
Describe a competition you want to take part in

You should say:

What the competition is

How you knew it

What you need to prepare for it

And explain why you want to attend it

I think it's a "National English Debate Contests for University Students"

I first heard about it in an English class in university when my teacher encouraged everyone to give it a try.

First and foremost, I need to have a clear idea about the rules, things like what I can do and what I should not do during the contest. Next, I have to reach a higher level of English fluency, which is one of the most useful skills to leave a good impression on the judges. Some debate skills are things I don't know much about, so I have to do some research. Knowledge about a wide range of subjects (like politics, economics and culture) may be helpful too. And of course, practice makes perfect, you know.

There's simply two reasons why I want to attend it. One is that preparing for this contest will unconsciously improve my speaking skills. The other reason is that I can discover my weaknesses and shortcomings in the competition, as well as learn to think from others' perspectives and improve independent thinking.

Do you think competition is important at work places?

Yes, it's important. Competition can make employees more motivated at work. So, it can improve their work efficiency and the overall productivity of the company.

其他观点

I think so. To win in the competitions, employees must push themselves forward. As a result, they can realize their potential and accumulate more experience and even wealth.

What do you think of those who lose in a competition?

I think it's OK to lose in a competition. As long as you try your best to win, you are bound to grow and improve, whatever the result may be.

其他观点

I think the process is more important than the result. If you lose in a competition, you can learn from your failure and mistakes, which you can avoid in the future. Chances are you will win next time.

What kinds of competitions are popular in your hometown?

Reading competition is popular. The reason who reads the most books in a particular period is the winner. This competition is aimed at encouraging people to read more books and watch less TV.

其他观点

We have a square-dancing competition which involves several teams made up of senior citizens in our city. It attracts a large audience and can enrich the life of old people significantly.

There are many competition programs on TV nowadays, why?

The competition programs are very popular because the audience can not only enjoy watching the exciting show but also join the lively discussions and leave their own comments on the participants.

其他观点

The audiences are always curious about the results of the competitions, so they want to keep watching and find out. Moreover, the winner can be a very inspiring figure to the audience. So many TV stations choose to broadcast these programs.

What kinds of jobs or work should not involve competition?

Personally, I think all jobs should involve competition. Only if there is competition, can we really try to improve our work efficiency, regardless of what kind of jobs we do.

其他观点

All work should involve competition. If there is no competition, employees will just take their jobs for granted and stop improving their work efficiency, the whole society may cease to grow as a result.