Spirit Squad Video Audition Requirements

The UCR Spirit Squad will be accepting video auditions on a case by case basis. Those who qualify will include: anyone living or is outside a 2 hour travel distance to Riverside or can provide proof that you will be competing in the Cheerleading and Dance Worlds Championship. Those who have other conflicts or if you fall in any of the categories above, please contact Radiance Jackson at radiance.jackson@ucr.edu to notify us of your situation.

It is recommended that you make every effort to attend auditions. Those trying out by video will still need to submit the application.

Video Requirements:

• Due May 19th
• $10 video audition fee must be mailed to: Darron Pinkney, 900 University Avenue, Riverside, CA 92521 (checks can be made payable to “Regents UC” with “Spirit Squad” noted)
• Must be emailed as an attachment to Radiance Jackson at radiance.jackson@ucr.edu.
• Must include the following criteria:

  Reply to the following interview questions:
• Why would the UCR Spirit Squad be incomplete without you?
• How will your previous cheerleading or dance experience benefit the program?
• How will you balance the time requirement demanded of your academics and the Spirit Squad?

  For Cheer Tryouts
• Fight Song (Will be sent to you upon request for video audition.)
  -A game action cheer of your choice
• Showcase your current highest level of tumbling
• Showcase your current highest level of stunting skills

  For Dance Tryouts
• Fight Song (Will be sent to you upon request for video audition.)
• Showcase eight counts of 8 combining jazz and hip hop styles of dance including at least a double pirouette, kick(s) and leap(s)/jump(s)
  -A game action cheer of your choice