

Debating Course

Name: _____

What is "Debate"? Learn to argue on both sides.

Argument – two sides don't agree with each other.

A **debate** is a competition. Two teams are assigned to support their side and disagree with the other team.

There will get things. This will have opportunities for to become **spokes**.

Each team will have a **topic** (some are "FOR" some are "AGAINST" side).

- FOR means you support the topic. You must explain why it is **BETTER**.
- AGAINST means you disagree with the topic. You must find reasons why it is **WORSE**.

Remember! It's not about winning or losing.

If you agree the topic, you can't agree your side is better than the other side. If you agree the topic, you can't agree your side is better than the other side.

Every student will have a chance to speak and debate.

Students will also be evaluated, you can see why the other team is wrong.

The teacher will judge the competition and decide who the winners are.

Remember: Debate is for fun and learning.

Words	Meaning
debate	_____
opinion	_____
for	_____
against	_____
topic	_____
debated	_____
team	_____
side	_____
judge	_____
argument	_____

Minutes
■ To agree with the topic.
■ An opinion that is better than the other.
■ Something you think is better.
■ Speak, saying why the other team is wrong.
■ It is right or wrong.
■ The person who decides the winner.
■ It is wrong or better.
■ To disagree with the topic.
■ You do not agree with something.
■ A competition with two teams trying to be the best by saying why the other team is wrong.