



Welcome to World Class Athletics All-Star Cheerleading and Dance Program! World Class is a privately owned organization which focuses on competitive cheerleading and dance. These guidelines are to help you understand the rules and standards that allow us to operate a championship caliber All-Star program. If you feel that you cannot accept these guidelines, we understand as a staff this may not be the program for you and/or your child.

Our teams are strictly competition/performance groups. The primary focus will be to prepare & compete in national competitions. Teams also participate in several local/regional competitions, demonstrations and exhibitions. During the course of this season, the teams will focus on all of the components of competitive cheer including (but not limited to): tumbling, jumps, motions, pyramids, partner stunts, dance and showmanship.

Teams and their scheduled times of practice will be announced on the front door of the gym and our website www.worldclassathleticsllc.com. Each athlete will be given a number at the time of their tryout. Please be sure to keep track of this number.

\$45 registration fee is due at tryouts. Pro-rated May tuition of \$100 is due at the first practice. First practices will start the week of May 14th. Throughout the month of May, we will have practices by skill level to further evaluate athletes until teams are formed. Team placements will be announced on June 1st & team practices will begin the week of June 4th. Athletes will be placed on a level that they are able to perform skills with confidence.

****If you did not turn in a birth certificate during the 2017-18 season, you must provide a copy at tryouts.****

IMPORTANT DATES

Please keep in mind that the gym will normally close according to the school calendar.

- May 28, 2018- Gym closed for Memorial Day
- July 1st-July 8, 2018- Gym closed for Independence Week
- June-August 2018- Reserved for World Class Choreography Camps
- September 3, 2018- Gym closed for Labor Day
- October 31, 2018- Gym closed for Halloween
- November 18-25, 2018- Gym closed for Thanksgiving break
- Dec. 22, 2018-Jan. 6, 2019- Gym closed for Christmas & New Years
- March 17-24, 2019- Gym closed from Spring Break

***There will be extra practices scheduled during competition season for no additional charge. Therefore, there will be no tuition reductions for the vacation days above.**

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

Q: How much does it cost?

A: Approximately \$1500-\$3,500 per season (May 2018-May 2019). While we try to keep expenses the same each year, please keep in mind that this price may change slightly depending on which team your child makes.

Q: How do you select teams?

A: World Class will select teams by a combination of age, skill level and experience. WCA strives to build teams to be as competitive as possible in each division. Please trust that our staff will choose the best team for your child where they will be able to perform with confidence.

Q: If my child doesn't know how to tumble, will he/she be able to participate?

A: Absolutely. Our program is designed so that every child will have the opportunity to cheer on a team. We pride ourselves in the training program and will teach our athletes how to master the required skills to become competitive.

Q: When can my child "move up" to another squad?

A: Your child can "move up" when he/she reaches the appropriate age and skill level required. Please trust that World Class cares about your child's safety and progression. We place our athletes carefully to ensure they will have the most successful competitive season possible at World Class Athletics.

Q: How/when do we get our uniforms?

A: We will have uniform and practice wear fitting sometime after team selections. Uniforms will arrive to the gym for pick up before our first competition.

Q: Why don't team practices include tumbling training time?

A: Team practices are meant to prepare the teams for competition based on the skills they already have. Individual tumbling skills should be developed through the tumbling classes and private lessons available to you (outside of team practices). Please see the front desk to sign up for a tumbling class or private lesson if you expect your child to perfect NEW tumbling skills this season.

Q: What competitions will we attend?

A: Our competition schedule will be released in the summer. While we may attend different competitions throughout each season, World Class Athletics focuses on Varsity brand and/or other events to ensure the best competitive experiences available to you and your family.

TUITION/PAYMENT INFORMATION

ALL PAYMENTS SHOULD BE MADE TO WORLD CLASS ATHLETICS.

ALL BALANCES MUST BE PAID IN FULL PRIOR TO YOUR TRYOUT. NO EXCEPTIONS.

