

Danielle Parker
Head Cheerleading Coach
Bartram Trail HS

Dear Cheer Candidate,

Welcome to cheer tryouts. You have chosen to try out for a sport that can be very rewarding and fun, but also time-consuming and difficult. Cheerleading is an activity for the highly motivated, enthusiastic, and healthy. *It is one of the most time-consuming sports/activities in high school.* It is not a sport for students who have trouble maintaining good attendance and good grades. It requires excellent time management skills, endurance and athletic ability, and a real “sportsmanlike” attitude. *Cheerleading can be a fun rewarding experience, a wonderful conditioner, and a great leadership builder for students who are prepared and willing to accept the responsibilities involved.* In this packet you will find all the information you need in order to try out for BTHS Cheerleading. Please read everything carefully. Listed below are the requirements for trying out and the contents of this packet.

1. Class Standing: Each candidate must currently be in 8th – 11th grade.
2. Grades: Each candidate must have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0. You must make a copy of your 3rd quarter report card.
3. Class: Candidates must plan on being in 7th period cheer class on campus. (only exception is if BTHS has a scheduling conflict; if planning to dual enroll I need you to have a conversation with me)
4. Coach Evaluation Form: Each candidate must have a former or current coach fill out the Coach Evaluation Form. Form found in packet. (If you cheered for BTHS 2020-2021 season, your coach will complete this)
5. Teacher Recommendation Form: Each candidate must submit confidential evaluation forms to ALL teachers. Make sure to put your name in the appropriate place before you give the form to your teachers and provide your teacher with an envelope. These forms can be returned to my mailbox at BTHS (Danielle Parker), sent through inner office mail from local MS or mailed to Danielle Parker
7399 Longleaf Pine Pkwy
St. Johns, FL 32259
****Recommendations are due May 20th.**
6. Questionnaire: Each candidate must complete the Question on the following page- Please type your responses. This is Due May 20th.
7. **Medical Forms: Athletic Clearance via Athletic Webpage**
8. Mandatory Clinic Dates : June 1st 4:00-6:00
June 2nd 4:00-6:00
June 3rd 4:00-???

Team Placement posted on 6/4 @ 12PM on BTHS Cheer Webpage

2020-2021
Cheerleading Tryout Question

Directions: Please answer the following question in 100 words or less. Please type your answers and return to Coach Parker by May 28th.

Why should we pick YOU to a part of the Bartram Trail Cheer Program?

Tryouts

Friday, May 27th- Fight Song will be posted on Webpage.

Wednesday, June 1 – Learn Cheer, Review Fight Song and Stunt 4-6

Thursday– June 2 -Review material, Stunt and tumble 4-6

Friday, June 3 – Physical Tryout 4PM-???

On Thursday, please wear:

Blue or Black shorts

White shirt

Hair in ponytail with a bow

Natural Make-up

Saturday– June 4: Team placement Posted on BTHS Cheer webpage @ 12PM

