



## Standard Operating Procedures

# Middle School Cheerleader Handbook

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## Policy Cross Reference Sheet

This handbook is an administrative procedure of the District and subject to policies adopted by the Board of Trustees. In case of conflict between administrative procedures and Board policy, policy shall prevail.

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The contents of this handbook relate to the following Board policies:

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\* The above listed policies relate to areas in which Student Activities are necessary. This handbook speaks directly to Middle School Cheer.

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# Introduction

## **Philosophy**

The Board believes that student activities provide opportunities for students to practice and demonstrate the attributes of the Profile of a Graduate. As such, the District shall encourage participation in student activities, engage students through inclusive and collaborative experiences, and allow students the opportunity to create and participate in student organizations and student groups.

This handbook becomes effective immediately for the tryout process in the current school year and remains in effect for successful candidates throughout the period until tryouts begin the following calendar year.

## **Fort Bend ISD Athletics Mission/Profile of a Graduate**

FBISD Athletics exists to inspire and equip student athletes with responsibility, values, sportsmanship and teamwork through participation in sports so they can pursue futures beyond what they can imagine.

Cheerleaders will exhibit the FBISD Profile of a Graduate, including being a collaborative team member.

*Fort Bend ISD prohibits discrimination, including harassment, against any student on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, gender, national origin, age, disability, or any other basis prohibited by law. No qualified disabled student shall, on the basis of disability, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination under any Fort Bend ISD service, program, or activity.*

*Fort Bend ISD provides supplementary non-academic aids and extracurricular services determined appropriate and necessary to afford children with disabilities an equal opportunity for participation in those services and activities. Any student with a disability requiring reasonable accommodations for participation in any Fort Bend ISD service, program, or activity should contact their campus to request a meeting of their student's Section 504 committee or ARD Committee.*

*Questions regarding Fort Bend ISD policies and procedures relating to students with disabilities should be addressed to Dr. Deena Hill, Executive Director of Student Support Services and Special Education, at 281-634-1143 or [Deena.Hill@Fortbendisd.com](mailto:Deena.Hill@Fortbendisd.com).*



# GENERAL SAFETY GUIDELINES

## Basic Safety Guidelines

- Coach in accordance with American Association of Cheerleading Coaches and Administrators (AACCA) Safety Standards.
- The cheerleading Coach or other knowledgeable designated school representative (with Principal approval) will be in attendance at all practices and functions to supervise the cheerleading.
- All cheerleaders shall receive proper training before attempting any form of cheerleading gymnastics (i.e., tumbling, partner stunts, pyramids, and jumps.)
- All partner stunts shall be mastered according to the “partner stunt progressions” before attempting a new level of difficulty. (See Coach)
- All practice sessions shall be held in a location suitable for the activities of cheerleaders (i.e. use of tumbling mats, away from excess noise and distractions, etc.)
- Training in proper spotting techniques shall be mandatory for all squads attempting gymnastics.
- Jewelry, accessories, and apparel that is not conducive to safe performance is prohibited.
- Warm-up exercises and stretching shall precede all practice sessions, pep rallies, games, competitions, and other physical activity.
- All cheerleading squads shall develop a conditioning and strength-building program.
- The cheering surface, location, lighting, and weather conditions shall be taken into consideration before engaging in physical activity.
- Coach recognizes the entire squad’s ability level and limit the squad’s activities accordingly.
- Cheerleaders shall not be permitted to stunt while the football (or other sport) team is in play, regardless of distance from cheerleaders.
- An emergency plan must be in place and practiced in case of an emergency.  
**NO COACH, NO PRACTICE!!!!**

## Competition Guidelines

### Designation as a Competition Squad:

- The squad is a competition squad as decided by the Coach and Principal.
- All members are expected to prepare for competitions.

**Safety:**

- According to University Interscholastic League (UIL) regulations - CHEERLEADERS; SPIRIT GROUPS "All cheer and spirit performances at any UIL activity shall be in accordance with safety standards as prescribed by the National Federation High School Spirit Handbook."
- All cheerleaders shall be required to attend a professionally run cheerleading camp.

