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North Garland High School Mam'selle Varsity $\mathbf{\delta}$ **JV La Petites Tryout Packet** 2024-2025



Parent/Candidate Meeting Tuesday March 26, 2024 @ 6:30pm in NGHS Library

Mam'selle & La Petite Tryout Information

When? <u>April 23-26, 2024 5:00p.m.- 7:15p.m.</u> (tryout practices & mock tryouts @NGHS); **Mock tryouts will be on <u>Thursday April 25, 2024 at NGHS**</u> <u>Saturday April 27, 2024 @ TBD - Naaman Forest High School- 12:30-3:30 pm</u>

During tryout practice you will learn a jazz/hip-hop style routine, technical skills and a kick series. We will have levels within the routine to accommodate Varsity & JV expectations. You must attend every practice to be eligible to try out. Practices are closed to the public. Excused absences and extenuating circumstances must be approved by Ms. Numa or Ms. Portillo, **in advance**.

April 27, 2024: tryouts; will begin at- 12:30 pm Tryouts will be closed to the public (no parents or family/ friends waiting with candidates). Results will be announced by fine arts on GISD district website after tryouts; **attendance to ALL spring & summer practices and summer camp is mandatory**.

Where? North Garland High School Gymnasium (tryout practice); Naaman Forest High School Gymnasium (tryouts)- Saturday April 27, 2024 @ TBD

What to wear? <u>Practice</u>: You must wear all black fitted dancewear: black leotard or black tank top and tights/dance pants or shorts. If you choose to wear spandex shorts you must wear nude/ flesh tone tights, no shorts may be worn by themselves during the tryout process (no bare legs). No crop tops/ sports bras (no midriffs showing, you must wear a sports bra (females) or dance belt (males) under your leotard/dancewear). NO JEWELRY, NO GUM AND NO NAIL POLISH during <u>practice or auditions</u>.
Your hair must be in a secured/ neat ponytail with NO hair bow (NO Whispies, secure your hair!!!!). You must Wear shoes. It would be a good idea to practice in the shoes you plan to wear at tryouts.

Tryouts: You may wear any style black leotard and black pants/shorts. Dance sneakers/ jazz shoes (black or tan) or "ked" type tennis shoes (white or black). NO JEWELRY, NO GUM AND NO NAIL POLISH. Hair should be in a secured/neat ponytail, bangs need to be pinned out of your eyes (slick). Your makeup should be darker than what you wear on a daily basis (heavy blush, mascara, eyeliner, dark eye shadow and RED lipstick) RED LIPS ☺ (NOT pink, brown or mauve, RED!)

Who? Anyone entering grades 9-12 that meets the GISD eligibility requirements and approved to attend North Garland High School for the 2024-2025 school year may audition.

What if I don't make Mam'selles or La Petites?

Varsity Mam'selles and JV La Petites will be selected by a panel of qualified, outside judges. We highly encourage anyone who does not make the Varsity or JV Drill Team to join our Drill Prep class or Principles of Dance Classes to help prepare for tryouts again the following year. Please, see Ms. Numa or Ms. Portillo about joining drill prep or dance class at NGHS

We also have World Dance Company you can audition for in May.

North Garland High School Mam'selles & La Petites Line Tryouts 2024-2025

Dear Mam'selle & La Petite Hopefuls and Parents,

We are excited that you are considering becoming a member of our organization! Drill team has many wonderful benefits including great high school memories, lasting friendships, and a sense of pride that comes from being a part of a team. Even if you are unsure of your decision, please attend the practices, ask questions, and see what Varsity and JV Drill Team is all about!

General Information

In the upcoming year we will be working hard to grow as a team and experience new things. In the summer, Varsity will be attending <u>camp June 23-25</u> and JV will be doing a home camp during the week of <u>July 22-26th</u>. At camp we will learn most of our pep rally and some football routines. Varsity performs at all home and away Varsity football games, JV performs at select JV football games, both drill teams perform at select home basketball games, march in the Labor Day Parade, and the MLK Parade, and perform at various community events throughout the year. In the spring, we compete and host our annual spring show. Some years we even have the opportunity to take a trip to perform somewhere fun!

