



**SPRAYBERRY
CHEERLEADING**

***WELCOME TO THE 2024-2025
TRYOUT INFORMATION
MEETING!***

PLEASE SIGN IN!

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**SPRAYBERRY
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FOOTBALL COMPETITION TRYOUTS

MARCH 4 – MARCH 13, 2023

5:00PM – 6:30PM

SHS MAIN GYM



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BASKETBALL TRYOUTS

MARCH 11 – MARCH 13, 2024

6:30PM – 7:30PM

SHS MAIN GYM



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TRYOUT RESULTS

RESULTS WILL BE POSTED TO
[SPRAYBERRYCHEERLEADING.COM](https://sprayberrycheerleading.com)
ON FRIDAY MARCH 15, 2023



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TRYOUT PROCESS

THE TRYOUT PROCESS FOR SPRAYBERRY IS NOT LIKE OTHER PROGRAMS. IT IS A CONSTANT EVALUATION OVER A (10 DAYS MAXIMUM) WHERE A CANDIDATE'S ABILITIES AS A CHEERLEADER ARE MEASURED. THE COACHING STAFF WILL MEET EACH EVENING TO DISCUSS WHAT THEY HAVE SEEN EACH DAY AND WHAT THEY ARE IMPRESSED OR UNIMPRESSED WITH IN THE PARTICIPANTS.



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TRYOUT PROCESS

CANDIDATES WILL BE EVALUATED ON THEIR ABILITIES IN THE AREAS OF MOTION SEQUENCES, SHORT DANCES, JUMPS, TUMBLING, STUNTING, LEADERSHIP, TEAMWORK, FLOOR PRESENCE, AND COACHABILITY.



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TRYOUT PROCESS

TRYOUTS ARE CLOSED TO ANYONE OUTSIDE OF THE COACHING STAFF AND THOSE ATHLETES PARTICIPATING IN TRYOUTS.



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ALL TRYOUT MATERIAL (CHANTS, CHEERS, DANCE, ETC) IS POSTED TO [SPRAYBERRYCHEERLEADING.COM](http://sprayberrycheerleading.com)

APPLICANTS ARE EXPECTED TO REVIEW AND KNOW THE MATERIAL PRIOR TO TRYOUTS!



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TEAM PLACEMENT

ALL SQUADS WILL BE FILLED BASED ON ATHLETE'S SKILLS AND THE TEAM/PROGRAM NEEDS.

WE DO NOT FILL TEAMS ON A "CHEER FOR PEERS" MODEL.



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TEAM PLACEMENT

VARSITY COMPETITION / FOOTBALL:

9-12TH GRADE

VARSITY BASKETBALL:

9-12TH GRADE

JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL:

9-11TH GRADE

***JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL:**

9-11TH GRADE

***FRESHMAN FOOTBALL:**

9TH GRADE

***SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY**



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ELIGIBILITY

ALL CANDIDATES MUST BE ACADEMICALLY ELIGIBLE PER THE COBB COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT POLICIES

- ***EARN AT MINIMUM 2.5 CREDITS THE PREVIOUS SEMESTER AND HAVE MINIMUM TOTAL CREDITS:**
 - **10TH GRADE – 5 CREDITS**
 - **11TH GRADE – 11 CREDITS**
 - **12TH GRADE – 17 CREDITS**



ELIGIBILITY

FRESHMEN JUST HAVE TO MAKE IT TO HIGH SCHOOL!



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ELIGIBILITY

**CANDIDATES MUST HAVE ALL REQUIRED PAPERWORK
SUBMITTED BEFORE THE START OF TRYOUTS.**



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ELIGIBILITY

REQUIRED PAPERWORK:

- 1. TRYOUT APPLICATION**
- 2. PHOTO (POSED SCHOOL/ATHLETICS OR HEADSHOT)**
- 3. VALID CCSD PHYSICAL**
- 4. SIGNED FINAL PAGE OF THE APPLICATION**



ELIGIBILITY

**ATHLETIC PHYSICALS REQUIREMENT:
PER COBB COUNTY GUIDELINES, ALL ATHLETES WHO
PARTICIPATE IN AN ATHLETIC EVENT (TRYOUTS
INCLUDED) MUST HAVE A CURRENT PHYSICAL ON FILE
PRIOR TO THE START OF TRYOUTS.**