**Attending Competitions:**

- The coach must accompany the squad to any competition.
- Transportation will be available for competition at sites off-campus. The campus will be responsible for providing a certified driver for the transportation vehicle.

**Outside Hired Choreographers/Coaches:**

- All choreographers or coaches must be familiar with UIL competition and FBISD guidelines.

**Competition Guidelines:**

- Competition guidelines shall comply with the regulations outlined in the National Federation High School Spirit Handbook (See safety guidelines and reference material included in this handbook.)

## Coach Duties

**Coaches Responsibilities and Duties include but are not limited to the following:**

- Make schedules for competitions, uniforms, practices, etc.
- Assign duties in all activities.
- Promptly inform all cheerleaders of changes in schedule, upcoming events, etc.
- Provide announcements to campus administration.
- Determine choice of uniforms for games and pep rallies and communicate proactively to cheerleaders.
- Approve all ideas, cheers, stunts, skits, signs, etc.; no cheer will be performed without Coach's approval.
- Recommend to the administration suspension or removal from the squad.
- Follow all District procedures related to procurement, fundraising and collection of money. Be responsible for current inventory of all items ordered.
- Monitor grades, tardies, absences, and conduct of each cheerleader with teachers and grade level Principal.
- Attend all of the following:
  1. Summer camp and competition
  2. Tryouts
  3. Games when cheerleaders are officially cheering or other knowledgeable designated school representative (with Principal approval)

4. Outside training for squad (gym, clinics, etc.)

\*In case of Coach absence, a designated school official (with Principal approval) will be in attendance.

- Ensure all routines are safe and that those routines will not cause serious injury.
- Ensure that the equipment is maintained for cheerleaders as outlined in the District's equipment policy. The coach is responsible for issuing and collecting school purchased equipment and uniforms.
- Monitor all activities for compliance with the National Federation Spirit Handbook and the AACCA Safety Certification guidelines.
- Organize and practice an emergency plan that is approved by the feeder HS Campus Head Athletic Trainer.

## Expectations

**CHEERLEADING IS A TEAM SPORT, AND ALL CHEERLEADERS ARE REQUIRED TO BE PRESENT.**

**ALL CHEERLEADERS WILL BE EXPECTED TO FOLLOW ALL THE RULES OF CONDUCT AS OUTLINED IN THE FORT BEND ISD STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT AND STUDENT/PARENT HANDBOOK.**

**ALL CHEERLEADERS WILL BE EXPECTED TO DISPLAY POSITIVE LEADERSHIP QUALITIES IN ATTITUDE, BEHAVIOR, SPORTSMANSHIP AND SCHOOL SPIRIT ALIGNED TO THE PROFILE OF A GRADUATE.**

### **Smoking/Vaping:**

The use or possession of any tobacco or vaping products is prohibited and warrants a consequence as outlined to the Student Code of Conduct.

### **Unexcused Absence:**

An unexcused absence is defined as the failure to attend any scheduled cheerleading activity (sample listing below) as determined by Coach without prior permission from Coach. Any outside activity, including a job and/or participating on another cheer squad, is an invalid reason for missing a scheduled cheerleading activity. Vacations should be scheduled around summer practices and camps.

- After school practices
- Saturday practices
- Evening practices
- Summer practices
- Games
- Pep rallies
- Cheerleader fundraisers
- Cheerleader community projects
- Leaving or arriving halfway through practice
- Any other scheduled activity by the coach

### **Excused Absence:**

Each cheerleader will be permitted five (5) excused absences from the current tryout year to the



following tryout year. Any cheerleader who has six (6) or more excused absences will be considered to have excessive absences and will face disciplinary action beginning with the sixth absence. Cheerleading is a team sport, and all cheerleaders are required to be present. An excused absence is defined as follows:

- **School-Related Activity** – A written 48-hour notification to the Coach signed by the school official.
- **Family Death** – Verbal communication to the Coach by parent/guardian followed by written notification.
- **Illness** – Verbal communication to the Coach from the parent followed by written notification, even if the child was not in school. If a cheerleader does not feel well enough to participate, the Coach has the discretion to send the child home under an excused absence.
- **Doctor Appointments** – With written 48-hour notification to Coach signed by parent/guardian.

