

CMHS Cheerleading

<p>Program Expectations</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● All athletes are expected to be a <u>positive</u> representation of CMSD and the community. ● All athletes are expected to promote sportsmanship within the school and community. ● All athletes are expected to work together to achieve common goals.
<p>Team Composition and Expectations</p>	<p>Varsity <i>may</i> be composed of athletes in 10th, 11th, and 12th grade.</p> <p>JV will be composed of athletes in 9th grade but <i>may</i> also include athletes in 10th, 11th, and 12th.</p> <p>The competition team <i>may</i> be composed of athletes in 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th grade.</p> <p>Varsity athletes will cheer for home and away football games, home boys basketball games, and some home boys wrestling matches.</p> <p>JV athletes will cheer for home JV football and JV boys basketball games and some home boys wrestling matches.</p> <p>Both teams will participate in UCA summer camp, community events, and other opportunities throughout the year.</p> <p>All athletes will be expected to maintain academic excellence. Failure to do so may result in ineligibility as determined by set criteria through the school.</p>
<p>Attendance</p>	<p>Athletes are expected to attend all events.</p> <p>We understand there are instances where an absence is inevitable.</p> <p>The athlete <u>must</u> tell the coaches if they will be unable to attend.</p> <p>Athletes <u>must</u> be present for at least a half day of school to be eligible to participate in events.</p> <p>Excused absences include the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Medical absences- a medical excuse ● Family emergencies- death in the family, hospitalizations, etc. ● Educational field trips/College visits <p>Each athlete is also entitled to 4 unexcused absences during football season and 4 unexcused absences during basketball/wrestling season.</p> <p>Those who exceed these unexcused absences will be unable to participate until they have shown an increase in attendance and ability to understand the importance of teamwork.</p> <p>An excessive number of unexcused absences may result in dismissal from the team.</p> <p><i>Coach discretion will apply for absences and dismissal from the team.</i></p>
<p>Varsity Lettering Criteria</p>	<p>Varsity athletes must participate in 80% of all events in order to letter.</p> <p><i>The Coaches will determine eligibility through attendance data.</i></p> <p><i>*Please note, this has been updated in order to help athletes letter for up to 3 years instead of the previous 2.</i></p>

Disclaimer

- ALL important decisions regarding the program will be made with coach discretion.
- All coaches are to be treated with respect by the cheerleaders and parents.
- Disrespect will not be tolerated and may result in dismissal from the program.
- Additional causes for dismissal will be determined by the coaching staff and other relevant personnel such as administration.

Important Dates

March 23 5:30PM	Clothing fitting for <i><u>all athletes</u></i>
June 6-7 5PM-8PM	Middle School Choreography for <i><u>senior athletes</u></i>
TBD	Competition Team Choreography for <i><u>competitive athletes</u></i>
July 29-30	UCA Summer Camp for <i><u>all athletes</u></i>
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