**ANY CHEERLEADER WHO WAS A MEMBER OF 2023-2024
TEAM AT SPRAYBERRY CURRENTLY HAS A PHYSICAL ON
FILE BUT WILL NEED TO ENSURE THAT IT HAS NOT
EXPIRED.**



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ELIGIBILITY

**ALL CANDIDATES NEW TO THE ATHLETICS DEPARTMENT
MUST HAVE A PHYSICAL COMPLETED PRIOR TO THE
START OF TRYOUTS.**



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CHEERLEADER EXPECTATIONS

ALL CHEERLEADERS ARE REQUIRED TO ABIDE BY A SET OF HIGH STANDARDS BOTH ON AND OFF THE FIELD AND/OR COURT. PLEASE REVIEW THE SPRAYBERRY HIGH SCHOOL CHEERLEADING CONSTITUTION THAT IS AVAILABLE AT WWW.SPRAYBERRYCHEERLEADING.COM



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UNIFORMS

IN 2016 AND FOR VARIOUS REASONS, THE DECISION WAS MADE SO THAT CHEERLEADERS WOULD PURCHASE THEIR SIDELINE UNIFORMS WHICH WOULD BE USED FOR TWO SEASONS.

THE 2024-2025 SEASON WILL BE THE FIRST YEAR OF OUR 5TH EVOLUTION OF NEW UNIFORMS CONSISTENT WITH THE SCHOOL'S BRANDING.



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UNIFORMS FOR 2024-2026

TOP SECRET



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WARM-UPS FOR 2022



PROGRAM COSTS

THESE FEES COVER UNIFORMS, WARM-UPS, PRACTICE APPAREL, BOWS, COLD WEATHER GEAR, FACILITY FEES, TRAVEL EXPENSES, COACHING EXPENSES, MEALS, EQUIPMENT, ETC.

WE OFFER VARIOUS FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES THROUGHOUT THE SEASON FOR THOSE INTERESTED OR IN NEED.



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PROGRAM COSTS – NEW ATHLETE

VARSITY FOOTBALL/COMPETITION	VARSITY BASKETBALL	JUNIOR VARSITY
\$500 – BOOSTER CLUB FEE	\$500 – BOOSTER CLUB FEE	\$500 – BOOSTER CLUB FEE
\$450 – UNIFORM	\$450 – UNIFORM	\$450 – UNIFORM
\$175 – WARM-UP	\$175 – WARM-UP	\$175 – WARM-UP
\$150 – APPAREL	\$150 – APPAREL	\$150 – APPAREL
\$300 – COMPETITION FEES		
TOTAL: \$1575	TOTAL: \$1275	TOTAL: \$1275

***ANY CHEERLEADER WHO CHEERS FOR THE FOOTBALL/COMPETITION SEASON AND BASKETBALL SEASON WILL HAVE AN ADDITIONAL \$250 BOOSTER CLUB FEE ADDED FOR THE BASKETBALL SEASON. PAYMENT WILL BE COLLECTED IN AUGUST 2024.**

****MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 2025 WILL HAVE AN ADDITIONAL “SENIOR SWAG” FEE OF \$150 WHICH WILL COVER SENIOR ITEMS SUCH AS MEGAPHONE, BANNERS, SENIOR NIGHT ITEMS, ETC. THIS FEE WILL BE COLLECTED IN JULY.**



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PROGRAM COSTS – RETURNER

VARSITY FOOTBALL/COMPETITION	VARSITY BASKETBALL	JUNIOR VARSITY
\$500 – BOOSTER CLUB FEE	\$500 – BOOSTER CLUB FEE	\$500 – BOOSTER CLUB FEE
\$450 – UNIFORM	\$450 – UNIFORM	\$450 – UNIFORM
\$150 – APPAREL	\$150 – APPAREL	\$150 – APPAREL
\$300 – COMPETITION FEES		
TOTAL: \$1400	TOTAL: \$1100	TOTAL: \$1100

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PAYMENT SCHEDULE – NEW ATHLETE

	VARSITY FOOTBALL/COMPETITION	VARSITY BASKETBALL	JUNIOR VARSITY
MADE-IT MEETING:	\$500	\$500	\$500
APRIL 24:	\$400	\$400	\$400
MAY 22:	\$375	\$375	\$375
JUNE 22:	\$300		
TOTAL:	\$1575	\$1275	\$1275