**Note:** Verbal communication may consist of personal communications, telephone, voice mail, or notice to the Coach's mailbox by school attendants.

Absences for Religious Holidays per FBISD will be excluded from any count. Verbal communication to the Coach by the parent is required.

#### **Tardies:**

Any cheerleader 5 minutes late to any cheerleading activity will be considered tardy. Three tardies shall be considered an unexcused absence.

#### **Appropriate Dress**

All cheerleaders shall abide by the proper dress code when at practices, games, school-related events, or any other cheerleader activity. The Coach will determine specific dress in compliance with the FBISD Student Code of Conduct.

#### **Uniforms**

All cheerleaders are expected to maintain their uniforms with care and are permitted to perform only in clean uniforms. See AACCA and NFHS safety rules for compliance. When in uniform, cheerleaders should refrain from the following:

- Chewing gum
- Wearing nail polish
- Long fingernails
- Wearing jewelry
- Wrong socks
- Missing hair bow

#### **Stunting without Approval:**

For safety purposes, all stunting must be approved in advance by the Coach. Stunting is not permitted without Coach approval and a Coach in attendance.

#### **Inappropriate Behavior/Disrespect**

Cheerleaders are expected to be role models and ambassadors of goodwill for their schools and follow the FBISD Profile of a Graduate. Therefore, all cheerleaders are expected to exhibit appropriate behavior. The following shall be considered inappropriate behavior and subjected to discipline:

- Public display of affection (PDA)
- Report of misconduct by other teachers, administrators, and/or parents
- Distractions during practice/game/pep rallies



- Non-spirited attitude
- Unsportsmanlike conduct/Derogatory statements
- Disobedient behavior/non-compliance
- Bullying/harassing behavior
- Cyberbullying
- Fighting
- Disruptive behavior that substantially impacts the educational environment

#### **Deadlines/Responsibilities**

Cheerleaders are expected to fulfill all responsibilities and meet all deadlines as established by Coach.

## **Financial Responsibility**

No student will be denied the opportunity of trying out for a Cheerleading squad when the cost of required expenses and fees is a financial barrier. Parents shall be informed about cost of participating prior to tryouts. Parents should contact the Coach to discuss available options to meet financial obligations.

#### **School Provides:**

Items determined by the Coach with approval from District Athletic Office to include but not limited to, cheer uniform, equipment, and supplies.

#### **Individual Provides:**

- Camp expenses (including travel)
- Clothing and Accessories are not purchased with District funds. Itemized estimate(s) will be provided by the Coach at the pre-tryout meeting.
- Gym rentals/Choreography determined by the Coach.

#### **Fundraisers:**

Cheerleaders will have opportunities to participate in program fundraisers to defer additional costs not provided by the school. Please contact Coach prior to tryouts with any additional questions regarding financial responsibilities.

## **Cheerleader Discipline**

All cheerleaders are expected to follow all the rules of conduct as outlined in the Fort Bend ISD Student Code of Conduct, the Fort Bend ISD Student/Parent Handbook - Extracurricular Section, and other rules developed by campus Coach.

These rules apply to all cheerleaders during their selected term.

#### **Loss of Privilege – Deferred Adjudication, Probation, Felony or Class A Misdemeanor:**

A student in grades 6 through 8 may lose the privilege of participation in extracurricular activities during any period of deferred adjudication or probation. School Counselors will assist Coaches in obtaining a release of related documentation.

A student in grades 6 through 8 shall lose the privilege of participation in extracurricular activities during any period:

- While under indictment for a felony; or

- While awaiting a final determination of guilt or innocence in connection with either a felony or any offense punishable as a Class A Misdemeanor, whether the felony or offense was committed on or off campus.

