

Public Speaking and Debate

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About Me

- State and National Debate Qualifier for the NSDA Tournament
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What is Public Speaking and Debate?

Public Speaking-

oral presentations or speeches delivered to an audience

Public Forum Debate-

Logically arguing current event topics

Course Overview

- Public speaking basics (Speaking clearly, conquering nervousness)
- Speaking games and activities
- class presentations

- Debate basics (argument structure, writing rebuttal speeches, finding loopholes)
- crafting strong arguments with effective research
- class debates

Why you should join!

- Better participation and confidence in class
- Higher grades on school presentations and projects
- Stand out in college applications
- Prepare for all future careers
- learn about current news events
- Make new friends
- FUN!

Thank you!!

Hope to see you in the coming semester!