



VIRTUAL TRYOUTS

KEEP YOUR PROGRAM CONNECTED AND MOVING FORWARD

WHY?

Virtual tryouts are a great way to keep your dance or cheer programs moving forward in these uncertain times. Help keep athletes connected to their school and provide a way for coaches to effectively plan for the season. Varsity Spirit is partnering with athletic departments across the nation sharing these resources, along with compiled tryout videos and results to make things easier!

START PLANNING YOUR TRYOUT!

1. ADMINISTRATIVE PLAN

Determine tryout date, communication platform and tryout requirements. Review team constitution, calendar and budget with coach. Consider creating a Google Form interested applicants can complete prior to. Be sure to include athlete and parent contact information which may include digital tryout equity questions. [Click here for the tryout process!](#)

2. TRYOUT MEETING

Coach will share tryout format with all interested applicants and parents. Team rules/constitution, calendar, and estimated expenses should be shared in this meeting. Consider hosting a meeting on Zoom, Facebook Live, Google Classroom or pre-recording a video. We also recommend following up with a recap email.

3. REACH OUT TO STATE DIRECTOR

Reach out to your [Varsity State Director](#) to receive a free tryout kit including routines, music, paperwork, Google Form creation and judges. Varsity has provided the resources to make things as easy as possible. [Click here to for the tryout kit and more information.](#)

4. SHARE TRYOUT SPECIFICS WITH ATHLETES

Coach will link an online form for their tryout submission. Also include a [YouTube tutorial](#) regarding how to safely upload. Due dates and access to all tryout material should be included.

5. REVIEW AND SHARE RESULTS

Varsity will provide judging results for coaches to review. Share and post results in the manner most effective for the program.