

Всероссийская олимпиада школьников по английскому языку
Муниципальный этап
9-11 классы 2025 -2026 гг.

SPEAKING

Вариант 1

A STUDENT'S CARD

You and your friend are preparing for an upcoming School Debates Club session. You've decided to practice a debate on a contemporary issue. One of you will argue 'FOR' the given statement, and the other 'AGAINST' it.

Debate Question: The best way to protect endangered animals is to create reserves for the animals to live without human interference.

The student who is 'FOR' must use the following expressions in his/her argumentation: *foster* and *malnutrition*.

The student who is 'AGAINST' must use the following expressions in his/her argumentation: *captivity* and *breeding programs*.

You have 2 minutes to prepare (silent, do not speak to each other).

You have 3 - 4 minutes to talk. Each of you must come up with 2 strong arguments to support your position.

Вариант 2

A STUDENT'S CARD

You and your friend are preparing for an upcoming School Debates Club session. You've decided to practice a debate on a contemporary issue. One of you will argue 'FOR' the given statement, and the other 'AGAINST' it.

Debate Question: Using animals for entertainment, for example in circuses, is unethical.

The student who is 'FOR' must use the following expressions in his/her argumentation: ***captivity*** and ***malnutrition***.

The student who is 'AGAINST' must use the following expressions in his/her argumentation: ***habitat*** and ***foster***.

You have 2 minutes to prepare (silent, do not speak to each other).

You have 3 - 4 minutes to talk. Each of you must come up with 2 strong arguments to support your position.

Вариант 3

A STUDENT'S CARD

You and your friend are preparing for an upcoming School Debates Club session. You've decided to practice a debate on a contemporary issue. One of you will argue 'FOR' the given statement, and the other 'AGAINST' it.

Debate Question: Animals bred for food should be kept in humane conditions.

The student who is 'FOR' must use the following expressions in his/her argumentation: ***captivity*** and ***cage-free***.

The student who is 'AGAINST' must use the following expressions in his/her argumentation: ***welfare of farmed animals*** and ***endure***.

You have 2 minutes to prepare (silent, do not speak to each other).

You have 3 - 4 minutes to talk. Each of you must come up with 2 strong arguments to support your position.

A STUDENT'S CARD

You and your friend are preparing for an upcoming School Debates Club session. You've decided to practice a debate on a contemporary issue. One of you will argue 'FOR' the given statement, and the other 'AGAINST' it.

Debate Question: People who live in flats should not be allowed to have pets that require exercise.

The student who is 'FOR' must use the following expressions in his/her argumentation: *foster* and *animals' welfare*.

The student who is 'AGAINST' must use the following expressions in his/her argumentation: *breeds* and *object to (verb)*.

You have 2 minutes to prepare (silent, do not speak to each other).

You have 3 - 4 minutes to talk. Each of you must come up with 2 strong arguments to support your position.