**Loss of Privilege – Possession, Under the Influence, or Intent to Distribute:**

Possessing, selling, or distributing marijuana, alcohol, a controlled substance, a dangerous drug, abuse able glue, aerosol paint, or any other mood-changing, mind altering, or behavior affecting drug such as vape pens containing THC, is strictly prohibited and will result in elimination from further participation in all extracurricular activities for:

- First Offense: one calendar year.
- Second Offense: for the remainder of the student's school career.

**Loss of Privilege – Suspension, DAEP, Expulsion:**

A student in grades 6-8 shall lose the privilege of participation in extracurricular activities during any period of suspension, placement in Disciplinary Alternative Education Program (DAEP), or expulsion.

- DAEP Placement: Any cheerleader receiving placement in DAEP will be ineligible to cheer for the remainder of the cheerleading season.

**ISS/OSS Placement:**

Any cheerleader receiving a placement in ISS or OSS will lose privileges in extracurricular activities and will be ineligible to cheer for the duration of the placement in ISS/OSS. These consequences shall not be enforced on top of any other loss of privilege or other removals.

- 1st Offense – Minimum 1 game suspension
- 2nd Offense – Minimum 1 game suspension
- 3rd Offense – Removal from the program

**Disciplinary Recourse:**

Upon determination of a student's removal from participation in school-coached extracurricular activities, the following will occur:

- The Coach will communicate to the student and the student's parents the terms of the removal.
- The Coach will notify the campus Principal and the District Athletic Director in writing of the terms of the removal.
- The student may be referred to counselors, and/or drug and alcohol education programs, as appropriate.
- The student or parent may appeal the student's loss of extracurricular privileges through the process outlined in Policy FNG (LOCAL).
- **If a member of the current cheer squad is removed from the team after tryouts, he/she will forfeit their position for the following year as well. If a candidate makes the squad and later chooses not to be on the squad, he/she also forfeits tryouts for the following year. He/she will only be able to tryout subsequent years after the forfeited year has been served and if the student meets eligibility status.**

**Additional Rules of Conduct:**

In addition to the rules of conduct specified in the Conduct Rules section, students who participate in the cheerleading squad shall comply with the following rules.

- Comply with rules and expectations outlined by District officials and staff;
- Participate in every practice, competition/performance and event required by the Coach, unless the coach has granted an excused absence;
- Arrive promptly, properly attired, for every practice, competition, etc., unless the Coach has granted an excused absence;



- Adhere to the grooming standards provided by the Coach;
- Demonstrate sportsmanlike behavior;
- Demonstrate a positive attitude;
- Be courteous and polite to others.

Failure to meet these and other expectations may result in disciplinary action at the Coach's discretion.

## Resolution Process

Concerns should always be addressed first with the coach. If no resolution can be reached, other campus staff may need to be involved. Always follow the proper chain of command when attempting to address a problem:

1. Coach
2. Campus Athletics Coordinator over Cheerleading
3. Campus Administrator over Cheerleading
4. Campus Principal
5. District Athletics Office

## Composition of Squad

Cheer candidates must reside within the attendance boundaries of the campus they are trying out. Residency and student transfer information will be confirmed at the campus prior to tryouts to determine eligibility.

Each school will have a cheerleader **squad of twelve (12) cheerleaders**, made up of seventh and eighth grade students. Cheerleader eligibility will be based on the FBISD cheerleader requirements and skills and a merit system to include conduct, grades, and citizenship. The top 12 candidates will be selected, with no designated number, from either grade.

## Requirement to Tryout

**Eligible candidates for cheerleading, mascots, and managers must meet the following qualifications:**

### Academic Standing

- Meet and maintain University Interscholastic League (UIL) and District academic eligibility standards.
- Must not have received more than two total failing grades on the first (T-1) and second (T-2) nine weeks grading reports for the current school year. Current sixth graders must be academically eligible at the time of tryouts.
- Students must have good attendance.

School Behavior - Candidates may not have received any of the following during the tryout school year:

- A "U" in the conduct category on any report card
- More than one N (Needs Improvement) on any report card
- Placement in OSS or ISS
- Any level IV/V infraction
- More than two Level II/Level III disciplinary infractions or a combination of thereof NOTE: for the



purposes of this criteria only, the campus middle school principal may identify specific Level II behaviors which will be excluded from this tabulation for determine eligibility for tryouts.

