

## **Proposal for Overnight/Extended Student Trips**

Email Address	patricia.gallegos@rimsd41.org
Type of Trip	overnight UCA cheer camp
Proposed Departure Date	Jul 17, 2025
Return Date	Jul 20, 2025
Proposer	Patricia Gallegos
School	RIHS
Position	Head Cheer Coach
Date By Which Response Is Needed	Jun 12, 2025
What is the major place to be visited or event to be attended?	Western Illinois University
How is the trip related to the educational program of the District?	With curriculum centered around the Varsity Spirit / NFHS Squad Credentialing program – cheerleaders will learn to be better leaders, for life.
In what ways will the students benefit?	It's a time for athletes to establish trust, comradery and commitment to one another. Foundations are built, goals are set, skills are mastered, and memories are made
In what ways will the District benefit?	The role of a cheerleader goes far beyond leading the crowd on game day or competing for a trophy.  It's about being a positive light and leader in your community, no matter the circumstances.
How will the trip be evaluated to determine the extent to which these benefits were realized?	-through cheerleader performances
Which students (grade, class, or organization) will be going?	RIHS cheer teams (freshman, sophomore, and varsity)
How many students in total?	approximately 50
How many students are currently experiencing academic problems?	none
Which staff members will be in charge?	Patricia Gallegos-Head Cheer Coach
What previous experience has the staff member had in conducting overnight or extended field trips?	We have attended this camp for the last several years.
What other staff members will be going?	Mackenzie Munday- Asst. Coach, Emily Peterson- Asst. Coach, LaTerionna Pugh- Asst. Coach

How many chaperones, in addition to staff members, will be going?	1
What are their names and affiliations with the students?	Ashely Johnson- Volunteer Coach
How many days of school will be missed?	0
How will teachers be advised in advance that the	
students will be out of school?	n/a
How will missed work be made up?	n/a
What special assistance will be provided to students with academic problems?	n/a
What is the destination?	Western IL University- Macomb, IL
What will be the mode of transportation? What	
liability insurance does the carrier have?	Johannes Bus
Where will the group be housed and fed?	WIU dorm- meals included in camp fee
What enroute or supplementary activities are	
planned?	n/a
What arrangements have been made for dealing with emergency situations?	-collect emergency/health info from athletes and
If tour guides are involved, what liability	parents at a meeting prior to camp
insurance do they carry?	n/a
What is the estimated total cost and cost per	
student?	\$420
What is the source of funds?	fundraising money, self payment
How will the funds be collected and safeguarded?	-given to head coach to turn in to athletic office
How will any shortfall be made up or excess	-shortfall to be made up by athlete, excess will be
funds used?	used toward additional equipment fees
What provision has been made for students who	
are financially unable to pay any necessary costs?	-fundraising opportunities, coaches will fundraise to
How will you communicate to parents prior to,	help supplement costs as well
during, and after the trip?	-through Remind, phone call, and text as well as a parent meeting
List telephone numbers at destination where	
group will be housed.	Corbin-Olson dorm (309) 298-3500
What information will be provided to the media	-final day performance date and time
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and the community?	
Athletic Director approval	Approved by <b>Mike Emendorfer</b>
Principal approval	Approved by <b>Jeff Whilaker</b>
Superintendent/Designee approval	Approved by <b>Scott Vance</b> on May 21, 2025 13:09
Signature of School Board Representative	