

# DEBATE RUBRIC

Category					Score
	4	3	2	1	
<b>Addresses Issues</b>	Always addresses topic	Usually addresses topic	Rarely addresses topic	Did not address topic	
<b>Support with Facts</b>	Uses many facts that support topic	Uses some facts that support topic	Uses few facts that support topic	Does not use facts that support topic	
<b>Persuasiveness</b>	Arguments clear and convincing	Arguments are sometimes clear and convincing	Arguments are rarely clear and convincing	Arguments are never clear and convincing	
<b>Teamwork</b>	Used team member effectively  Equal timing	One member does the talking 75% of the time	One member does the talking 100% of the time	No one talks	
<b>Organization</b>	Electrifies audience in opening statement Closure convinces audience	Grabs attention  Brings closure to the debate	Introduces topic and brings some closure to the debate	Does not introduce topic; no closure	

**TOTAL** \_\_\_\_\_

Taken from: <http://www2.lhric.org/ertc/Wendy/Wzrubric.htm> ERTC online.