## SPEED DEBATE

## 1 hour PREP PHASE

Divide the class in groups of 3 max 4 students
3 teams PRO
3 teams CON
In each team:

1. Collect ideas and info on "your side of the topic"
2. Prepare a 2 -min speech (all members of the team should speak)

Consider that during the DEBATE:
You will deliver your speech in front of your opponent
// your opponent will take notes
And the teams not involved in the Debate will evaluate you (see evaluation Chart)

Back in your teams:
You will prepare a REBUTTAL (= reply) based on your notes
After the Rebuttal
Wait for the judges to declare the winner


## DEBATE FIRST PART

|  | Rebuttal <br> preparation | DEBATE | // voting |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $1^{\text {st }}$ round | $/$ | team 1 "fast" <br> VS <br> team 1 "slow" | Teams 2 vote <br> (teams 3 stand by) |


|  | Rebuttal <br> preparation | DEBATE | // voting |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2nd round | Teams 1 prepare <br> their rebuttal <br> speech | team 2 "fast" <br> team 2 "slow" | Teams 3 vote |


|  | Rebuttal <br> preparation | DEBATE | // voting |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3rd round | Teams 2 prepare <br> their rebuttal <br> speech | team 3 "fast" <br> team 3 "slow" | Teams 1 vote |
|  | Teams 3 prepare <br> their rebuttal <br> speech | $\rightarrow$ YOU CAN START THE REBUTTAL |  |
| PHASE |  |  |  |

## DEBATE SECOND PART

## Let's keep the same scheme so that Team 3 has time for REBUTTAL

|  | REBUTTAL | // voting |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $1^{\text {ST }}$ round | team 1 "fast" <br> VS <br> team 1 "slow" | Teams 2 vote |
| $2^{\text {ND round }}$ | team 2 "fast" <br> teas 2 "slow" | Teams 3 vote |
| $3^{\text {RD round }}$ | team 3 "fast" <br> team 3 "slow" | Teams 1 vote |

