## FGCU Dancing E'Gals Fall Audition Information Sheet

The Florida Gulf Coast University Dancing E'Gals is a sport club organization in its 16th year. The E'Gals consists of 15 to 18 dancers ranging from freshman to senior class status. The team's main focus is to support and provide energetic performances for the FGCU Division 1 Athletic Teams and the FGCU Sport Clubs at select home games. Along with practices and games, the FGCU Dancing E'Gals will be found participating in community service events all over South West Florida. The team attended Nationals in the past in Las Vegas, Orlando, and Tampa. The Dancing E'Gals continue to grow every year. Each year, the team competes at DTU's College Classic in Orlando during April.

## Audition Information April 27th & 28th 10-4 PM FGCU University Recreation and Wellness Center

- Please arrive 30 minutes early to sign in and fill out paperwork
- We ask that your hair and makeup look performance ready. You can keep your hair out of your face by pinning it back, or in a neat pony if you would like.
- Please wear a sports bra in any color except black with black spandex shorts for both days.
- You must have a 45 second to 1 minute solo prepared in either a jazz or contemporary/lyrical style.
- Auditions will be composed of 3 rounds, starting with technique across the floor & center, choreography round, and then ending with a solo and interview.
- Auditions will contain learning 3 combinations including: Pom, Jazz, and HipHop.
- The Choreography round will last two days with learning the combinations one Day One and performing them on Day Two for our judges.

## Please bring the following items with you:

- A headshot 5x7
- Your FGCU Student ID or a copy of your FGCU Acceptance Letter
- Your solo music on your phone
- Jazz shoes/lyrical shoes
- Sneakers
- Sweatpants/joggers
- Snacks and water

\*Minimum skills the team requires: triple pirouettes, three eight counts of turns in second, jumps (ex. split leaps, straddle jumps, calypsos, turning disks, switch leaps, etc.), along with strong jazz, pom, hip hop, and contemporary technique. Tumbling and skills such as aerials, walkovers, headsprings, back/front handsprings / tucks, and kip ups are an added bonus but are not mandatory. Performance skills, crowd raising techniques, strong work ethic, teamwork, and being a positive representative of FGCU is imperative for all members.

To register for auditions or for any additional questions please email: <a href="mailto:fgcudancinge-gals@yahoo.com">fgcudancinge-gals@yahoo.com</a>