MONTHLY TUITION RATES

Tiny Team- \$150.00 (per month)

Mini Team- \$200.00 (per month)

Youth, Junior or Senior Team- \$225.00 (per month)

MULTI-CHILD DISCOUNT:

1st additional child- \$25.00 Monthly Tuition Discount

2nd additional child- \$50.00 Monthly Tuition Discount

3rd additional child- \$75.00 Monthly Tuition Discount

***Please keep in mind that tuition costs vary depending on each teams' competition schedule and number of practices per week. ***

Monthly Tuition Includes:

- All weekly practices from May 2018-May 2019
- All Competition Fees
- Extra Practices

Monthly Tuition DOES NOT include:

- Annual registration fee
- Practice wear, Uniform, Bow Make up & Shoes
- USASF athlete membership
- Hotel & Travel
- Choreography & Music
- Worlds/Summit/Bid events

TUITION/PAYMENT INFORMATION

Your monthly fees will be billed to your World Class account on the 1st of each month. Fees are due on or before the 5th of each month. **On the 6th of each month, any outstanding balance will be charged to the card/bank account provided in your tryout packet.** World Class Athletics accepts cash, debit, checks, electronic checks and all major credit cards. You may also pay online at www.worldclassathleticsllc.com

If you have any questions about your account, feel free to contact the office.

COST ESTIMATE (EXCLUDING MONTHLY TUITION)

Choreography & Music Fee \$275

Uniform (Girls): To be determined (was \$438.70)

Uniform (Boys): To be determined (was \$401.25)

Uniform (Tiny Team): To be determined (was \$214)

2018 Bow, Make up & Cheer Shoes: To be determined

Your uniform, bow and cheer shoes will be ordered through World Class Athletics. All athletes will wear the same style shoes & make up.

WORLD CLASS ATHLETICS FINANCIAL STABILITY CLAUSE

If for any reason your account gets behind, we have built in some extra time to get these amounts paid. In an effort to keep account balances at a manageable level, World Class Athletics has implemented a Financial Stability Clause. For the 2018-2019 season, balances must be below a certain dollar amount in order for each cheerleader to continue to practice and/or compete.

The measurement dates are as follows and are based on what has been billed through that date:

Measurement Date	Balance must be:
August 6 th , 2018	\$500 or below
October 6 th , 2018	\$400 or below
December 6 th , 2018	\$300 or below
February 6 th , 2019	\$200 or below
April 6 th , 2019	\$0 (no exceptions)

FINANCIAL COMMITMENT/CREDIT CARD

FINANCIAL COMMITMENT

I have read the Tuition/Payment Information and fully understand my commitment to World Class Athletics. I **understand that my commitment is for the entire 2018-2019 competitive season.** I understand that I am giving my credit/debit card and/or bank information. This information will be used if I do not meet payment deadlines to World Class Athletics. **I understand that I will forfeit any monies paid if I choose to leave a team or am asked to leave the program.** I understand that I am entering into this program of my own free will.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name as it appears on the card: _____

Billing Address: _____

Type of Card: _____

Credit Card Number: _____

Expiration date: _____ CVC code on back of card: _____

Card Holder's Signature: _____

Cheerleader's Name: _____

Card Holder Cell Phone Number: _____

Card Holder Email Address: _____

OR

Name of Bank: _____

Bank Account Number: _____ Routing Number: _____

EVERYONE is required to submit credit/debit card/bank account information and to be on auto-pay.

It is your responsibility to inform the office of any changes to this card.

Monthly fees are billed to your World Class account on the 1st of every month. Payment is expected on or before the 5th of each month. The card/bank will be charged for any outstanding balance on the 6th.

May tuition is pro-rated to \$100 & is due at the first team practice the week of May 14th.

BASIC INFORMATION

Member Information Form

Mother's Name
First: _____ Last: _____

Father's Name
First: _____ Last: _____

Phone Number(s)
Mother Cell: _____ Father Cell: _____
Mother Email: _____ Father Email: _____
Emergency Contact Name: _____

Billing Address
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Student Information
First Name: _____ Last Name: _____
Birthday: _____ School: _____

Insurance Information
Insurance Carrier: _____ Policy #: _____
Carrier's Phone #: _____ Group #: _____

TRAVEL INFORMATION

- All out of town trips are family trips. Cheerleaders will need to stay with their parents at the hotel and at the competition. If a child will be attending a competition without their parents, arrangements will need to be made for them to stay with another parent ahead of time. Please plan accordingly!
- Some competitions are "Stay to Play" events. At those events, athletes are required to stay at a certain hotel. Blocks of rooms will be booked under the World Class Athletics name. Cheerleaders and their families will be required to stay at a hotel within the block. If it is not a Stay to Play event, you may book a hotel of your choice.
- Travel destinations may vary depending on your child's team.
- It is your responsibility to pay the hotel directly for your room.
- Bus service may be provided at some competitions. The cost of the bus is an additional fee and will be billed to your gym account as needed.
- All World Class athletes are required to travel several times per season. Please keep in mind that your athlete may be missing a few days of the school year. Please keep up with assignments, homework and attendance throughout your 2018-2019 school year so these travel days do not inconvenience your child's academics.

