

BAND DANCE GUIDELINES	
GAME DAY MATERIAL & CROWD EFFECTIVENESS	
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• Incorporated choreography does not emphasize crowd participation. • Content is impractical or ineffective for sideline settings.	
3 - 4	
• Incorporated choreography inconsistently emphasizes crowd participation. • Content is impractical or ineffective for sideline settings.	
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• Incorporated choreography consistently emphasizes crowd engagement and participation. • Content is appropriate for the sideline.	
EXECUTION OF MOTIONS	
1 - 2	
• Motions are unclear, incomplete, or frequently incorrect by most athletes. • Timing is off; Team struggles to stay in sync.	
3 - 4	
• Motions are somewhat accurate but inconsistent by some athletes. • Occasional timing issues or hesitations.	
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• Motions are sharp, precise, and consistently correct. • Strong timing and synchronization throughout.	
EXECUTION OF CROWD LEADING TOOLS	
1 - 2	
• Poor timing and execution of props. • Props lack sharpness and cleanliness.	
3 - 4	
• Standard execution of props. • Props have average sharpness and cleanliness.	
5	
• Strong execution of props. • Props are exceptionally sharp and clean.	

FORMATIONS & SPACING	
1 - 2	
• Minimal crowd coverage relative to the number of athletes on the mat. • Transitions are ineffective and disrupt routine flow and visual appeal. • Minor spacing issues are present throughout the routine.	
• Adequate crowd coverage relative to the number of athletes on the mat. • Transitions are basic, resulting in moderate flow and visual appeal. • Some spacing inconsistencies are present.	
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• Strong crowd coverage relative to the number of athletes on the mat. • Transitions are intentional and enhance routine flow and visual appeal. • Spacing is clean with little to no issues.	
VISUAL APPEAL & ROUTINE COMPOSITION	
1 - 2	
• Lacking overall quality and structure of routine. • Technique and performance have many issues. • Multiple timing errors distract from the performance.	
3 - 4	
• Average overall quality and structure of the routine. • Technique and performance are basic. • Timing errors occasionally distract from the performance.	
5	
• Strong overall quality and structure of the routine. • Technique and performance is strong. • Timing is precise, with few to no distractions.	
SHOWMANSHIP & OVERALL IMPRESSION	
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3 - 4	
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• Performance is highly engaging and consistently energetic. • All participants contribute to a strong connection with the audience. • Verbal and visual cues, as well as crowd interaction, are clear, confident, and sustained throughout.	

CHANT & CROWD LEADING GUIDELINES

GAME DAY RELEVANCE OF SITUATIONAL CUE

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- No Response/No Chant Performed.

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- Incorrect Response.

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- Correct Response.

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EXECUTION OF VOICE

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- Low vocal level with unclear, hard to understand words.
- Some team members are contributing.

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- Standard vocal level with some clear, understandable.
- Inconsistent voice throughout.
- Most team members contribute.

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EFFECTIVENESS & EXECUTION OF SKILLS INCORPORATED	
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