**Structure and Roles of Our Debates**

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| **AFFIRMATIVE TEAM** | **NEGATIVE TEAM** |
| **FIRST SPEAKER**  1. Introduce and define topic from affirmative point of view.  2. Introduce each speaker and summarise what each will argue. | **FIRST SPEAKER**  1. Define topic from negative point of view.  2. Introduce each speaker and summarise what they will argue. |
| **SECOND SPEAKER**  1. Refutes arguments presented by the negative team.  2. Provide affirmative argument and examples to support it. | **SECOND SPEAKER**  1. Refutes arguments presented by the affirmative team.  2. Provide negative argument and examples to support it. |
| **THIRD SPEAKER**  1. Refutes arguments presented by the negative team.  2. Provide affirmative argument and examples to support it. | **THIRD SPEAKER**  1. Refutes arguments presented by the affirmative team.  2. Provide negative argument and examples to support it. |
| **FOURTH SPEAKER**  1. Sums up the case for the affirmative team, not introducing new arguments, rebutting only.  2. Concluding on a strong note. | **FOURTH SPEAKER**  1. Sums up the case for the negative team, not introducing new arguments, rebutting only.  2. Concluding on a strong note. |
| **ALL AFFIRMATIVE MEMBERS**  -Listens to ideas presented by the negative team.  -Jots down ideas to assist the team to refute arguments put forward by the negative team. | **ALL NEGATIVE MEMBERS**  -Listens to ideas presented by the affirmative team.  -Jots down ideas to refute arguments put forward by the affirmative team. |