There are no prerequisites for becoming a Mam'selle or La Petite, such as having previous dance or studio experience. JV Drill team is open to 9-12th graders and Varsity is open to 10-12th graders. You just need a positive attitude and a willingness to learn and work hard. There is no set number that can be chosen to be on the team. Varsity practices begin in the morning either at 7:00 am, and we have some after school practices on Tuesday, or Thursday as needed. JV practices usually on Mondays during the fall semester and twice a week during the spring semester after school from 3:30-5:30. If you do not have a ride, do not worry as many of the Mam'selles and La Petites carpool to and from practices and are always willing to help each other.

I'm sure you are wondering about the cost of being a part of this organization. Varsity team members will pay for all practice, performance wear and team camp between April and August of their tryout year. JV team members will have payments from May to July for the school year. Please remember that the first year is the most expensive and the cost goes down considerably after that.

Fundraising is an intricate part of being a Mam'selles or La Petite and all members should be participating throughout the year but it is not required.

Mam'selles and La Petites...

- are role models for North Garland High School.
- uphold a high standard of behavior that is necessary for the integrity and reputation of the organization.
- develop respect for teammates, students, and teachers.
- tryout again every year to remain on the team.
- Varsity team members commit to a full year of drill team double blocked both A1 & B1. (PE/Fine Arts credit)
- JV team members commit to a full year of drill team single blocked on A days. (currently A2 but could move to B1. Also a PE/Fine Arts credit)
- are required to attend class and practice in person
- maintain passing grades each grading period. UIL Requirement
- attend all morning (7:00 am varsity only) and after school practices (4:30pm 6:30 pm varsity, 3:30-5:30 JV).
- are expected to meet high standards for practice and performance. Auditions are held for most performances.
- are knowledgeable of the GISD Varsity and JV Drill Team and North Garland High School Guidelines.

Mam'selles and JV Booster Club

All parents are encouraged to become involved and attend our booster club meetings. We meet to discuss fundraisers, upcoming events, parent participation, etc. It is free to join, and we need lots of help!

Please contact me with any additional questions you may have about tryouts or drill team. We look forward to seeing you!

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Ms. Numa's & Ms. Portillo's Contact Information

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Office Phone: 972-675-3120 ext.61039

Email: <u>Nnuma@garlandisd.net &</u> <u>Sportillo@garlandisd.net</u>

Feel free to contact us if you have any questions or concerns.

Tryout Checklist

- Attend the Tryout Meeting Tuesday March 26, 2024 at 6:30 pm in NGHS Library
- Join the 24-25 drill team tryout canvas page https://garlandisd.instructure.com/enroll/PDF6EX
- Read the 2024-2025 Fine Arts Handbook on canvas
- Turn in the following signed & completed items to Ms. Numa (Varsity) Ms. Portillo (JV) no later than Friday, April 19th at 3:15pm
- NGHS Drill Team Expectations and application signature page, attached to packet and on canvas
 - GISD Media Release Signature Page, attached to packet and on canvas
 - GISD Fine Arts Handbook Signature page, attached to packet and on canvas
 - UIL Concussion Acknowledgement Form, attached to packet and on canvas
 - GISD Pre Physical Evaluation Form Page 1 ONLY, attached to packet and on canvas
 - SCA awareness form, attached to packet and on canvas
 - Page 2 Physicals will be due before the first team practice on Tuesday, May 9th for varsity, June 3rd for JV., attached to packet and on canvas

Hopefuls with missing or incomplete forms will not be able to participate in tryouts or the tryout practices.

