



## Video Audition Requirements

The UCLA Spirit Squad will be accepting video auditions on a case by case basis. Those who qualify will include: candidates living outside a 3 hour travel distance to Los Angeles or candidates who can provide proof that they have an unavoidable conflict. If you fall into one or both of these categories, please email Mollie at [mvehling@support.ucla.edu](mailto:mvehling@support.ucla.edu) to notify the program of your situation.

It is recommended that you make every effort to attend auditions. Video auditions may be a disadvantage for you. Those trying out by video will still need to submit the online application.

Video Requirements:

- Due May 8 by 8 a.m. PST
- Must be emailed as an attachment or posted online and the link sent to Mollie at [mvehling@support.ucla.edu](mailto:mvehling@support.ucla.edu).
- Must include the following criteria:

### YELL CREW

Lead an Eight-Clap, Bruin Spell-out and GO/BRUINS cheer two times

\*\*Posted May 7 on the UCLA Spirit Squad YouTube channel.

First run through all three cheers with your voice alone and the second run through for all three cheers with visual cues and/or signs.

NO EDITING between cheers.

Reply to three out of the six of the following interview questions:

- Why would the UCLA Spirit Squad be incomplete without you?
- How will your previous spirit-leading experience benefit the program?
- Which UCLA graduate do you admire most?
- What are the three most important aspects to being a UCLA Spirit Squad member?
- How will you balance the time requirement demanded of your academics and the Spirit Squad?
- Who do you feel has been your most inspirational teacher?

### CHEER SQUAD

Opening Cheer

- Lead an Eight-Clap, Bruin Spell-out or GO/BRUINS cheer

\*\*Posted May 7 on the UCLA Spirit Squad YouTube channel.

Tumbling/Stunting Skills Portion:

- Two standing tumbling skills
- Two running tumbling passes
- Two partner stunting sequences including a toss chair and walk into hands

Dance Portion:

- Fight Song \*\*
- Drum routine\*\*

\*\*Posted May 7 on the UCLA Spirit Squad YouTube channel by 1 p.m.

NO EDITING between opening cheer, skills or dance portion.

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## **DANCE TEAM**

Opening Cheer

- Lead an Eight-Clap, Bruin Spell-out or GO/BRUINS cheer

\*\*Posted May 7 on the UCLA Spirit Squad YouTube channel.

Dance Portion:

- Performance Routine\*\*
- Fight Song \*\*
- Drum Routine\*\*
- Original Choreography\*\*\*

\*\*Choreography posted May 7 close to 4 p.m. on the UCLA Spirit Squad YouTube channel.

\*\*\*Music will be emailed to candidates who have submitted their applications and application fee.

NO EDITING between Opening Cheer and each routine—give a 60-second pause between each routine.

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If you have any additional questions, please email [mvehling@support.ucla.edu](mailto:mvehling@support.ucla.edu).