CHOREOGRAPHY & MUSIC

Choreography camp includes a national championship caliber routine & professional music.

- Choreography camp is MANDTAORY for all World Class athletes. If a member is unable to attend camp, the choreographer will build an open position for them and the Choreography & Music fee will still be charged. Choreography is based on the number of members built into the routine, not just those who are physically present.
- New and veteran members joining after camp must also pay the Choreography & Music fee in order to be put into the routine. There is no discount regardless of when your athlete joins the team.

All music, choreography, dances, stunts and pyramids presented to the athletes of World Class Athletics are to remain completely confidential. Routines and ideas should not be discussed, taught or shown to anyone that is not on your 2018-2019 team. **NO EXCEPTIONS.** Please help us remain a winning program by maintaining confidentiality.

PROGRAM RULES/CODE OF CONDUCT

If you have any questions or concerns, please use the following chain of command:

1. Team Mom/Dad 2. Head Coach 3. Greg Green and/or CJ Green

ANY PROBLEMS OR CONFLICTS SHOULD BE BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE WORLD CLASS MANAGEMENT IMMEDIATELY AND NOT TO OTHER PARENTS AND/OR ATHLETES. NO DRAMA!

- World Class Athletics maintains the right to refuse services at any time.
- World Class Athletics may add, subtract or change any rule at any time.
- Good sportsmanship and good manners are mandatory for athletes and family members at all scheduled events. **Please remember you are representing the entire WCA program.**
- NO GOSSIP** about any other child, parent or team(s) will be tolerated (school or all star). **NO GOSSIP** about WCA coaches, owners and staff. If this policy is violated, you will be asked to leave World Class Athletics immediately.
- Please remember that World Class is responsible for many children. Ensure your child's safety by dropping off/picking up **ON TIME**. Coaches are booked throughout the day and require the gym space for other teams, classes and private lessons.
- You must arrive at all WCA scheduled events **ON TIME**. Punctuality is a must. Tardiness could result in indirect consequences for your child.
- It is your responsibility to wear the correct practice wear, hair-style and bow to each practice. Conditioning will be given to those who do not comply. Please look presentable at each practice!
- During practice times, your opinions do not count. All decisions regarding the team are left to the discretion of the coaches. Please respect your coach's professional opinions.
- Please feel free to speak to your coach about anything. However, keep in mind there is always a time and a place. For example: approaching your coach during team practice, class time, a private lesson or in front of other parents is inappropriate.
- Practice times may be altered at any point in the season if necessary.
- Extra practices will be scheduled during the season when/if necessary.
- Anyone threatening to pull their child from a team may be asked to leave WCA immediately.

- Withholding a child from practice should never be used as a form of punishment. Please keep the disciplinary action(s) of your child separate from the sport.
- Homework will never be an acceptable excuse for missing a scheduled World Class event. Please plan ahead and schedule accordingly to complete all of your individual responsibilities.
- Never post negative comments on social media about World Class Athletics. This includes (but is not limited to): Facebook, twitter, Instagram, Vine, KIK, text messaging, email etc.
- The coaches reserve the right to close practices to the public at any time for any reason.
- It is the responsibility of the parent to know what is going on at all times. Please check your email regularly and keep in touch with your Team Mom/Dad.
- Parents, relatives and athletes are never to speak negatively to competition event staff. If you have an issue at a competition or event, WAIT UNTIL WE GET BACK TO THE GYM. Remember you are representing World Class Athletics, owners and staff. Please do NOT try to handle a situation by yourself. It could result in an athlete, spectator, team or program being disqualified.
- There will be no arguing or questioning of the coaching staff's decisions at competitions.
- If a conflict arises and you feel it needs to be addressed, please contact CJ Green. A meeting will be set up for all parties involved to find a solution that is best for everyone.
- Alcohol or substance abuse at a competition or scheduled WCA event will result in immediate expulsion from the team. NO EXCEPTIONS!
- World Class may close practices to parents and friends if "parent issues" become distracting to the teams or coaches. Please mind your manners so that everyone has a chance to attend their child's practice time.

