



2024 Competition Overview

NOTE: teams **must** be able to make themselves available to facilitate a catch-up debate on **any date listed below** if requested (only exception= compulsory school event at the time of the debate).

TERMS 1-2

| Event | Week | Date | Division | Topic | Teams arrive by | Debate starts | Venue |
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| Round 1 | Term 1, Week 8 | WED 13/03 | Junior A | <i>The existence of Zoos is justified.</i> | 5:45pm | 6:00pm | North: Saint Stephen's College South: Hillcrest Christian College |
| | | | Intermediate A | <i>Allowing companies to sell our data does more harm than good.</i> | 5:45pm | 6:00pm | North: A.B. Paterson College South: All Saints Anglican School |
| | Term 1, Week 9 | WED 20/03 | Intermediate B | <i>The existence of Zoos is justified.</i> | 5:45pm | 6:00pm | North: Trinity Lutheran College South: Hillcrest Christian College |
| | | | Open | Short preparation | 4:45pm | 6:00pm | North: A.B. Paterson College South: All Saints Anglican School |
| | Term 1, Week 10 | WED 27/03 | Junior B | <i>Sweet is better than savoury.</i> | See draw. | See draw. | All: All Saints Anglican School |
| | Catch-ups only | Term 2, Week 1 | WED 17/04 | As needed | TBA | | |
| Round 2 | Term 2, Week 2 | WED 24/04 | Junior A | <i>Parents should monitor their children's online activity.</i> | 5:45pm | 6:00pm | North: Saint Stephen's College South: Hillcrest Christian College |
| | | | Intermediate A | Short preparation | 4:15pm | 6:00pm | North: A.B. Paterson College South: All Saints Anglican School |
| | Term 2, Week 3 | WED 01/05 | Intermediate B | <i>Parents should monitor their children's online activity.</i> | 5:45pm | 6:00pm | North: Trinity Lutheran College South: Hillcrest Christian College |
| | | | Open | Short preparation | 4:45pm | 6:00pm | North: A.B. Paterson College South: All Saints Anglican School |
| | Term 2, Week 4 | WED 08/05 | Junior B | TBA | See draw. | See draw. | All: All Saints Anglican School |
| Term 2, Week 5 | WED 15/05 | Junior A | Short preparation | 4:00pm | 6:00pm | North: Saint Stephen's College South: Hillcrest Christian College | |

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| Round 3 | Term 2, Week 6 | WED 22/05 | Intermediate A | Short preparation | 4:15pm | 6:00pm | North: A.B. Paterson College South: All Saints Anglican School |
| | | | Intermediate B | Short preparation | 4:15pm | 6:00pm | North: Trinity Lutheran College South: Hillcrest Christian College |
| | Term 2, Week 7 | WED 29/05 | Open | Short preparation | 4:45pm | 6:00pm | North: A.B. Paterson College South: All Saints Anglican School |
| | | | Junior B | TBA | See draw. | See draw. | All: All Saints Anglican School |
| Round 4 | Term 2, Week 8 | WED 05/06 | Junior A | Short preparation | 4:00pm | 6:00pm | North: Saint Stephen's College South: Hillcrest Christian College |
| | | | Intermediate A | Short preparation | 4:15pm | 6:00pm | North: A.B. Paterson College South: All Saints Anglican School |
| | Term 2, Week 9 | WED 12/06 | Intermediate B | Short preparation | 4:15pm | 6:00pm | North: Trinity Lutheran College South: Hillcrest Christian College |
| | | | Open | Short preparation | 4:45pm | 6:00pm | North: A.B. Paterson College South: All Saints Anglican School |

TERM 3 – ALL DEBATES ARE SHORT PREP

| Event | Week | Date | Teams arrive by | Debate starts | Division | Venue |
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| <i>Catch-ups only</i> | Term 3, Week 1 | WED 10/07 | TBA | | | |
| Round 4 | Term 3, Week 2 | WED 17/07 | 4:00pm | 6:00pm | Junior B | North: TBC – SSC or ABP? |
| | | | | | | Central: Trinity Lutheran College |
| | | | | | | South: Somerset College |
| R5 OR Ro16 <i>(TBC which one)</i> | Term 3, Week 3 | WED 24/07 | 4:00pm | | Junior A | All: Hillcrest Christian College |
| | | | 4:15pm | | Intermediate A | All: All Saints Anglican School |
| | Term 3, Week 4 | WED 31/07 | 4:15pm | | Intermediate B | All: Hillcrest Christian College |
| | | | 4:45pm | | Open | All: A.B. Paterson College |
| Round 5 | Term 3, Week 5 | WED 07/08 | 4:00pm | | Junior B | North: TBC – SSC or ABP? |
| | | | | | | Central: Trinity Lutheran College |
| | | | | | | South: Somerset College |
| Quarter Finals | Term 3, Week 6 | WED 14/08 | 4:15pm | | Intermediate A | All: Trinity Lutheran College |
| | | | 4:15pm | | Intermediate B | |
| | | | 4:00pm | | Junior A | |
| | | | 4:45pm | | Open | |
| Finals | Term 3, Week 7 | WED 21/08 | 4:00pm | | Junior B | All: Somerset College |
| Semifinals | Term 3, Week 8 | WED 28/08 | | | Junior A | All: Somerset College |
| | | | | | Intermediate B | |
| | | | | | Intermediate A | |
| | | | | | Open | |
| <i>Catch-ups only</i> | Term 3, Week 9 | WED 04/09 | | | <i>As needed</i> | TBA |
| Grand Finals | | SUN 08/09 | TBA | | Junior A, Intermediate A, Intermediate B & Open | All: Bond University |