Cheerleading State Championship
Worcester State University

Date:	**Sunday, November 22, 2026** Session 1 - 10:30 AM Session 2 - Approx: 2:45 PM (subject to change)
Location:	Worcester State University 486 Chandler Street Worcester, MA 01602-2597 www.worcester.edu * Please note the building is still open for regular operations.
Admission:	Fans MUST purchase tickets online via the MSAA GoFan page: (https://gofan.co/app/school/MSAA) Ticket price**: General Admission - $ 16.75** Doors will open to spectators at 9:30 AM
Director:	Jennifer Cloutier (jcloutier@msaa.net)
Roster & Coaches:	The tournament roster submitted to the MSAA with the Intent to Enter for Regionals will be used at registration. **The Roster may include a maximum of twenty-four (24) members with no more than twenty (20) athletes on the competition floor and up to three (3) coaches recognized by school administrators as an approved representative of their school.** Student athletes not listed on the tournament roster are ineligible for competition. Anyone not listed on a submitted roster will be required to enter through the spectator gate. **Team areas are restricted to those listed on the team's official tournament roster.**
Music:	Teams will have the music submitted for regional performances transferred to states. Any changes must be submitted no later than November 18 to StateCheer1@gmail.com Each team must bring a backup copy of their music to the music station for their team's performance. This person must stay with the DJ and be prepared to indicate when to start/stop the music.
Arrival:	Buses should enter campus through the North Lot Entrance across from the Chandler Magnet School. For more accurate GPS directions to the North Lot Entrance, use **525 Chandler Street, Worcester**. Parking will be in the Wellness Lot adjacent to the Wellness Center. Signs will mark the entrance to the "Bus Parking" and a parking attendant will direct buses to the unloading and parking area.

Athletes should arrive at registration dressed in full uniform ready to compete.

Registration:	Teams should plan to arrive at their designated registration time. **Team designated areas (registration, warm-up, etc.) are restricted to those listed on the team's official roster.** Athletes are asked to leave their personal belongings on the bus. Space will NOT be provided to store belongings. **The MSAA and Worcester State University are not responsible for lost or stolen valuables.**
Trainer:	An Athletic Trainer is available in each gym for medical assistance. The trainer may not be available for pre-competition tape – Please plan accordingly. **Schools needing taping for non-emergency situations must provide their own tape for the on-site trainer.**
General:	Stunting outside of the warm-up area is prohibited. No stunting on the grass, parking lot, or concrete outside of the facility. Horns, noisemakers, confetti, and balloons are not permitted. Attaching items to the gym wall is strictly prohibited – **including team banners**.