

Royal Gems All-Star Cheer Program

Parent Information Packet | 2026–2028 Season

Welcome to Royal Gems

The **Royal Gems All-Star Cheer Program** is designed for athletes who are ready to grow in **athleticism, teamwork, discipline, and performance**. This program is a long-term pathway that prepares athletes for competitive All-Star cheer, with our first official competition season launching in **Spring 2028**.

We are building something from the ground up—and your athlete is part of that foundation.

Our Vision

Our goal is to create a **strong, confident, and technically trained team** that represents Royalty Dance Studio with excellence.

We are committed to:

- Developing **strong fundamentals in stunting, tumbling, jumps, and performance**
- Teaching **teamwork, accountability, and leadership**
- Preparing athletes for the **All-Star cheer world**
- Creating a **positive, structured, and competitive team culture**

Program Timeline

2026–2027 Season (Preparation Year)

- Focus: Skill building + All-Star expectations
- Athletes will train in:
 - Cheer technique
 - Strength & conditioning
 - Tumbling (Acro)
- Goal: Be fully prepared for **Try-Outs in May 2027**

May 2027 – Official Try-Outs

- Team placement based on:
 - Skill level
 - Work ethic

- Attitude & coachability
- Teams will be announced shortly after tryouts

2027–2028 Season (First Competition Season)

- **Season Commitment:** September 2027 – April 2028 (8 months)
- **Competition Season:** Spring 2028
- Athletes will compete in **local/regional competitions**

Team Structure

Emeralds Prep (Level 1)

- Focus: Beginner foundations
- Skills:
 - Motions, jumps, basic stunts
 - Intro to tumbling (cartwheels, bridges)
- Ideal for athletes new to cheer

Rubies Prep (Level 2–3)

- Focus: Building strength and intermediate skills
- Skills:
 - Strong jumps and motion precision
 - Intermediate stunts
 - Tumbling progression (round-offs, back walkovers)

Diamonds Prep (Level 3–4)

- Focus: Advanced training and performance
- Skills:
 - Advanced stunts and transitions
 - Elite performance quality
 - Tumbling (back handsprings, higher-level passes)

Class Requirements (Starting NOW)

To prepare for tryouts and competition:

All athletes are REQUIRED to:

- Attend **weekly cheer class**

- Enroll in **Acro class (REQUIRED)**
→ This is essential for building tumbling skills for tryouts and competition
- Maintain **consistent attendance**

Expectations for Athletes

All Royal Gems athletes are expected to:

Commitment

- Show up **on time and prepared**
- Attend all scheduled classes and practices
- Be fully committed during the 8-month competition season

Work Ethic

- Give full effort at every practice
- Practice skills outside of class when needed
- Be coachable and open to corrections

Team Behavior

- Be supportive and respectful to teammates
- Demonstrate a positive attitude
- Represent Royalty Dance Studio with professionalism

Expectations for Parents

We are building a **team culture—and that includes families.**

Parents are expected to:

- Ensure athletes attend all practices and arrive on time
- Communicate respectfully with coaches and staff
- Support team decisions and placements
- Stay informed through studio communication

Royal Gems Booster Club (Parent-Led)

We are excited to introduce the **Royal Gems Booster Club**, which will be **parent-run.**

Purpose:

- Help offset costs for families
- Organize fundraising opportunities
- Support competitions, travel, and team needs
- Build a strong, supportive community

More details coming soon, including:

- Leadership roles
- Fundraising plans
- Volunteer opportunities

Competition Goals (Spring 2028)

Our first official competition season will include:

- **Local & regional competitions**
- Focus on:
 - Performance quality
 - Team execution
 - Confidence on the floor

This first season is about:

- Learning the competition environment
- Building experience
- Setting the standard for future teams

What Makes All-Star Cheer Different

All Star Cheer requires:

- Higher commitment than recreational classes
- Team-first mindset
- Consistent attendance
- Strong physical and mental discipline

This is a **team sport**, and every athlete plays a critical role.

Why Start Now?

This year is **not just another class year**—it is:

- Your athlete's **training year**

- The foundation for tryouts
- The beginning of something bigger

Athletes who fully commit now will be **set up for success** in May 2027 and beyond.

Next Steps

1. Enroll in:
 - Cheer class
 - Acro class (REQUIRED)
2. Stay consistent with attendance
3. Prepare for **Try-Outs in May 2027**

We're Building Something Special

The Royal Gems program is more than a team—it's a **legacy in the making**.

We are so excited to grow this program with you and your athlete.