

Cheer on / Cheer for / Cheer up (1 Answers)

*This sheet deals with **cheering up/on/for** someone or some team*

Cheer someone on: *support them at the place they are performing*

****Generally, when they can hear you and get encouragement/energy from you**

I went to my son's soccer match to **cheer him on**. (He can hear me)

Cheer for someone: *support them from far away or as one's favorite performer*

**** Generally, when they can't hear you (ex. on TV, a stadium, etc.)**

Kim **cheered for** Team USA watching the Olympics on TV.

Green Bay is a football town and nearly everyone **cheers for** the Packers.

Another common way to say **cheer for is **root for** someone*

Cheer someone up: *try to make them happy when they are sad*

I told a joke to try and **cheer my team up** when we lost our final game.

1. Please come to the soccer game and cheer for us!
2. Please come to the soccer game and cheer us on !
3. Mom cheered me up with ice cream when I failed the test. Ice cream always cheers me up .
4. Many Japanese have been cheering for the LA Angels since OTANI started playing there. Many Japanese fans wish they could go to the LA stadium in America and cheer him on .
5. Kim's favorite player moved to Manchester United, so now she cheers for Manchester United and not his old team.
6. The 2 sisters are playing against each other in the tennis final and their parents don't know who to cheer for more! Of course, they'll cheer both on .
7. Too bad we lost the game. But cheer up , we'll do better next time! Many of our family and friends will be cheering for us at that game!!
8. Let's go over and cheer on the marathon runners!
9. Cheerleaders cheer on/for their football team by shouting "Go team! Go!"
10. Who will you cheer for in the game? The Giants or The Reds?
11. Cheer up ! My heart has been broken before too. You'll be OK.
12. What country did you cheer for the most in the last World Cup?
13. Many parents go to school sports festivals to cheer on their kids.
14. The whole country cheered for NASA's success during the 1969 moon landing.
15. We sat right behind the players' bench and cheered them on all game.
16. What are some ways to cheer you up when you are feeling blue?
17. My favorite team isn't playing today, so I'm not cheering for either team.
18. Ted's a diehard Yankee fan and has cheered for them his whole life, but there's nothing that can cheer him up when they lose big games.

*If you noticed, there is one key grammar difference between **cheer on** and **cheer for**:*

1. You can **cheer someone on** (You can **cheer on** someone, but it must be a plural noun or a team. You **CAN NOT cheer on** me/you/us/him/her/etc. or a name: Bob)
2. You can **cheer for** someone (You **CAN NOT cheer** someone **for**)

