



Dear Parent/Guardian and Student:

Thank you for your interest in becoming a part of the Cheerleading Program at Angeline Academy of Innovation. We are so excited for the 2025-2026 season! In this packet, you will find the following: AAI Athletic Department Rules, AAI Cheer Application and the 2025-2026 AAI Cheerleading Contract. You DO NOT need to turn in a signed contract for tryouts, only the required paperwork & the cheerleading application. Once an athlete makes the team, he/she will be required to bring the signed contract to the first practice following tryouts.

It is important that you are aware of the high level of commitment that is required and the standard of excellence that is expected from each of the cheerleaders. Before completing, please consider and carefully read over the ENTIRE packet.

TRYOUT INFORMATION

Per FHSAA Regulations, you must have and maintain a minimum of a 2.0 GPA in order to be eligible for tryouts and participate in a sport. If you do not have a 2.0 GPA prior to tryouts, you will not participate.

ALL CHEERLEADERS MUST HAVE ALL ATHLETIC PARTICIPATION FORMS COMPLETED, SUBMITTED AND CLEARED IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO TRY OUT.

How to Complete and Submit Paperwork:

- Print Forms- 25-26 Athletic Participation Packet
- Completely fill them out including-
 - Dr Visit for EL2 (Physical)
 - Notary
- Complete NFHS Videos and Print/ Screenshot Certificate for Upload
 - Concussion, Heat Illness, and Sudden Cardiac Arrest
- Visit Athleticclearance.com

- Choose 25-26
- Angeline Academy of Innovation
- Upload all paperwork and electronic signatures
- Select All sports the kids may interested in- that way they can be cleared all at once
- Download the Home Campus App for easiest access

If you have issues uploading the forms, please reach out to the Athletic Director, Justin Pellicia for assistance: jpellicc@pasco.k12.fl.us

TRYOUT PROCESS:

Tryouts are CLOSED to the public, there will be no exceptions and no spectators.

- Tryouts will be held in the AAI Athletic Complex Tuesday April 29th from 3:30pm-5:30pm AND Wednesday April 30th from 3:30pm – 5:30pm for returning students and June 2nd from 6:00pm-7:30pm and June 3rd from 6:00pm-7:30pm for incoming students.
- Materials to learn will be sent out prior on the school's website page under Athletic-winter sports- Cheerleading Tryout material. Everyone must learn the CHEER, CHANT, DANCE, and JUMP SEQUENCE provided PRIOR TO TRYOUT. WE WILL DO A REFRESH DAY 1 OF TRYOUTS
- Drop Off/Pick Up: Tryouts will be held at the Athletic Complex. Returning students can take the bus to the Complex and be picked up by parents after tryouts is over. Incoming students will need to be dropped off and picked up by a parent both nights of tryouts.
- Check In: Upon checking in on April 29th and April 30th, athletes will receive a tryout number (you may not switch numbers with another athlete) and enter the Gymnasium.
- Tryout Dress Code: ANY BLACK SHORTS, WHITE SHIRT, WHITE CLOSED TOED ATHLETIC SHOES, AND HAIR PULLED UP. NO JEWELRY!
- Groups will be made by the coaches on day 1. So please do not choose your group prior to tryouts. Groups will present cheer, chant, dance, stunt, jump, and tumbling skills in front of judges on tryout day 2.

JUDGING SYSTEM:

The following system is the basis on which each applicant will be judged.

- Each applicant will be judged using a scoring rubric.
- Applicants will try out in groups of four. This is not to intimidate you, but rather to ensure fairness of the scores and speed up the tryout process.
- NOTE: The coaches have the final approval of the selection of the team.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF TEAM:

Results of the team will be posted via INSTAGRAM (@aaicheerleading) OR on AAI Athletic Website under the Competitive Cheerleading Tab. Results will be posted on Thursday May 1st by 8pm.



AAI CHEERLEADING APPLICATION

Athlete's Name:		Student Number:	
Birthdate:		Current Grade Level 25-26 School Year:	
Athlete Cell:		Athlete Email:	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Home Address:			City: Zip:
Mother's Name:			Cell:
Father's Name:			Cell:
Other Guardian:			Cell:
Parent's Email:			
Medical Conditions/Allergies:			
What clubs or other sports do you plan to join for the 2024/2025 school year?			
Why do you believe you should be selected as an AAI Cheerleader?			
Were you involved in any behavior infractions (ISS, OSS, Detention, Referrals, Behavior Contracts, No Contact Agreements, etc) for the 2023/2024 school year? If yes, please explain.			



Are you planning to Cheer/Dance with another organization during the 2025-2026 School Year? If yes, what organization?

Personal Skill Information

Please list any Cheer, Dance or Gymnastic Experience Below:

Program: _____ Level(s)/Team(s): _____ Year(s): _____

STUNTING EXPERIENCE

What stunting position are you most proficient at: (you may check multiple boxes)

Flyer Main Base Instep (Side Base) Back Spot

Please check the stunting skills that you can perform proficiently.

Prep Extension Prep Level Lib/Stretch/Arabesque Extended lib/stretch/arabesque

Full to Prep Full Up to Extension Full up to extended one leg Full around

Switch up to Half up switch up Full up switch up High to high tick tock

extended lib/stretch

Basket Toss Other: _____

TUMBLING EXPERIENCE

What tumbling skills are you most proficient at: (you may check multiple boxes)

Cartwheel Round-Off Standing Back Handspring Round-Off Back Handspring

Round-Off Back Handspring Tuck Standing Back Tuck Round-Off Back Tuck

Round-Off Back Handspring Layout Standing Full Round-Off Back Handspring Full

Other: _____

Tryout Agreement

I have read the guidelines for the Angeline Academy of Innovation Cheerleading Tryouts and have discussed its implications with my student athlete. I consent to having my student tryout for the Cheerleading Team and to meet all tryout requirements. I have reviewed my students' academic performance and understand the enormous time and financial commitment required to be a member of the Cheerleading Program. I believe that my student will be able to participate in Cheer and still successfully achieve the expected GPA. My student has no health restrictions that would be aggravated or make him/her unable to participate in all cheerleading activities, including but not limited to lifting, basing, flying, tumbling, jumping, running, and conditioning.

Tryout Results Agreement

I understand and accept the tryout process and its requirements for the AAI Cheer Team. I have discussed the tryout process and its implications with my student and have prepared my student for all team placement decisions. We accept that all decisions of placement and acceptance on the AAI Cheer Team are final.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Full Name - PRINTED

Date

Athlete Signature

Date

Athlete Full Name – PRINTED

Date