school and coach. If I decide to ride home with another person, I must provide a written note of consent to my coach from my parent stating who I am allowed to leave with. Text messages or phone calls will not be accepted.
8. I understand that there are fees associated with the cheer program and I will be responsible for ALL fees required to participate.

I agree to follow all rules as outlined above to maintain my participation on the Varsity or Junior Varsity Cheer Squad for the 2019-2020 school year

Cheerleaders Name: _____

Cheerleaders Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent(s) Name: _____

Parent(s) Signature: _____

Date: _____