

Rules for the Debate

Big Rule: Everyone listens while others are speaking, and no Personal attacks.

Other Rules:

- 1) We will start with two opposing sides making a one to two-minute statement for their point.
- 2) We will then move to a point, counter-point type of debate.

What You Need To Do In The Next Fifteen Minutes In Your Group To Prepare For The Debate

- 1) Using the handout provided, come up with arguments for your position, using your own experience and evidence from your readings here at UCSB. **More weight will be given to arguments based on texts.**
- 2) You will work in small groups, but you will come together into two large groups: pro or con.