

SCHOOLS' COMPETITION

2025 PROGRAM

(Updated Zone 2 Junior B Grade Draw 30 April 2025 Zone 2 Junior A Grade Draw 3 May 2025 Zone Intermediate A Grade Draw 10 April 2025)

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SCHOOLS' CHIEF ADMINISTRATOR'S MESSAGE

Welcome to the SADA Schools' Competition for 2025.

Debating is an important co-curricular activity that promotes the development of effective communication and analytical skills whilst improving students' ability to work in a team. It is fantastic that debating continues to develop and remain well supported in South Australia.

Schools' Competition

This year the SADA is continuing with a number of improvements to the Competition.

Venues

All debates to be held at one of three central school locations as follows:

- Senior A Grade held on Wednesday evenings and Intermediate A Grade held on Thursday evenings at St Peter's College
- Senior B held on Wednesday evenings at Glenunga International High School
- Junior A & B and Intermediate B Grades held on Tuesday evenings:

Zone 1 at Prince Alfred College Zone 2 at Seymour College

Power Pairing

The draw for Senior A & B grade debates, after Round 1 which is predetermined, is based upon "power pairing" system" when teams on win/loss and team point score totals are drawn to debate against each other.

• Secret Topic Debates

Debaters have 60 minutes to prepare for their Secret Topic debate without the assistance of coaches.

- Intermediate A Grade 2 Secret Topic debates (Round 4 and 5)
- Senior B Grade 3 Secret Topic debates (Round 3-5)
- Senior A Grade all Secret Topic debates

• Forfeit / Reschedule Debates

We acknowledge that at times a debate may be forfeited due to circumstances such as illness. In such cases, the advice of forfeit should be received **no later than lunchtime on the day of the debate.** A forfeit notification is via the online form.

Scheduled debates may conflict with other school events such as camps, musicals. As such a team may seek to reschedule with the approval of the opposing team and the SADA. If a date or time cannot be mutually agreed then the forfeit is upheld.

In both cases, we request that seeking to reschedule or forfeit a debate must occur in a timely manner. A rescheduled debate should be finalised at least a week prior to the scheduled date.

• Topic Resource Guides

For some debates, the SADA produces *Topic resource guides*. The aim of the guides is to assist teams with their brainstorming, research and case construction. Available *Topic resource guides* can be found on the SADA website at:

https://www.sada.org.au/schools-competition-topic-resources

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Website

The SADA's website (<u>www.sada.org.au</u>) provides a central portal of information, including the following:

- Competition forms;
- Educational resources and information about SADA's education programs;
- Competition information; and
- Forfeit form.

Education Program

Our Education team, Kyan Jenkins and Max Thomas, facilitate workshops, coaching, and provide coordinator guidance throughout the year. If you would like to arrange a workshop, please contact them at education.sada@gmail.com

As a member of the SADA Schools' Competition you are able to have one free education session each year. Additional sessions are able to be provide at a small cost.

Additionally, a number of useful <u>education guides and resources</u> can also be found on the SADA website.

Adjudicators

The Adjudicator Manager, Rebecca Barlow, is responsible for the provision of adjudicators for internal school and intercollegiate debates.

Please email the Adjudicator Manager at mail to: vpa.sada@gmail.com if you wish to hire an adjudicator or complete the form available on the website. [https://www.sada.org.au/hire-an-adjudicator].

Contacts

The Schools' Chief Administrator Raelene Schar, directs the management of the Schools' Competition and is the contact point for all program issues.

Each Zone is managed by a Zone Steward, who ensures each round night runs smoothly.

Together, the Zone Stewards and the Schools' Chief Administrator will be responsible for the management of the Schools' Competition. Please do not hesitate to contact us for any competition queries or feedback.

2025 presents another promising year for the Schools' competition. We look forward to meeting coordinators and working closely with schools to ensure another successful debating season.

