



Sideline and Competitive Cheer Timeline

2017-18 School Season

Anytime

- Tryouts for sideline cheer teams
- Practice for sideline cheer teams

June 5, 2017 or last day of school

- 25 summer contact days may begin for competitive cheer
- May have choreographer, tumbling instructor, etc. that are not a certified coach work with team
- May learn competition routine
- May attend camp for competitive skills or sideline/crowd leading skills

July 30, 2017 end of summer contact

- May no longer work on competitive elements
- May have instruction of skills for sideline cheer (attend a camp, etc...)

October 23, 2017 competitive season begins

- Must have a competitive cheer tryout on or after this date
- All individuals instructing athletes, during a team activity, at an off-site facility or at the school (tumbling instructors/choreographers) must be a certified coach.
- Non-school competition or practice (club teams) must cease 7 days after first competitive cheer practice

Please contact your local athletic director with questions regarding program rules and policies