



Dear Student,

I am excited to hear that you have made EMCC your next step in furthering your education. Furthermore, I am thrilled that you are considering cheering for this fine institution. We are always looking for quality people to fulfill the role of ambassadors for the college, and for a new talent to strengthen our squad.

Tryouts for our EMCC cheer squad will be held April 17 and April 18, 2009. By doing so early will allow us adequate time to be prepared for summer camp and the upcoming football season.

If selected to cheer for the 2009-2010 school year, you will be honored with a **Full Paid Tuition Scholarship** for the fall and spring semesters. You will be required to live on campus for the fall term and then will be negotiable for off-campus living for the spring term.

To be eligible to tryout, you must have: (1) a completed tryout application form; (2) a current physical dated within the last 6 months; (3) a copy of your insurance card; and (4) all candidates must be a full-time student OR must plan to attend EMCC during the next academic year. All forms need to be completed and returned to me via e-mail or regular mail by Wednesday, April 15. Once we have received all completed information, you will be placed on the tryout roster. Listed below are the tryout clinic dates and times in which you will be required to attend.

**Friday, April 17 -- 4:00 p.m. at EMCC's Keyes T. Currie Coliseum on Scooba Campus**  
**Saturday, April 18 -- 9:00 a.m. at EMCC's Keyes T. Currie Coliseum on Scooba Campus**

Candidates will be chosen on basis of cheerleading ability and must demonstrate that they will be exhibiting a positive image for East Mississippi Community College. The Selection committee will consist of three qualified judges. You will be judged on the following: Cheer, Fight Song, Jumps, and Stunts. Candidates will be expected to wear appropriate attire at the tryouts. You should wear black or red athletic shorts with a white sleeveless top and cheer shoes for Saturday tryouts. No baggy clothes are allowed.

For the Friday clinic, the cost will be \$25.00 and you are required to attend! Clinic/Tryouts will be closed and will start on time. For proper consideration you should be at least 10 minutes early to all events. If you have additional questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me for answers. Once again, I am thrilled you are considering our program and look forward to meeting you!

**Go Lions!!!**

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**EMCC Cheerleader Coach**  
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**EMCC CHEERLEADER TRYOUT APPLICATION**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ SS#: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ (HOME) \_\_\_\_\_ (CELL)

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDED: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF GRADUATION: \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER COLLEGE ATTENDED: \_\_\_\_\_

MAJOR OR INTENDED MAJOR: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

HEALTH INSURANCE COMPANY: \_\_\_\_\_

POLICY NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

ARE YOU ALLERGIC TO ANY MEDICATIONS?: \_\_\_\_\_

IF SO, PLEASE LIST: \_\_\_\_\_

IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY, NOTIFY: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

PREVIOUS CHEERLEADING  
EXPERIENCE: \_\_\_\_\_

WHAT WOULD YOU OFFER TO THE  
SQUAD: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION TO:**

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