- Attend tryout practices Tuesday- Wednesday April 23- 24 in the NGHS Competition Gym from 5:00pm- 7:15pm
- Attend Mock tryouts Thursday, April 25 in the Competition Gym from 5:00-8:00 pm
 - Wear your exact tryout attire. Please see tryout information page for specific details.
 - We will have additional practice time that evening after mock tryouts for those that want to stay.
- Attend Tryouts Saturday, April 27th at Naaman Forest High School We will meet at 12:40 pm to check in and warm up. Tryouts should end no later than 3:30 pm
- All Veterans (Varsity & JV) must have met the 2023-2024 financial obligations and not have any outstanding payments due.

For Parents:

The Parents of the Mam'selles have organized and formed a "parent organization/Booster Club". The parents of each Mam'selle will automatically become a member of the "Parent Organization". The organization meets once a month at the high school for a formal meeting and to discuss upcoming dates and events. **The goal is to form a La Petite Booster Club during the 24-25 school year**

The main purpose of the Parent Organization is to provide the drill team with things that are not covered by the drill team budget such as water jugs, the traditional homecoming gifts, competition gifts, scholarships and the annual Spring Banquet. In addition, the Parent Organization has been able to assist the director with funds for costumes, camps, competition and spring show.

Please note: the parent organization fundraising committee may present <u>VOLUNTARY</u> fundraising opportunities to assist your family in raising dues.





<u>Mam'selle Calendar of Events/Payments</u>

The prices on the Mam'selle order form are not approximate and are subject to change.

Please do not let the financial investment of Mam'selles be your determining factor, all payments for the year are listed below and all payment due dates are announced with plenty of notice. Many required items may be purchased from graduating Mam'selles at Senior Sell Back Night at a reduced price. Most items will only be purchased once and used all three years of Mam'selles. If your child was a La Petite some items will carry over into Mam'selles. Remember that the first year is the most expensive and the cost will be SIGNIFICANTLY LESS in the following years.

April 2024

- 16th- Parent Booster meeting @ NGHS @ 7pm
- 19th- Spring Show @ NGHS (23-24 team members)
- 22nd May 3rd- Officer Candidates will teach & present during class time, be prepared- TBD**
 - 23rd 26th- Team Tryout Clinic at NGHS at 5:00pm- 7:15pm
 - 27th- Team Tryouts at- Naaman Forest High School @ 12:40pm- 3:30pm
 - 29th & 30th- Officer 24-25 Tryout Clinic
- 30th- Turn in all field uniforms and competition costumes cleaned (handwashed or dry cleaned)

May 2024

• 1st- Officer 23-24 Tryout Clinic Mock Tryouts "24-25 Varsity" will attend & vote 3:30pm- 9:00pm

• 4th- 24-25 Officer auditions

- 6th- 28th- 24-25 Team & Officer practice (Tuesday & Thursday after school) 345pm- 545pm
 - 7th- Vertical Raise Digital Cards fundraiser 24-25 team
 - 13th- Team Leader Uniform Fitting at NGHS- 430pm- 630pm
 - 16th- Parent Booster Meeting @ NGHS @ 7pm
 - 23rd- New Member Installation @NGHS Library- 24-25 Officers will plan
 - 28th- Team Banquet @ Atrium in downtown Garland @ 6pm
 - 29th- 31st- ADTS Officer Camp in Rockwall
 - 30th- Last day of school, no team practice

June 2024

- 1st- **Graduation- Congrats Class of 2023!!! 🐵 *
- 10th- 13th- Team Practice @ NGHS @ 1:30pm- 3:45pm
- 17th-20th-Team Practice @ NGHS @ 1:30pm-3:45pm
 - 21st- 23rd- SMU Team Camp

July 2024

- 1st- 30th- No Team Practice (Officers may have squad practice/<u>MANDATORY</u>)
 - **Booster Club may have summer fundraisers/ Carwashes etc... be prepared**
 - **NGHS Raider Rush- TBD- May be late July/ Early August**
 - 23rd- Pom Workshop w/ TJ Maple @ Waxahachie High School
 - (All Varsity Team Members will attend- bring \$20 entry fee)- MANDATORY

