

Debating Course

Name: _____

What is "debate"? Learning objectives

Argument – two sides don't agree with each other

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

There will get things. They will have opportunities to be better than

Each team will have a side. There is a "PRO" and a "CON" side.

- PRO means you agree with the topic. You must explain why it is GOOD.
- CON means you disagree with the topic. You must find reasons why it is BAD.

Remember! It's not about winning or losing.

If you agree the PRO side, even if you DON'T agree, your job is to argue that you do. If you are on the CON side, even if you DO agree, your job is to say that you don't.

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.

Feedback: How to be the best debater.

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

Minutes
■ To agree with the topic.
■ An opinion that you are better than.
■ 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 correct.
■ To disagree with the topic.
■ You do not agree with something.
■ A competition with two teams trying to be better than the other team.