

THE

GREAT

Do you have what it takes to
win the debate?



DEBATE

* Each student will make a statement based on one of the following topics:

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| - Should cellular phones be allowed in school? |
| - Is homework useful? |
| - Should school be voluntary? |
| - Should school hours be changed to 12:00pm - 6:00pm? |
| - Do sports promote violence? |
| - Should video games be banned? |

* Based on these statements, the student body will ask questions at which point the debate will begin.

* You can also give two groups of competing students one of the above topics and have them debate against each other.

Rules:

1. No yelling.
2. No name-calling.
3. No obscenities
4. No speaking out of turn or interrupting.



* You will have fifteen minutes to debate your topics with your opposing team.

* If your school does not hold student elections, you can still use this activity to practice and learn about the debate process!