



2025-2026 COLLEGE SPIRIT COMPETITIONS

COLLEGE SHOW CHEER

COLLEGE PYRAMID - SCORING RANGES

USA CHEER Pyramid Definition: "connected partner stunts" (Example: paper dolls).

Basic pyramid – includes limited complex transitions, structures, entrance and/or dismount variety.

(Ex: 2 ½ high transitions with limited unique entrances and dismounts)

Maxed-out pyramid – includes multiple complex transitions, several structures, and a variety of entries and/or dismounts.

Basic and Maxed-out pyramids must occur at different times. If both pyramids are performed in the same section, all athletes must dismount to the floor between the two pyramids.

*Note: required stunt dismount NOT implemented here, only in stunt section.

DIFFICULTY POINT RANGES

2.0

Basic pyramid

3.0 – 4.0

Maxed-out pyramid

4.0 – 5.0

Basic AND maxed-out pyramid

TECHNIQUE/EXECUTION RANGES

3.5 – 4.0

Less than 50% of skills were executed with excellent precision and form.

4.0 – 4.5

50% of skills were executed with excellent precision and form.

4.5 – 5.0

75% or more of skills were executed with excellent precision and form.

PYRAMID COMPOSITION DRIVERS

Creativity

Percentage of Team Participation

Connection of Skills/Variety

Pace and Speed of Skills