**Participation in Pre-Tryout Clinic:**

Candidates should attend each day of the pre-tryout clinic to help them prepare for tryouts. Clinic details will be established by the campus. During the clinic, each campus will specify the activities to be performed at the tryouts.

**Parent Meeting and Forms:**

In order to be eligible for tryouts, each candidate and their parent/guardian must attend the mandatory orientation meeting to discuss the selection process and cheerleader responsibilities. Any parent/guardian who is unable to attend this meeting must contact the Coach prior to the date of the meeting to receive the information for their student to be able to participate in the tryouts.

- Candidate must sign up for tryouts during a time period designated by the Coach.
- Candidates must receive and sign for tryout packets at an organizational meeting called by the Coach or at an individually set meeting.
- Further qualifications involving tryout procedures, standards of conduct, participation and uniforms may be required by the Coach, with the prior written approval of the Principal. These qualifications will be communicated with candidates and parent/guardian prior to tryouts.

**Physical Examination:**

All candidates must submit a current pre-participation physical examination form signed and stamped by a medical doctor before the tryout clinic. The physical must be dated on or after March 1<sup>st</sup> of the calendar year of the tryout. The District reserves the right to require a new physical examination when deemed necessary.

## Method of Selection

**Tryout Format:**

On the schedule determined by the Director of Athletics, all eligible candidates will appear before a tryout committee to tryout for the cheerleading squad based on the following rules.

- A tryout packet will be provided to all candidates prior to tryouts. The packet will include clinic information, sample scoresheet with detailed tryout sequence information and cheerleading handbook. Schools may present other pertinent information in this packet.
- The tryout will take place at the specific middle school as determined by attendance. Each school's tryout is closed to the public. Results will be released on a date determined by the middle school.
- The committee will consist of no less than three impartial judges selected by the middle school Coach.
- All candidates will appear before the committee in the designated uniform provided.
- Candidates who are current cheerleaders will not demonstrate or be recognized in any fashion as current cheerleaders.
- Cheerleader candidates will perform a specified sequence consisting of items listed on the tryout scoresheet.
- Cheerleader candidates will be allowed to provide video for committee evaluation if they are unable to perform all required activities due to injury. The candidate must provide a physician's letter explaining the specific injury and restrictions prior to beginning the tryout. They must complete all aspects of the program not restricted by the injury and identified in the physician's

letter. The video must not show candidates as current cheerleaders in any way. The video must be certified to have been created within the past twelve months.

**Results:**

- Each judge will score each candidate's performance using a numeric scale (see exhibit B). The judge must initial any change to a rating or sum of ratings.
- Scores from each judge are tabulated to yield one total score for each candidate.
- Candidate's total scores are ranked in numerical order.
- Candidates with the highest rankings are selected as cheerleader according to cheerleader numbers specified at each campus.
- A tiebreaker system will be utilized when necessary to break ties when it involves making the team or determining alternates. The tiebreaker will consist of taking the scores from the candidate's first tryout, specifically scores from: entrance, voice projection, jumps, motions, and overall impression. If after tabulating the scores the candidate with the higher score, will receive an additional .5 points to break the tie. If after the tiebreaker, scores are still tied, the candidates will then be brought back out to perform for the judges again and will be scored on entrance, voice projection, jumps, motions, and overall impression.
- Results will be released after the completion of tryouts on a date and time determined by the campus.
- Due to federal privacy laws protecting student records, no person is permitted to view the evaluation forms of other candidates.
- Appeals of the cheerleading tryout process, including final results, must take place at the campus level. Grounds for appeal may be made in reference to mathematical calculations or procedural impropriety only. Appeals must occur within five (5) school days, and during school business hours once final results have been announced.
- Appeal results/decisions will be final at the campus level.