Raelene Schar and Thorn Sokun Flinders

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2025 SADA EXECUTIVE CONTACT DETAILS

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ZONE ONE TEAMS

JUNIOR B	JUNIOR A	INTERMEDIATE B
CHRISTIAN BROTHERS	ADELAIDE BOTANIC 1	ADELAIDE BOTANIC 1
NAILSWORTH BLUE	ADELAIDE BOTANIC 2	ADELAIDE BOTANIC 2
NAILSWORTH WHITE	ADELAIDE BOTANIC 3	ADELAIDE BOTANIC 3
PRINCE ALFRED BLUE	ADELAIDE BOTANIC 4	BLACKFRIARS' PRIORY
PRINCE ALFRED GOLD	CHRISTIAN BROTHERS	CHRISTIAN BROTHERS
PRINCE ALFRED GREEN	GLENUNGA 1	GLENUNGA 1
PRINCE ALFRED RED	GLENUNGA 2	GLENUNGA 2
PRINCE ALFRED WHITE	GLENUNGA 3	GLENUNGA 3
ST ANDREW'S BLUE	GLENUNGA 4	GLENUNGA 4
ST ANDREW'S GREEN	GLENUNGA 5	GLENUNGA 5
ST ANDREW'S ORANGE	GLENUNGA 6	GLENUNGA 6
ST ANDREW'S RED	GLENUNGA 7	PRINCE ALFRED 1
ST ANDREW'S WHITE	PRINCE ALFRED 1	PRINCE ALFRED 2
ST ANDREW'S YELLOW	PRINCE ALFRED 2	PRINCE ALFRED 3
ST IGNATIUS' BLUE	PRINCE ALFRED 3	ST PETER'S 1
ST IGNATIUS' GOLD	PRINCE ALFRED 4	ST PETER'S 2
ST PETER'S BLUE	ST PETER'S 1	ST PETER'S 3
ST PETER'S GOLD	ST PETER'S 2	ST PETER'S 4
ST PETER'S WHITE	ST PETER'S 3	WILDERNESS 1
WILDERNESS BLUE	ST PETER'S 4	WILDERNESS 2
WILDERNESS BROWN	ST PETER'S 5	WILDERNESS 3
WILDERNESS ORANGE	WILDERNESS 1	WILDERNESS 4
WILDERNESS PINK	WILDERNESS 2	WILDERNESS 5
WILDERNESS WHITE	WILDERNESS 3	WILDERNESS 6
	WILDERNESS 4	WILDERNESS 7
	WILDERNESS 5	
	WILDERNESS 6	
	WILDERNESS 7	
	WILDERNESS 8	
	WILDERNESS 9	

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ZONE ONE ROUND ONE : JUNIOR A & B, INTERMEDIATE B

TUESDAY 6 MAY 2025

VENUE: PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE

23 Dequetteville Terrace, Kent Town (enter via Capper Street or The Parade West)

Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
5.30 pm	1	Junior B	St Andrew's Red	٧	Wilderness Blue
5.30 pm	2	Junior B	St Andrew's Orange	٧	St Peter's Blue
5.30 pm	3	Junior B	St Ignatius' Gold	٧	Prince Alfred Gold
5.30 pm	4	Junior B	Wilderness Orange	٧	Christian Brothers
5.30 pm	5	Junior B	St Andrew's Yellow	٧	Prince Alfred Red
5.30 pm	6	Junior B	St Andrew's Green	٧	Nailsworth Blue
5.30 pm	7	Junior B	St Ignatius' Blue	٧	Wilderness Brown
5.30 pm	8	Junior B	Prince Alfred White	٧	St Peter's Gold
5.30 pm	9	Junior B	Wilderness Pink	٧	St Andrew's Blue
5.30 pm	10	Junior B	St Andrew's White	٧	Prince Alfred Blue
5.30 pm	11	Junior B	Nailsworth White	٧	St Peter's White
5.30 pm	12	Junior B	Wilderness White	٧	Prince Alfred Green

JUNIOR B GRADE TOPIC : that the Olympic Games should be expanded to include non-sporting competitive events

5:30 pm	13	Junior A	Wilderness 1	V	Glenunga 1
6:30 pm	1	Junior A	Adelaide Botanic 1	٧	St Peter's 1
6.30 pm	2	Junior A	Glenunga 2	٧	Wilderness 2
6.30 pm	3	Junior A	Glenunga 3	٧	Wilderness 3
6.30 pm	4	Junior A	Wilderness 4	٧	Prince Alfred 1
6.30 pm	5	Junior A	St Peter's 2	٧	Adelaide Botanic 2
6.30 pm	6	Junior A	St Peter's 3	٧	Adelaide Botanic 3
6.30 pm	7	Junior A	Prince Alfred 2	٧	Wilderness 5
6.30 pm	8	Junior A	Wilderness 6	٧	Glenunga 4
6.30 pm	9	Junior A	Glenunga 5	٧	Wilderness 7
6.30 pm	10	Junior A	Wilderness 8	٧	Prince Alfred 3
6.30 pm	11	Junior A	St Peter's 4	٧	Christian Brothers
6.30 pm	12	Junior A	St Peter's 5	٧	Adelaide Botanic 4
6.30 pm	13	Junior A	Prince Alfred 4	٧	Glenunga 6
7.30 pm	1	Junior A	Glenunga 7	٧	Wilderness 9

