

CARNIVALESQUE 4.0

2025

BATTLE OF BOOKS [DEBATE]

Do you possess a voice that defies the ordinary and a mind sharpened by critical thinking? Step into the intellectual arena that is *Battle of the Books*. Face off against fellow debaters in a contest where bold ideas clash and powerful rhetoric reigns. In this arena, every statement is a strike, every counterpoint a calculated move. But this isn't just about victory—it's about challenging perspectives, exploring uncharted ideas, and questioning norms. Step up, speak out, and stand your ground. The battle is here—is you ready to claim your place?

COMPETITION GUIDELINES

1.	Name of the Competition	Battle of Books
2.	Date of Competition	25 th April, 2025
3.	Concept of Competition	In this competition, participants will engage in discussions and present their arguments on a given topic. The winner will be determined by the strength of their argumentation. There will be three rounds in total.
4.	Eligibility	 For the junior group, it is 13 to 15 years of age For the senior group, it is 16 years and above A separate category for Amity Students.
5.	Rules and Regulation	 The time limit for each participant is 4 minutes. The medium of communication is English only. Interrupting a speaker is forbidden.

		• Inappropriate usage of words or language is forbidden.
		• Time will be noted, and participants will be alerted with 15 seconds remaining.
		• The decision of the jury will stand final, no further clarifications will be entertained.
		• The use of mobile phone during the competition is strictly prohibited.
		• The registration fee is Rs 100 only (Excluding GST).
		• Once the registration is done, no refund will be initiated.
		• Not abiding by any instructions will lead to disqualification.
		• Time will be strictly followed.
		• Mic will get turned off after the time limit exceeds for the smooth functioning of the event and convenience of others.
6.	Structure of Competition	• The topic for the debate will be disclosed shortly before the commencement of the event.
		• Participants will be assigned their stance—either For or Against—on the spot. Students must be prepared to speak from either perspective, regardless of personal opinion/interest.
		Round 1: Selection Round
		In this round, each student will deliver a brief speech on a topic of their own choosing. They will be asked questions and will move forward into the next round based on their response.
		• Round 2: Argument Round Selected participants will present their arguments in favor of or against the assigned topic.
		• Round 3: Rebuttal Round Students will respond to opposing arguments presented in Round 2.
7.	Rewards	Certificate of Participation for all.
		Certificate of Merit for the Winners

Note:-

- Participants are required to bring one valid Id Proof.
- The cafeteria will be open to all participants and they can bring money for the same.
- Refreshment will be provided for the participants as well as parents.

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