World Class Athletics understands that no one is perfect. However, we do expect all athletes and parents to be respectful throughout the 2018-2019 season. As an All-Star Program, World Class will continue to strive for perfection while maintaining an enjoyable and rewarding atmosphere for our athletes and families. If cheerleading becomes unpleasant for you or your child, please schedule a meeting with the World Class Athletics Staff. Most problems can be solved in a professional and adult manner when brought to the attention of the staff. Please do not expect a situation to change without bringing it to the attention of World Class Athletics.

2018-2019
COMMITMENT STATEMENT

All-Star cheerleading and dance is a competitive sport which necessitates practice, hard work, sacrifice, teamwork and commitment. I am willing to make the World Class Athletics Program a top priority in my child's life and will do my very best to be as cooperative, supportive, flexible and understanding as possible. We understand the commitment that we are making as a family to the World Class staff, coaches and other team members. We intend to participate for the entire year from May 2018 to May 2019. If for some reason, circumstances occur which require our departure from the program; we do not expect any refund of fees or competition expenses and understand that we may not participate in another All-Star Program within 75 miles until the following season (2019-2020). I understand that fees are due on the 1st of the month. I understand that if my payment is not received by the 5th of each month, my provided credit/debit card or bank account will be automatically charged on the 6th. If my account is not paid by the 10th of each month, there will be a \$10 late fee charged to my account. I understand that some days of school will be missed in order to attend competitions. I understand that teams practice a minimum of twice per week (excluding tiny & prep divisions) during our regular season and possibly an extra day during the week of a scheduled competition. I understand that my child is required to attend all World Class Athletics scheduled performances, competitions and events. I understand that if my child misses practice the week of a scheduled competition he/she will not be able to compete at that event. I understand that the teams plan to participate in approximately 10-12 performances/competitions per season. I understand that some events require overnight accommodations and travel arrangements. I understand that a squad member can be dismissed from the team for missing an excessive amount of practices, any violation of the Program Code of Conduct or for any other inappropriate behavior World Class management does not approve of. I understand that consistent negative conversation and gossip will not be tolerated and will result in removal from World Class Athletics. I understand that if my child quits or is asked to leave the program, my child is not allowed to participate in another All-Star program within 75 miles of World Class Athletics. I understand that if my child does participate in another All-Star program within the duration of the 2018-2019 competitive season, World Class Athletics will pursue legal actions. I have familiarized myself with the contents of this handbook. I acknowledge, understand, accept and agree to comply with the program guidelines provided. I understand this handbook is not intended to cover every situation that could arise during the season. If my account balance is not current, I understand that my child will not be able to participate in practices and/or competitions until my balance is current. I understand that this signed commitment statement/non-compete contract will be maintained and enforced for the entire 2018-2019 season or for the duration of my athlete's participation in the World Class Athletics All-Star Program.

Athlete Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

TEAM MOM/DAD FORM

Cheerleader Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ County: _____ Zip: _____

School: _____ Grade: _____ Birth Date: _____

Medical Conditions/Allergies: _____

Cheerleader Cell #: _____ Email: _____

Mother's Name: _____ Mother's Cell #: _____

Mother's Email: _____

Father's Name: _____ Father's Cell #: _____

Father's Email: _____

Text messaging & Email is our most frequent form of communication. Please keep your team mom /dad updated on any changes to your email or cell numbers. **Please (*) cell numbers that DO NOT wish to receive team texts. All other given cell numbers will be included in group messaging.**

Please include athlete's clothing sizes below:

Youth sizes begin at YS (Youth Small) and end at YL (Youth L)

Adult sizes begin at AS (Adult Small) and end at AXL (Adult XL)

Athlete T-Shirt Size: _____

Athlete Short Size: _____

Athlete Jacket Size: _____

Athlete Hoodie Size: _____