

**** VIDEO SPECIFICATIONS GUIDE ****

WHAT YOU SHOULD INCLUDE IN YOUR VIDEO:

1. High Energy Introductions! Tell us who you are & what school you attend right away!
2. Show us your SCHOOL SPIRIT, FUN personality, accomplishments and/or hobbies! What do you love doing in your spare time?
3. Have you traveled the world; do you scuba dive, volunteer, ski, wind surf, snowboard, ride horses? Please include additional videos and pictures from the past and present.
4. Introduce us to your inspiration, your biggest fan(s), closest family member(s). Tell us why they're important to you. Include them on camera or upload photos if you don't have access to them. (i.e. If they are deceased or out-of-state).
5. State why you think your team will be successful on College Bowl!

Have fun with this! Let your personality shine through. If there is something you'd like to tell us that we haven't asked, tell us!

PLEASE DO NOT SIT/STAND AND GIVE A MONOLOGUE!

We are not only looking for knowledge and trivia skills but also **PERSONALITY**, so let it shine!

******* BRING YOUR "A" GAME! *******

Your video must be **no more than 2 minutes** in length.

You must have **vocal** as well as **visual** energy and be articulate.

Check your sound! Make sure your audio has recorded!

***** Before you begin, please read the following Tips and Instructions so you're sure to look your best.**

TIPS:

HAVE SOMEONE FILM YOU.

It will make the quality of your tape better. Just be comfortable, no matter how you do it.

FILMING ON A PHONE-TURN THE PHONE SIDEWAYS

This will eliminate the black bars on either side of the footage

MAKE SURE YOU ARE NOT BACKLIT.

Standing in front of windows or other major light sources looks terrible on camera.

ALL ROOMS SHOULD BE WELL LIT TO AVOID SHADOWS.

IF YOU THINK YOU HAVE A STORY THAT WE'D BE INTERESTED IN FEATURING,
PLEASE TELL THAT STORY ON CAMERA. Use the personal questions on the
application as a guide for what to talk about.

PLEASE WATCH YOUR ENTIRE VIDEO BEFORE UPLOADING OR MAILING IT
to make sure it looks and sounds good.

DO NOT PUT TEXTS/WORDS ON YOUR VIDEO
