



# CT MIDDLE SCHOOL DEBATE LEAGUE

## COMPETITIVE PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE

### WHAT IS THE CTMSDL?

- Statewide debate league
- Novice & Open divisions
- Novice scrimmage + 4 tournaments/ year
- Teams can be teacher, parent or high school debater led

### HOW CAN WE HELP YOU?

- Inexpensive (dues=\$50/yr)
- Coaches and principals available to mentor new schools
- Attend as many or as few tournaments as you want
- Compete right away or observe first
- Let us help you gauge student interest

### WHY DEBATE?

It's fun! | Develops critical thinking, communication, collaboration & creativity skills | Improves reading, grades, school attendance, self-esteem & interest in school | Helps students find their people

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