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MAY 22:	\$300	\$150	\$150
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DATES TO REMEMBER

APPLICATIONS DUE:	FEBRUARY 26
APPLICATION REVIEW:	FEBRUARY 27 – MARCH 1
TRYOUTS BEGIN:	MARCH 4
TRYOUTS CONCLUDE:	MARCH 13
TEAMS POSTED:	MARCH 15
FBC MADE-IT MEETING:	MARCH 18 (SHSCBC PAYMENT 1 DUE)
BB MADE-IT MEETING:	MARCH 19 (SHSCBC PAYMENT 1 DUE)
APRIL 8:	OFF SEASON WORKOUTS BEGIN
APRIL 22:	SHSCBC PAYMENT 2 DUE
MAY 6:	UNIFORM & WARM-UP FITTING
MAY 22:	SHSCBC 3RD PAYMENT DUE
MAY 27 – JUNE 2:	GHSA DEAD WEEK 1
JUNE 3-7:	STUNT & SIDELINE CAMP
JUNE 11:	SUMMER PRACTICES BEGIN
JUNE 24-28:	VARSITY COMPETITION CHOREOGRAPHY CAMP
JULY 1-5:	GHSA DEAD WEEK 2
JULY 8-12	LITTLE JACKET CHEER CAMP
JULY 27:	TEAM & INDIVIDUAL PICTURE DAY (TENTATIVE)
AUGUST 1:	1ST DAY OF SCHOOL & FALL PRACTICES BEGIN



COMPETITION SCHEDULE

THE PROCESS OF BUILDING THE 2024 COMPETITION SCHEDULE WILL BEGIN IN JUNE AND WILL CONCLUDE IN AUGUST. COMPETITION LOCATIONS ARE DEPENDENT ON THOSE SCHOOLS HOSTING AND COMPETITIONS THAT MAKE (HAVE A MINIMUM NUMBER OF TEAMS REGISTERED TO GET APPROVAL FROM GHSA).

POTENTIAL COMPETITION DATES:

SEPTEMBER 14, 21

OCTOBER 12, 19, 26

NOVEMBER 2, 8, 9

UNTIL THE SCHEDULE IS FINALIZED, NO “OUTSIDE OF CHEERLEADING” ACTIVITIES SHOULD BE SCHEDULED BY MEMBERS OF THE VARSITY FOOTBALL/COMPETITION TEAM.



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FALL BREAK 2024

SEPTEMBER 23-27, 2024

AS OF RIGHT NOW THERE ARE NO FOOTBALL GAMES SCHEDULED FOR FALL BREAK 2024, HOWEVER THINGS COULD CHANGE.

THERE ARE FOOTBALL GAMES THE WEEK GOING INTO THE BREAK (SEPTEMBER 19 & 20) AND THERE MAY BE A COMPETITION SCHEDULED FOR SEPTEMBER 21.

PLAN ACCORDINGLY.



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SAT / ACT TEST DATES – FALL 2024

DATE	TEST
AUGUST 24, 2024	SAT
SEPTEMBER 7, 2024	ACT
OCTOBER 5, 2024	SAT
OCTOBER 26, 2024	ACT
NOVEMBER 2, 2024	SAT
DECEMBER 7, 2024	ACT & SAT

***THESE ARE ANTICIPATED DATES**



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SPRAYBERRY CHEER CALENDAR

THE FULL CALENDAR CAN BE ACCESSED AT

WWW.SPRAYBERRYCHEERLEADING.COM/CALENDAR

**THIS IS A LIVE DOCUMENT AND WILL BE UPDATED
THROUGHOUT THE SEASON AS EVENT DATES AND TIMES
ARE ESTABLISHED**



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TRYOUT MATERIALS

VISIT WWW.SPRAYBERRYCHEERLEADING.COM

APPLICATIONS ARE DUE MONDAY FEBRUARY 26, 2024

****NEW THIS YEAR!! – THE FINAL PAGE (SIGNATURE PAGE)
OF THE APPLICATION MUST BE PRINTED AND SUBMITTED
IN PERSON!**



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QUESTIONS?



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