August 2024

- 1st- 2nd & 5th- 9th- Squad Practices- MANDATORY- You must attend minimum of "3" squad dances
 - 10th- Team Practice @ NGHS 2:30pm- 5:30pm
 - 12th- First Day of School
 - 15th-Senior Boot Painting after practice 630pm- 8:00pm
 - **TBD- Senior Banner Pics@ Garland High School
- 12th- 16th- Team Practice @ NGHS- (start time is 7:00am/7:30am; T & Th afterschool is 430pm- 630pm)
 - 19th- 23rd- Team Practice @ NGHS (start time is 7:00am; T & Th afterschool is 430pm- 630pm)
 - 25th- First Football Game vs. TBD
 - 26th- 30th- Team Practice @ NGHS (start time is 7:00am; T & Th afterschool is 430pm- 630pm)

Summer Squad Practices

All Mam'selles will be **required** to attend **five** additional practices in the summer with their officer! Various squad practices times and locations will be given to students before school lets out for summer.

Summer Dance Classes

ALL Mam'selles are encouraged to take dance classes during the summer break to continue to improve their technique. I encourage all of you to take technique, jazz and ballet classes. Below are some locations but you may attend the studio of your choosing.

XD2 Dance 1802 Pleasant Valley STE 330, Garland, TX 75040
Talent N More 1551 E Spring Valley Rd, Richardson, TX 75081
Dance FX 4125 Broadway Blvd #190, Garland, TX 75043

ITEM	QUANTITY	SIZE	PRICE
	с.	Items #1-11- Team Leader	
1.Fleur De Lis Black Top			\$20.00
2.Turquoise Top #2			\$10.00
3.Red Top #3			\$10.00
4.Purple Top #4			\$25.00
5.Performance tights (suggested			\$13.50
purchase (3-4 pairs)			+
6.Bloomers- red (line only)			\$10.00
7.Windsuit Jacket			\$58.00
8.Black Team Joggers			\$50.00
9.Mamselle Pride T-shirt			\$17.00
10.Sweatshirt (optional)			\$33.00
11. *Parent Shirt (optional)			
		Items #12- #18 Additional Vendors	
12. Black Sports Bra			\$20.00
13. Black Spandex Shorts			\$20.00
14. High Waisted Leggings			\$45.00
15. Jazz Shoes- Black			\$49.00
16. Jazz Shoes- Tan			\$49.00
17. **Practice Wind Shorts			\$45.00
18.*Team Tennis Shoes			\$65.00
19.Rhinestoned Headband			\$10.00
20.Performance Earrings			\$10.00
21.Field Boots			\$75.00
22.Field Hat			\$130.00/ \$150.00 (officer)
23.Letter Jacket			\$155.00
24.*Team Camp			\$400.00
(SMU)			φ+00.00
25.*2023-2024 Team			\$125.00
Activity Fee/ Booster Club			
(yearly team expenses: choreographer			
fees, team meals (3), spring shirt etc)			
		#26-33- Optional or Officer Items C	
26.*Team "NGHS" sparkle Backpack			
(optional)			\$80.00
27.*Letter Sweater (optional)			\$125.00
28.*Earmuffs (optional)	+		\$15.00
29.**Officer Hat Band			\$15.00
(Line, SGT/ Soc)			\$13.00
30. 2024- 25 Officer tank top	1		\$30.00
(all officers)			
31.**Line Officer Bloomers	+		\$10.00
32.**Rank Embroidery	+		\$10.00
(per item)			\$10.00
33.**Officer Camp	1		
(Social, Line & Sergeants)	1		\$600.00

*Indicates new item that must be reordered new from everyone on team with the exception of officer and optional items; optional

items with an asterisk are new items but not a mandatory purchase.

**Officer only items (returning officers may not need all officer clothing items).

Payment Schedule: **Veterans will owe less due to previously owning items * Take balance - \$400 (1st payment due May 1st), then

divide by three, this will determine your monthly payments.

