UCLA Spirit Squad Video Audition

The UCLA Spirit Squad will be accepting video auditions on a case by case basis.

Eligibility:
- you must live at least three hours travel distance to Los Angeles
- you have a date conflict because you are competing in the Cheerleading and Dance Worlds Championship (proof required)

If you fall in one or both of these categories, please email SpiritSquad@alumni.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:
- Must be sent to SpiritSquad@alumni.ucla.edu as an email attachment or as a URL link to a video site.
- Due May 1 by 8 a.m. PST

AUDITION CRITERIA:

All Candidates must reply to THREE 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?

YELL CREW
Lead an 8-clap, Bruin Spell-out and GO BRUINS cheer two times
**Posted April 28 on the UCLA Spirit Squad YouTube channel.
  1. Run through all three cheers with your voice alone.
  2. Then run through all three cheers with visual cues or signs.

NO EDITING between cheers.
CHEER SQUAD

Opening Cheer
- Lead an 8-Clap, Bruin Spell-out or GO BRUINS cheer
**Posted April 28 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 April 28 on the UCLA Spirit Squad YouTube channel.

NO EDITING between Opening Cheer, skills or dance portion.

DANCE TEAM

Opening Cheer
- Lead an 8-Clap, Bruin Spell-out or GO BRUINS cheer

Dance Portion:
- Performance Routine**
- Fight Song **
- Drum Routine**
- Original Choreography***
**Choreography posted April 30 close to noon 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.

If you have any additional questions, please email SpiritSquad@alumni.ucla.edu.