

# Blue Faze Step Team Constitution

## **Article I: Club Name**

- Blue Faze Step Team

## **Article II: Purpose of Club**

The purpose of the Blue Faze Step Team is to create an atmosphere of unity and diversification through stepping and group creativity. Blue Faze Step Team also has a set goal to represent the ideals of one sound. The team is established for the purpose of creating diversification and bridging the gap between cultural diversities through entertainment. The group is a form of entertainment with the purpose of teaching the community to demonstrate teamwork and cooperation through stepping with one sound. The team's purpose is to also demonstrate unity within the community through community service and co-partnering with other campus club organizations. The team and its members physically represent their goal for diversity, individual differences, and unique backgrounds. With the goal for one sound and unity, the team is the beginning of a new sound and a new flavor.

## **Article III: Mission Statement**

Strive to create diversity among everyone in our area. We are not just steppers but role models. We show that our body movements can have the same impact as words. Blue Faze Step Team are students from all over that take steps to create foot steps both in and out of Elizabethtown.

## **Article IV: Eligibility and Member Recruitment**

- No experience needed
- Tryouts held 1 time every semester
- Both boys and girls eligible
- Determination
- Positive attitude that will benefit oneself and the group as a whole
- Dedication to the team
- Mandatory practices two times a week; Sunday 8pm-10pm and other day to be determined to change every semester depending on members schedule.

## **Article V: List of Officers**

- President
- Vice President
- Treasurer
- Secretary

## **Article VI: Officer Duties**

- President:
  - Promote and uphold the ideals of the Blue Faze Step Team
  - Call practices into order
  - In charge of running and ending practice
  - Create alliances with step teams from various colleges and universities

- Provide group training and practices
- Set up events and group appearances
- Create service projects for the team to complete
- Promote and push for team presentation excellence
- Moderate and help to find solutions for team conflict
- Key contact for events, shows, and meetings
- Finalizes decisions of the team
- Vice President:
  - Promote and up hold the ideals of the Blue Faze Step Team
  - Call practices into order
  - Second in command
  - Help with running practice and ending practice
  - Provide group training and practices
  - Promote and push for team presentation excellence
  - Moderate and help to find solutions for team conflict
  - Second key contact for events, shows, and meetings
  - Helps finalize decisions of the team
- Treasurer:
  - Promote and up hold the ideals of the Blue Faze Step Team
  - Provide and keep accurate data on group funding and accounts
  - Responsible for keeping accurate banking records
  - Create invoices on spending
  - In charge of fundraising event planning
  - Responsible for holding account information
- Secretary:
  - Promote and up hold the ideals of the Blue Faze Step Team
  - Responsible for taking role
  - Keep track of members who miss practice or are late to practice
  - Keep accurate records and article of the team
  - Responsible for write-ups for team events
  - Responsible for sending out emails
- Members:
  - Promote and up hold the ideals of the Blue Faze Step Team
  - Not allowed to miss more than 2 practices
  - Arrive on time
  - Seek additional help when do not understand step
  - Commit to the same level of work as the rest of the team
  - Help others
  - Be prepared for practice
  - Show commitment to team

#### **Article VII: Advisor Role**

- Advisor
  - Offer support and encouragement
  - Help team with fundraising events
  - Be in contact via e-mail about upcoming events and team updates
  - Meet the Blue Faze Step Team members

- Attend a show each semester
- Promote the group by spreading the word and getting information out
- Be a moderator if a situation occurs
- Be able to offer suggestions and ideas
- Create a personal as well as a professional relationship with the team

**Article VII: Attendance**

- After 2 missed practices, members will meet with the Cabinet about commitment to the team and participation in upcoming performances.
- If the member is still very committed to the team, the member and Cabinet can discuss the circumstances of the missed practices and the continuation of the member's participation in the upcoming events.

**Article VIII: Elections and Voting**

- When vacancy becomes available in the cabinet current members may run for open position
- Any member can nominate another member
- At least majority of membership present approval needed of new officer
- Quorum for voting is at least  $\frac{3}{4}$  current membership

**Article IX: Amendment to this document**

- Members have input to Constitution
- Advisor has input to Constitution
- 50% plus one of membership must approve amendments
- Any member can propose an amendment