



## **SECTION 4: CATEGORY DESCRIPTIONS**

At Dance Team World, we believe dance team is about more than just replication — it's about **celebration of originality, authenticity, and artistic expression.** We understand that the very idea of "dance team" varies from state-to-state, and also internationally.

We encourage teams to bring their own unique voice and creativity to the floor in every category. There is no specific "formula" or style we expect — we welcome innovation, risk-taking, and routines that reflect the identity of your team and your dancers.

Our judging panel is committed to providing feedback that is not only fair and thoughtful, but also **genuinely helpful to your growth throughout the season.** Whether you're refining a style, debuting a new concept, or building your team's confidence, our goal is to support your process through meaningful evaluation... and most importantly, friendly camaraderie!

Explore the next pages for detailed descriptions of each category — and remember, your artistry and creativity are always welcome here!