Fundraising, sponsorships & purchasing previously owned items will help alleviate your costs**

If you make payments to the booster club pay pal account via credit/ debit card, make sure to include 5% service fee

Monday April 29th, 2024 \$400.00 (clothing/camp deposit- 1st Payment)

- Wednesday May 29th, 2024 \$300.00 or \$_
- Monday June 17th, 2024 \$300.00 or \$____

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Monday August 12th, 2024 Balance owed (if any) due \$_____

Total: _____ Ck# ____ Cash _

Varsity Mam'selle Standard of Uniformity

<u>Nails</u>: Nails must not exceed sports length and only nail color allowed during performances is french tip, natural color, nude, or no color.

Make up: The following is expected for team performances or appearances:

- Eye makeup must be a neutral/lighter color on the base of the eyelid. Examples are black or dark gray on the crease/ outer edge of the eyelid and a shimmery color on the eyelid. Eyeshadow should stand out and mascara or false eyelashes should be applied.
- Blush that stands out (red, dark pink or mauve), shimmery is acceptable but the color should be visible from a distance.
- Bright red lipsticks that will stay on for hours, Maybelline and Wet n Wild have affordable options.

<u>Hair:</u> Hair has been decided by a committee of students representing the diversity on our team. Natural color is expected at all times when in performing seasons. No whispies, flyaways or messy hair, hair must be neat and secure at all times.

- Camp: Hair should be secured and out of your face all of camp- hair needs to be neatly slicked back into a center part low ponytail.
- Football season: Hair is in neat pinned up French or dutch braids under your hat. *select games we will wear our hair half-up/ half- down.
- Basketball season: Hair is worn in competition French or dutch braids, pinned to the right side in a bun or pinned up in a crown (depending on the routine style). *select games we will wear our hair half-up/ half- down.
- Pep rally: Hair is worn in a slicked, neat, secured, center part low ponytail.
- Spring show: Hair is in neat pinned up French or dutch braids
- <u>competition season</u>: Hair is in neat pinned up French or dutch braids.

Hair should be a natural color for performances or events.

Hair tutorials and videos will be available to follow along and practice before the season begins.

Uniform Cleaning

**All uniforms and costumes should be hand washed in cold water with mild detergent (NO BLEACH) then laid out to dry unless otherwise instructed by the director. All uniforms and costumes must be washed before returning.

<u> 70 Standard of Uniformity</u>

<u>Nails</u>: Nails must not exceed sports length and the only nail color allowed during performances is french tip, natural color or no color.

Make up: The following is expected for team performances or appearances.

- Eye makeup must be a neutral color; examples are brown or gray on the crease and a shimmery color on the eyelid. No colorful eyeshadow like pinks, blues, purples, etc.
 Mascara on the eyelashes will help eyes stand out. False lashes are optional but required for any spring semester performance.
- Blush that stands out; shimmery is acceptable but the color should be visible from a distance.
- Bright red lipstick that will stay on for hours. We will purchase a team order of red lipstick for performances.

<u>Hair:</u> *a committee of students representing the diversity on our team have decided the hairstyles.*

- Camp: Hair should be secured and out of your face. During showoffs on the last day hair needs to be in a low slicked back ponytail, middle part.
- ◆ *Football season:* High slicked back ponytail, no part, curled.
- Basketball season and pep rallies: Hair must be in a low slicked back ponytail, middle part curled.
- Contest/Evaluation: Hair needs to be in a slicked back low donut bun, middle part, straight.
- ◆ *Spring Show:* low donut bun with a middle part.

Earrings: We do wear our team earrings for all performances. Pierced and clip on available. You will get one pair to start off with, additional pairs can be purchased throughout the year for \$3 pierced, \$6 clip on through Ms. Portillo.

Miscellaneous: Buns must be donut buns. Donut bun makers can be found at dollar stores, hair supply stores, amazon or created with a long sock. Donut bun holders need to match the dancer's hair color. Hair needs to be secured, slicked back with a hair net over the bun. High ponytails must be below the crown of the head. All pony tails must be slicked back and neatly secured with a hair tie that matches hair color. Hair should be a natural color for performances or events such as brown, black, red, or blonde.