JUNIOR A GRADE TOPIC :

that contact sports (ie football and rugby) should be banned in schools due to concussion risks

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Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
7.30 pm	2	Intermediate B	Glenunga 1	٧	Wilderness 1
7.30 pm	3	Intermediate B	Adelaide Botanic 1	٧	St Peter's 1
7.30 pm	4	Intermediate B	Glenunga 2	٧	Prince Alfred 1
7.30 pm	5	Intermediate B	St Peter's 2	٧	Wilderness 2
7.30 pm	6	Intermediate B	Prince Alfred 2	٧	Adelaide Botanic 2
7.30 pm	7	Intermediate B	Wilderness 3	٧	Glenunga 3
7.30 pm	8	Intermediate B	Glenunga 4	٧	Christian Brothers
7.30 pm	9	Intermediate B	Wilderness 4	٧	St Peter's 3
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate B	Adelaide Botanic 3	٧	Wilderness 5
7.30 pm	11	Intermediate B	Wilderness 6	٧	Glenunga 5
7.30 pm	12	Intermediate B	Wilderness 7	٧	Blackfriars Priory
7.30 pm	13	Intermediate B	Glenunga 6	٧	St Peter's 4

BYE: Prince Alfred 3

INTERMEDIATE B GRADE TOPIC:

that parents should be assigned an extra vote for each of their children under 18

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ZONE ONE ROUND TWO: JUNIOR A & B, INTERMEDIATE B

TUESDAY 27 MAY 2025

VENUE: PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE

23 Dequetteville Terrace, Kent Town (enter via Capper Street or The Parade West)

Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
5.30 pm	1	Junior B	Nailsworth Blue	٧	St Andrew's Yellow
5.30 pm	2	Junior B	Prince Alfred Red	٧	Wilderness Brown
5.30 pm	3	Junior B	Prince Alfred White	٧	St Andrew's Green
5.30 pm	4	Junior B	St Peter's Gold	٧	St Ignatius' Blue
5.30 pm	5	Junior B	Wilderness Pink	٧	Nailsworth White
5.30 pm	6	Junior B	St Andrew's Blue	٧	St Andrew's White
5.30 pm	7	Junior B	Wilderness White	٧	St Peter's White
5.30 pm	8	Junior B	Prince Alfred Blue	٧	Prince Alfred Green
5.30 pm	9	Junior B	St Peter's Blue	٧	St Andrew's Red
5.30 pm	10	Junior B	Wilderness Blue	٧	Prince Alfred Gold
5.30 pm	11	Junior B	Wilderness Orange	٧	St Andrew's Orange
5.30 pm	12	Junior B	Christian Brothers	٧	St Ignatius' Gold

JUNIOR B GRADE TOPIC : that the South Australian government should introduce road tolls

5:30 pm	13	Junior A	Prince Alfred 1	٧	Glenunga 3
6:30 pm	1	Junior A	Wilderness 3	٧	Adelaide Botanic 2
6.30 pm	2	Junior A	Wilderness 4	٧	St Peter's 2
6.30 pm	3	Junior A	Wilderness 5	٧	St Peter's 3
6.30 pm	4	Junior A	Adelaide Botanic 3	٧	Glenunga 4
6.30 pm	5	Junior A	Prince Alfred 2	٧	Wilderness 6
6.30 pm	6	Junior A	Christian Brothers	٧	Glenunga 5
6.30 pm	7	Junior A	Wilderness 7	٧	Wilderness 8
6.30 pm	8	Junior A	Prince Alfred 3	٧	St Peter's 4
6.30 pm	9	Junior A	Glenunga 6	٧	St Peter's 5
6.30 pm	10	Junior A	Adelaide Botanic 4	٧	Wilderness 9
6.30 pm	11	Junior A	Prince Alfred 4	٧	Glenunga 7
6.30 pm	12	Junior A	St Peter's 1	٧	Wilderness 1
6.30 pm	13	Junior A	Glenunga 1	٧	Wilderness 2
7.30 pm	1	Junior A	Adelaide Botanic 1	٧	Glenunga 2

