

# 2025 WJCL State Convention

## Spirit + Service Overview

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### G.A. Spirit Competition Rules

1. Spirit is judged only for the 15 minutes before Thursday and Friday's general assembly.
2. Schools may not use noisemakers; an object that is not necessarily considered a noisemaker (e.g. a hat), cannot be used to make noise.
3. Nothing may be tossed.
4. Bubbles, glitter, facepaint, non-medical/religious facial coverings, body paint, and hair spray may not be used (hair gel is acceptable).
5. No climbing on people or chairs.
6. The 2nd VP will deduct points for 2-5, with the amount of points determined on a case by case basis.
7. Nothing inappropriate (inappropriate clothing, violence, vulgarity, etc.) is allowed. If a school does anything deemed inappropriate, it will receive zero points for spirit that day.
8. Be mindful of fire codes (keep the aisles clear) and other schools.
9. Do not wander from your assigned seats.
10. Jumping is not allowed.
11. Please email [2ndvp@wjcl.org](mailto:2ndvp@wjcl.org) a brief spirit summary of spirit day one and spirit day two on or before the Wednesday before Convention.
12. If your school has made themed spirit cheers, in Latin and/or in English, each school's 2nd VP or equivalent, must email them to [2ndvp@wjcl.org](mailto:2ndvp@wjcl.org) before midnight of the day before that spirit day. Theme spirit cheers have the possibility to earn your school more points!
13. Look over the rubric to understand the criteria.
14. Schools will be grouped into small, medium, and large delegations (based on number of delegates) for awards.
15. Random acts of spirit are strongly encouraged.
16. Have fun!

### G.A. Spirit Themes

Day One: "LVDVS LVDI" or "School Spirit"

Day Two: "Ages of Man"

# Service Project Info

For the service project, please bring in new or slightly used warm weather clothing. Hats, mittens/gloves, coats, scarves, and socks are all acceptable. These items will be donated to disadvantaged persons in the Madison area.

Spirit point values will be awarded to schools as such on a per-item basis:

- Hats - 3 Points
- Mittens / Gloves - 3 Points
- Coats - 5 Points
- Socks - 2
- Scarves - 2
- **BONUS:** For each full set of the above items donated, **5 bonus points** will be awarded