Hair tutorials and videos will be available.

La Petites Expenses

Practice Wear & Paraphernalia from TeamLeader & DanzGear (cash or credit card) (all prices are estimated and including tax/shipping)

Payment #1: \$248

Pay to TeamLeader: \$198 Jazz shoes \$49 Warm-up jacket \$48 Dance tights (2) \$28 Game day shirt \$13 Black team jogger pants \$40 Red tank top \$8 Pink tank top \$8 Delivery fee \$4 Payment #2: \$226.50 Pay to DanzGear: \$101.50 Team Sports Bra \$26 Team Shorts \$25.50 Team Leggings \$50

Pay to NGHS La Petites: \$125 Fall team expenses \$50 Team boots \$75

Pay to NGHS La Petites: \$50

Camp deposit \$50

Payment #3 \$100 Cash or check payable to La Petites Camp and technique fee \$100

<u>Payment #4</u> \$75 towards 2 team meals, team lipstick, team earrings and spring t shirt <u>Grand total: \$650</u>

Additional items needed:

Links on where you can purchase some of these will be on the team canvas page under modules. You must have these items by July 22nd

- Black or gray sports bras, solid black leggings and black t-shirt or tank top to wear during practices
- Running shoes. Can be any brand but must be supportive to run/jump. Pictures and links for examples will be provided. This will be for running/field days, you must have appropriate shoes to avoid injuries!

Payment due dates

- Monday May 13, 2024 Team Leader and to NGHS La Petites, total \$248 \$177 to TeamLeader minimum, there will be extras such as parent t shirt, la petite sweatshirt or if you want to order multiples of things. (cash, card or money order): Time slots for the team fittings will be on canvas. Order forms will be available in person and on the canvas team page. You will also be measured for your uniform, get sizing for drill team boots and items from Danzgear. Money orders payable to TeamLeader. Also, a \$50 camp deposit, payment can be cash or check payable to La Petites.
- Monday June 3, 2024 Total \$226.50. \$101.50 will be paid online to DanzGear and \$125 cash or check to NGHS La Petites for fall expenses such as pink out shirt, select game day meal, team ribbon and team boots.
- Monday, July 8, 2024 \$100 payment to La Petites cash or check to La Petites. Remaining camp and technique payment.
- Wednesday, July 22, 2023 \$75 cash or check to La Petites. This is for team expenses such as spring t shirt, pink out shirt, team earrings, team lipstick and meals.

<u> 70 Drill Important dates</u>

Parent Information/Sign-Up Meeting: Tuesday, March 26, 2024 at 6:30 pm in the NGHS Library. Please park in the back of the school by the glass doors with stairs for entrance access. Library will be on the second floor between the 200-300 hall. We will review all information for our dance team tryouts.

Tryouts: Learning routines: Mandatory April 23-26th from 5 pm - 7:15 pm and actual tryouts will be at Naaman Forest High School on Saturday, April 27th at 12:40 pm-3:30 pm. Times could change.

Uniform Fittings: Monday May 13th from 4:30-6 pm

Location TBD but at North Garland HS. Sign up times will be posted on the team band app. Please sign up for a time and bring cash, money order or credit card in person. If you are unable to attend, please contact Ms. Portillo and pay online. Uniform fittings is where you will be measured for your uniform and view sizes to help you fill out your Team Leader order form. There will also be an opportunity for you to purchase used items from former La Petites if you are interested.

<u>Summer virtual learning</u>: Students will be given dance material to learn at home through video to prepare for the year. More information will be provided during the summer on canvas. Students are highly encouraged to also take dance classes at local dance studios.

