

2025-2026 SPIRIT COMPETITIONS

COLLEGE SHOW CHEER

TUMBLING SCORING RANGES

Scoring for tumbling will be based on two things: (1) Synchronized group skill (standing or running) to get into a range: If 50% of the team does not perform a synchronized skill, score drops into the range directly below. Using a higher percentage of athletes may positively impact the "percentage of team participation" driver. Synchronized means exact same skill(s) at the exact same time from beginning to end by ALL members of the group. EX: Synchronized = 50% of team does a single handspring at the exact same time. Not synchronized = 25% of the team does a back handspring, other 25% does two connected back handsprings. (2) Cumulative skills - any additional skills performed will help drive up the score within the achieved synchronized group skill range.

Note: Tumbling passes must land on both feet to receive credit. Example: Back handsprings which land in prone position would not count.

INTERMEDIATE

2.0 - 3.0

Cartwheel Round off Front/Back walkover

3.0 - 4.0

Standing back handspring Round off back handspring

4.0 - 5.0

Round off BHS back tuck(s) Round off tuck(s) Layouts Standing BHS series Jump(s)/BHS combinations

ADVANCED

2.0 - 3.0

Cartwheel/Round off Front/Back walkover Standing back handspring Round off back handspring

3.0 - 4.0

Round off BHS back tuck(s) Round off tuck(s) Standing BHS series Jump(s)/BHS combinations

4.0 - 5.0

Standing back tuck
Standing BHS back tuck(s)
Standing BHS to tuck/layout/full
Round off to layout/full
Round off BHS to layout/full
Jump(s)/tuck or tuck combinations

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

DRIVERS

Degree of Difficulty
Percentage of Team Participation
Combination of Skills
Variety of Skills
Clarity of Synchronized Group Skill*

*Combination of skills = connecting additional skills to a pass listed in the range. EX: front walkovercartwheel back walkover, or toe touch BHS, or front walkover- round off- whip- BHS layout.

**Clarity of synchronized group skill- synchronized group skill was clearly performed with no additional/different skills by some members of the group and no athletes "marking" the skill.



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TUMBLING QUANTITY CHART

*NOTE: 50% team participation is required to get into scoring range. Using a higher percentage of athletes may positively impact the "percentage of team participation" driver.

	TUMBLING	JUMPS
# OF ATHLETES	50%	75%
8	4	6
9	5	7
10	5	8
11	6	8
12	6	9
13	7	10
14	7	11
15	8	11
16	8	12
17	9	13
18	9	14
19	10	14
20	10	15
21	11	16
22	11	17
23	12	17
24	12	18
25	13	19
26	13	20
27	14	20
28	14	21
29	15	22
30	15	23
31	16	23
32	16	24
33	17	25
34	17	26
35	18	26
36	18	27