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## Guidelines

Dear participants, we are pleased to inform you that we are going to organize a Debate competition as a part of our upcoming cultural fest. Here are some instructions should be followed by the participants.

## **Rules & Regulations:**

- 1. Each team should comprise of two speakers. Speaker cannot read out from prepared texts.
- 2. 1 team will speak for the motion (The Affirmative) and other against the motion (The negative). The teams must not shift their point of view.
  (Whatever their private opinions may be).
- 3. If a speaker makes a statement, they must be able to provide evidence or reasons to support the statement.
- 4. Each speaker will be given 5 minutes to speak.
- 5. A warning bell will be rung at the end of the 4 minutes of speaking and the final bell will be at the end of 5min.
- 6. After every individual speaker finishes his speech only 2 min allowed for the rebuttal round, short précised question should be asking to the speakers, and must be related with the content of speaker.
- 7. Incase no question is asked within the first 10 second of rebuttal round then the judge will give full marks for rebuttal to the speaker.