JUNIOR A GRADE TOPIC :

that music is the most important form of art

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Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
7.30 pm	2	Intermediate B	St Peter's 1	V	Glenunga 1
7.30 pm	3	Intermediate B	Wilderness 1	V	Prince Alfred 1
7.30 pm	4	Intermediate B	Adelaide Botanic 1	٧	Glenunga 2
7.30 pm	5	Intermediate B	Adelaide Botanic 2	٧	St Peter's 2
7.30 pm	6	Intermediate B	Wilderness 2	٧	Glenunga 3
7.30 pm	7	Intermediate B	Prince Alfred 2	٧	Wilderness 3
7.30 pm	8	Intermediate B	St Peter's 3	٧	Glenunga 4
7.30 pm	9	Intermediate B	Christian Brothers	٧	Wilderness 5
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate B	Wilderness 4	٧	Adelaide Botanic 3
7.30 pm	11	Intermediate B	Prince Alfred 3	٧	Wilderness 6
7.30 pm	12	Intermediate B	Glenunga 5	٧	Blackfriars Priory
7;30 pm	13	Intermediate B	St Peter's 4	٧	Wilderness 7

BYE: Glenunga 6

INTERMEDIATE B GRADE TOPIC:

that we regret the under 16 year old ban on social media

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ZONE ONE ROUND THREE: JUNIOR A & B, INTERMEDIATE B

TUESDAY 17 JUNE 2025

VENUE: PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE

23 Dequetteville Terrace, Kent Town (enter via Capper Street or The Parade West)

Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
5.30 pm	1	Junior B	St Andrew's White	٧	Wilderness Pink
5.30 pm	2	Junior B	St Andrew's Blue	٧	Wilderness White
5.30 pm	3	Junior B	Prince Alfred Blue	٧	Nailsworth White
5.30 pm	4	Junior B	St Peter's White	٧	Prince Alfred Green
5.30 pm	5	Junior B	St Andrew's Orange	٧	St Andrew's Red
5.30 pm	6	Junior B	Wilderness Blue	٧	Wilderness Orange
5.30 pm	7	Junior B	St Peter's Blue	٧	St Ignatius' Gold
5.30 pm	8	Junior B	Prince Alfred Gold	٧	Christian Brothers
5.30 pm	9	Junior B	St Andrew's Green	٧	St Andrew's Yellow
5.30 pm	10	Junior B	Prince Alfred Red	٧	Prince Alfred White
5.30 pm	11	Junior B	Nailsworth Blue	٧	St Ignatius' Blue
5.30 pm	12	Junior B	Wilderness Brown	٧	St Peter's Gold

JUNIOR B GRADE TOPIC : that there should be a legal drinking age of 16 for caffeinated beverages

5:30 pm	13	Junior A	Glenunga 4	٧	St Peter's 3
6:30 pm	1	Junior A	Adelaide Botanic 3	٧	Prince Alfred 2
6.30 pm	2	Junior A	Wilderness 5	٧	Wilderness 6
6.30 pm	3	Junior A	Prince Alfred 3	٧	Glenunga 5
6.30 pm	4	Junior A	Wilderness 7	٧	Christian Brothers
6.30 pm	5	Junior A	Wilderness 8	٧	St Peter's 4
6.30 pm	6	Junior A	Wilderness 9	٧	St Peter's 5
6.30 pm	7	Junior A	Adelaide Botanic 4	٧	Prince Alfred 4
6.30 pm	8	Junior A	Glenunga 6	٧	Glenunga 7
6.30 pm	9	Junior A	Adelaide Botanic 2	٧	Wilderness 4
6.30 pm	10	Junior A	Glenunga 1	٧	Adelaide Botanic 1
6.30 pm	11	Junior A	St Peter's 1	٧	Glenunga 2
6.30 pm	12	Junior A	Glenunga 3	٧	St Peter's 2
6.30 pm	13	Junior A	Wilderness 3	٧	Prince Alfred 1
7.30 pm	1	Junior A	Wilderness 2	V	Wilderness 1

