

Third speaker, Affirmative team

Introduction

1 Good morning/afternoon/evening Mr/Madam Chairman, distinguished guests, teachers and students.

2 The topic for our debate is 'that ... (Insert the topic of the debate.)'

3 We, the affirmative team, believe that this statement is true.

Rebuttal

1 The first speaker for the negative has tried to tell you (During the debate, list the main Arguments outlined by the first speaker for the negative team. Insert them here.)

2 This is wrong because (During the debate write a reason why that point is wrong. Insert it here.)

3 The second negative speaker has tried to tell you (During the debate, list the main arguments outlined by the second speaker for the negative team. Insert them here.)

4 This is wrong because (During the debate write a reason why what your opposition's second speaker has said is wrong. If you have some more points list them as well.)

Summary

1 As third speaker it is your job to summarize your case. You do this by listing the points of your first and second speaker.

2 Our first speaker spoke to you about (Insert your first speaker's first argument. Include a reason to support this argument.)

3 S/he also spoke about (Insert your first speaker's second argument. Include a reason to support this argument.)

4 Our second speaker told you that (Insert your second speaker's first argument. Include reasons to support this argument.)

5 S/he also said that (Insert your second speaker's second argument. Include reasons to support this argument.

6 Make sure that you have included all your team's arguments and reasons.)

Ending

So Mr/Madam Chairman, distinguished guests, teachers and students, in conclusion our team believes ... (As the final speaker for your team it is important to end your speech with a really memorable and powerful statement. If you can't think of anything to say you may say 'thank you' to finish.)

Third speaker, Negative team (Against the topic)

Introduction

1 Good morning/afternoon/evening Mr/Madam Chairman, distinguished guests, teachers and students.

2 The topic for our debate is 'that ... (Insert the topic of the debate.)'

3 We, the affirmative team, believe that this statement to be false.

Rebuttal

1 The first speaker for the affirmative has tried to tell you (During the debate, list the main Arguments outlined by the first speaker for the affirmative team. Insert them here.)

2 This is wrong because (During the debate write a reason why that point is wrong. Insert it here.)

3 The second affirmative speaker has tried to tell you (During the debate, list the main arguments outlined by the second speaker for the affirmative team. Insert them here.)

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