# EXHIBIT A –Selection Rubric

## Scoresheet Categories

## Scoring Criteria

Entrance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School spirit incorporation</li> <li>• Energy</li> <li>• Smile</li> </ul>
Voice Projection	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Excellent/Loud voice projection/Showmanship(4-5 points)</li> <li>• Good medium voice projection/Showmanship (2-3 points)</li> <li>• Fair low voice projection/Showmanship (0-1 points)</li> </ul>
Jumps	Toe touch, hurdler, and pike in any order <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hyperextended (4-5 points)</li> <li>• Level (2-3 points)</li> <li>• Below level (0-1 points)</li> </ul>
Motions	Based on sharpness and correct motion placement <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Excellent technique (4-5 points)</li> <li>• Good technique (2-3 points)</li> <li>• Fair technique (0-1 points)</li> </ul>
Tumbling	Potential points are based off of execution of skill and clean technique <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Backtucks and above (4-5 points)</li> <li>• Back handsprings series (3 points)</li> <li>• Back handspring single (2 points)</li> <li>• Roundoff, Cartwheel, FWO (0-1 points)</li> </ul>
Memory	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Excellent execution, no mistakes (4-5 points)</li> <li>• Good execution, few mistakes (2-3 points)</li> <li>• Fair execution, many mistakes (0-1 points)</li> </ul>
Dance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Excellent technique (4-5 points)</li> <li>• Good technique/placement (2-3 points)</li> <li>• Fair technique/placement (0-1 points)</li> </ul>
Overall Impression	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Excellent overall impression (4-5 points)</li> <li>• Good overall impression (2-3 points)</li> <li>• Fair overall impression (0-1 points)</li> </ul>



# EXHIBIT B – MS Tryout Judges Score Sheet

## MIDDLE SCHOOL CHEERLEADER TRYOUT JUDGES SCORE SHEET CHEERLEADER

CANDIDATE # \_\_\_\_\_

IN EACH CATEGORY, CIRCLE THE SCORE THAT BEST REFLECTS THE PERFORMANCE OF THE CANDIDATE BASED ON SELECTION RUBRIC USING THE RATING SCALE PROVIDED BELOW.

IF YOU MAKE A MISTAKE ON THE SCORESHEET, PLEASE CROSS OUT THE INCORRECT MARK AND INITIAL EACH MISTAKE IN THE SAME MANNER AS AT THE BOTTOM OF THIS SHEET.

ENTRANCE	0	1	2	3	4	5
VOICE PROJECTION	0	1	2	3	4	5
JUMPS	0	1	2	3	4	5
MOTIONS	0	1	2	3	4	5
TUMBLING	0	1	2	3	4	5
MEMORY	0	1	2	3	4	5
DANCE	0	1	2	3	4	5
OVERALL IMPRESSION	0	1	2	3	4	5

JUDGE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ JUDGE'S INITIALS \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL SCORE \_\_\_\_\_

# EXHIBIT C – MS Tryout Judges Score Sheet- MASCOT

## MIDDLE SCHOOL CHEERLEADER TRYOUT JUDGES SCORE SHEET **MASCOT**

1. CANDIDATE # \_\_\_\_\_

IN EACH CATEGORY, CIRCLE THE SCORE THAT BEST REFLECTS THE PERFORMANCE OF THE CANDIDATE USING THE RATING SCALE PROVIDED BELOW.

### RATING SCALE:

**0=NOT PRESENT**

**1=POOR**

**2=WELL BELOW AVERAGE**

**3=BELOW AVERAGE**

**4=AVERAGE**

**5=ABOVE AVERAGE**

**6=WELL ABOVE AVERAGE**

**7=EXCELLENT**

**8=SUPERIOR**

IF YOU MAKE A MISTAKE ON THE SCORESHEET, PLEASE CROSS OUT THE INCORRECT MARK AND INITIAL EACH INCORRECT MARK IN THE SAME MANNER AS AT THE BOTTOM OF THIS SHEET. THANK YOU.

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TECHNIQUE	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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STAGE PRESENCE	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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CREATIVITY	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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SPIRIT / ENTHUSIASM	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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OVERALL IMPRESSION	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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JUDGE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL SCORE** \_\_\_\_\_

JUDGE'S INITIALS \_\_\_\_\_