



2025 - 2026 Divisions College Cheerleading and Dance Team National Championship



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CHEER TEAM PERFORMANCE DIVISIONS

The competition is open to all colleges, universities and junior colleges in the country. Individuals may not represent more than one team at the National Championship.

Large Coed Division Floating Scale:

14 - 15 Total participants = 8 maximum males

16 - 17 Total participants = 9 maximum males

18 - 19 Total participants = 10 maximum males

20 Total participants = 11 maximum males

Division IA	NCAA I-FBS	• Female/Male	• 20 team members max (6-11 Males)
Division I	NCAA I-FCS & NCAA II	• Female/Male	• 20 team members max (6-11 Males)
Open Coed	NCAA III, Jr College & NAIA	• Female/Male	• 20 team members max (6-11 Males)
Small Coed Division IA	NCAA I-FBS	• Female/Male	• 20 team members max (1-5 Males)
Small Coed Division I	NCAA I-FCS & NCAA II	• Female/Male	• 20 team members max (1-5 Males)
Open Small Coed	NCAA III, Jr College & NAIA	• Female/Male	• 20 team members max (1-5 Males)
All Girl Division IA	NCAA I-FBS	• Female	• 20 team members max
All Girl Division I	NCAA I-FCS & NCAA II	• Female	• 20 team members max
Open All Girl	NCAA III, Jr College & NAIA	• Female	• 20 team members max

GAME DAY DIVISIONS (Cheer Team ONLY)

Division IA	NCAA I-FBS	• Female/Male	• 30 team members max (6+ Males)
Division I	NCAA I-FCS & NCAA II	• Female/Male	• 30 team members max (6+ Males)
Open Coed	NCAA III, Jr College & NAIA	• Female/Male	• 30 team members max (6+ Males)
Small Coed Division IA	NCAA I-FBS	• Female/Male	• 30 team members max (1-5 Males)
Small Coed Division I	NCAA I-FCS & NCAA II	• Female/Male	• 30 team members max (1-5 Males)
Open Small Coed	NCAA III, Jr College & NAIA	• Female/Male	• 30 team members max (1-5 Males)
All Girl Division IA	NCAA I-FBS	• Female	• 30 team members max
All Girl Division I	NCAA I-FCS & NCAA II	• Female	• 30 team members max
Open All Girl	NCAA III, Jr College & NAIA	• Female	• 30 team members max

GAME DAY LIVE DIVISIONS (Cheer Team & Band)

Division IA Game Day Live	NCAA I-FBS	• Female/Male	• 30 cheer team members & 30 band members max
Open Game Day Live	NCAA I, NCAA I-FCS, NCAA II, NCAA III, Jr College & NAIA	• Female/Male	• 30 cheer team members & 30 band members max

SPIRIT PROGRAM GAME DAY DIVISIONS (Cheer Team & Dance Team)

Division IA Spirit Program Game Day	NCAA I-FBS	• Female/Male	• 30 cheer team members & 30 dance team members max
Open Spirit Program Game Day	NCAA I, NCAA I-FCS, NCAA II, NCAA III, Jr College & NAIA	• Female/Male	• 30 cheer team members & 30 dance team members max

SPIRIT PROGRAM GAME DAY LIVE DIVISIONS (Cheer, Dance & Band)

Division IA Spirit Program Game Day Live	NCAA I-FBS	• Female/Male	• 30 cheer, 30 dance & 30 band members max
Open Spirit Program Game Day Live	NCAA I, NCAA I-FCS, NCAA II, NCAA III, Jr College & NAIA	• Female/Male	• 30 cheer, 30 dance & 30 band members max

PARTNER STUNT - Must qualify by Video Entry

Coed Partner Stunt	• Any College / University	• 1 Female / 1 Male	• 2 team members
Girls '4' Group Stunt	• Any College / University	• 4 Females	• 4 team members

MASCOT - Must qualify by Video Entry

Division IA	NCAA I - FBS	• Female/Male	• 1 team member
Open Mascot	NCAA I, NCAA I - FCS, NCAA II, NCAA III Jr College & NAIA	• Female/Male	• 1 team member

**For a complete copy of all Championship Rules and Regulations
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