

**2022-2024 Minnesota State High School League Dance Team Competition
JAZZ JUDGING CRITERIA**

		Very Poor	Poor	Marginal	Below Average	Average	Above Average	Good	Very Good	Excellent	Superior
SKILLS	TECHNIQUE OF TURNS										
	Posture	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Upper Body Placement										
	Lower Body Placement										
	TECHNIQUE OF LEAPS & JUMPS										
	Height	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Extension											
Alignment											

CHOREOGRAPHY	CREATIVITY										
	Musicality	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Originality										
	Variety										
	VISUAL EFFECTIVENESS										
	Levels	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Groups											
Use of Floor											

DIFFICULTY	DIFFICULTY OF ROUTINE CHOREOGRAPHY										
	Quality of Movement	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Complexity										
	Distribution of Movement										
	DIFFICULTY OF FORMATIONS & TRANSITIONS										
	Variety	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Distribution										
	Intricacy, Planning, and Achievement										
	DIFFICULTY OF SKILLS										
Combinations	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Variety and Distribution											
Pace											

EXECUTION	PLACEMENT & CONTROL										
	Placement	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Control										
	Consistency Throughout Routine										
	DEGREE OF ACCURACY										
	Memory	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Timing and Unity											
Spacing											

ROUTINE EFFECTIVENESS	ROUTINE EFFECTIVENESS										
	Overall Impression	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Stamina										
	Confidence and Expression										

TOTAL SCORE	OUT OF 100 POINTS	
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TEAM NAME	JUDGE'S NAME
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