<u>**Team mandatory summer practice:**</u> Monday, June 3, Tuesday, June 4 and

Wednesday, June 5th from 9 am to 12 pm. Monday, July 22 and Tuesday, July 23

from 9 am- 3 pm (dates or times are subject to change due to space availability. Week

would stay the same, still waiting on location confirmation)

La Petites must wear appropriate dance attire, hair up in a pony tail, and bring water.

ADTS Team Camp: Week of July 22-26th from 8am - 8 pm at North Garland, specific location and times to be determined. It would be a 7 hour window, 2 days will be team practices and 3 will be camp with ADTS. Just reserve that week and once we have an actual schedule and location, we will share it. It will most likely be at NGHS but it could move to another nearby campus. Students will learn a variety of routines to prepare them for the year. Parent show off will be on the last day. More information will be available at a later date.

Officer Tryouts: in August - TBD

This is a great opportunity for those interested in a leadership role on the team. More information will be sent out later.

*Detailed calendars will be available on the BAND APP and google calendar by team fittings in May. During the fall semester, <u>most</u> after school practices will be from 3:30-5:30 pm on Mondays. JV games are on Wednesdays or Thursdays. We will attend 3 varsity games, Labor Day parade, perform at winter show and other local events. During the spring semester, we participate in some basketball games, evaluations, and spring show. Practices for evaluation/competitions in the spring semester are usually 2 a week from 3:30-6:15 pm.

NGHS Drill Team Expectations and application signature page.

- 1. Being on time means, sitting in your squad in drill team position with your hair tied up, jazz shoes on, and water bottle next to you. If it's a day you need to bring your poms, prop, or an item to turn in, you must have it with you at the beginning of practice when we meet in squads.
- 2. Phones should be put away and not used during practice time unless instructed to do so. Phones should be silenced or turned off.
- 3. Students are expected to check the team band app daily for updates, information and any possible message from the director.
- 4. Our team has student leaders in place to help support the director and team. They will message their squad members from time to time. It is important that each member communicates with their officer when necessary.
- 5. All items and costumes borrowed must be returned clean and in good conditions. Specific instructions will be given on how to wash specific costumes or uniform pieces. General rule is to gently hand wash and air dry each piece. Please refer to cleaning instructions given by the director prior to cleaning any item.
- 6. If you need to sign the point book due to any demerit, you must have your merits with you at the beginning of practice to turn in.
- 7. Demerits will be recorded at the beginning of each practice. Merits should be presented at that time. Demerits received at a performance will be documented in the following practice.
- 8. All black practice day: Dancers must wear a fitted tank top or t-shirt with leggings or shorts. Tops and bottom must be solid black and fitted.
- 9. If a drill team member goes to tutorials after school when we have practice, they must return no later than 3:40 pm with a teacher note. Students must inform their director when they are going to attend a tutorial that conflicts with any practice time.
- 10. If a drill team member is going to be absent or late, they must message the director through the Band app before the meeting time.
- 11. In case of an injury, students can visit the athletic trainer **before or after practices.** Appointments are made directly with the athletic trainer and directors must be notified if the appointment runs into practice time.
- 12. Do not get a new piercing that requires you to keep jewelry on. Zero jewelry for practices and events unless it is the team earrings. Having a fresh piercing is not an excuse to wear jewelry. Handbook states no jewelry including spacers for practices and events. A new piercing does not exempt that.

SCAN QR CODE FOR GOOGLE FORM APPLICATION https://forms.gle/7kKJ89DroC1ibzt7A

I have read the drill team application and understand all payment requirements, time commitment and expectations. I will follow the handbook and all expectations. I will make sure I am doing my best to stay organized, communicate with my team members and directors, and be prepared for each practice and performance. I agree to follow the director, officers, and other members in charge of the drill team duties.

Student name printed	Date	
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Student signature _____ Date _____

I state that I have read the attached information and I will support the director and school policy concerning the drill team. I understand there are scheduling, financial, and time obligations that must be met. I understand that all payments are non-refundable and I am required to pay for all items I order regardless.

Parent/guardian name printed	Date	
Parent/guardian signature	Date	