JUNIOR A GRADE TOPIC :

that the Australian elections should be conducted online

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Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
7.30 pm	2	Intermediate B	Prince Alfred 1	V	Glenunga 1
7.30 pm	3	Intermediate B	Wilderness 1	V	Adelaide Botanic 1
7.30 pm	4	Intermediate B	St Peter's 1	V	Glenunga 2
7.30 pm	5	Intermediate B	Glenunga 3	٧	St Peter's 2
7.30 pm	6	Intermediate B	Wilderness 2	V	Prince Alfred 2
7.30 pm	7	Intermediate B	Adelaide Botanic 2	V	Wilderness 3
7.30 pm	8	Intermediate B	Wilderness 5	V	Glenunga 4
7.30 pm	9	Intermediate B	Christian Brothers	٧	Wilderness 4
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate B	St Peter's 3	V	Adelaide Botanic 3
7.30 pm	11	Intermediate B	Glenunga 5	٧	Glenunga 6
7.30 pm	12	Intermediate B	Prince Alfred 3	٧	Wilderness 7
7;30 pm	13	Intermediate B	Blackfriars Priory	٧	St Peter's 4

BYE: Wilderness 6

INTERMEDIATE B GRADE TOPIC:

that we should ban meat consumption in Australia

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ZONE ONE ROUND FOUR : JUNIOR A & B, INTERMEDIATE B

TUESDAY 29 JULY 2025

VENUE: PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE

23 Dequetteville Terrace, Kent Town (enter via Capper Street or The Parade West)

Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
5.30 pm	1	Junior B	St Andrew's Red	٧	Wilderness Orange
5.30 pm	2	Junior B	St Ignatius' Gold	٧	Wilderness Blue
5.30 pm	3	Junior B	Prince Alfred Gold	٧	St Peter's Blue
5.30 pm	4	Junior B	Christian Brothers	٧	St Andrew's Orange
5.30 pm	5	Junior B	St Andrew's Yellow	٧	Prince Alfred White
5.30 pm	6	Junior B	St Ignatius' Blue	٧	Prince Alfred Red
5.30 pm	7	Junior B	Wilderness Brown	٧	Nailsworth Blue
5.30 pm	8	Junior B	St Peter's Gold	٧	St Andrew's Green
5.30 pm	9	Junior B	Wilderness Pink	٧	Wilderness White
5.30 pm	10	Junior B	Nailsworth White	٧	St Andrew's Blue
5.30 pm	11	Junior B	St Peter's White	٧	Prince Alfred Blue
5.30 pm	12	Junior B	Prince Alfred Green	٧	St Andrew's White

JUNIOR B GRADE TOPIC: that generative AI does more harm than good

5:30 pm	13	Junior A	St Peter's 3	٧	Prince Alfred 2
6:30 pm	1	Junior A	Wilderness 6	٧	Adelaide Botanic 3
6.30 pm	2	Junior A	Glenunga 4	٧	Wilderness 5
6.30 pm	3	Junior A	Glenunga 5	٧	Wilderness 8
6.30 pm	4	Junior A	St Peter's 4	٧	Wilderness 7
6.30 pm	5	Junior A	Christian Brothers	٧	Prince Alfred 3
6.30 pm	6	Junior A	St Peter's 5	٧	Prince Alfred 4
6.30 pm	7	Junior A	Glenunga 7	٧	Adelaide Botanic 4
6.30 pm	8	Junior A	Wilderness 9	٧	Glenunga 6
6.30 pm	9	Junior A	Wilderness 1	٧	Adelaide Botanic 1
6.30 pm	10	Junior A	Glenunga 2	٧	Glenunga 1
6.30 pm	11	Junior A	Wilderness 2	٧	St Peter's 1
6.30 pm	12	Junior A	Glenunga 3	٧	Wilderness 4
6.30 pm	13	Junior A	St Peter's 2	٧	Wilderness 3
7.30 pm	1	Junior A	Adelaide Botanic 2	V	Prince Alfred 1

JUNIOR A GRADE TOPIC:

that private schools should not receive government funding

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Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
7.30 pm	2	Intermediate B	Wilderness 6	٧	Glenunga 6
7.30 pm	3	Intermediate B	Wilderness 7	٧	Glenunga 5
7.30 pm	4	Intermediate B	Blackfriars Priory	٧	Prince Alfred 3
7.30 pm	5	Intermediate B	Glenunga 4	٧	Adelaide Botanic 3
7.30 pm	6	Intermediate B	Christian Brothers	٧	St Peter's 3
7.30 pm	7	Intermediate B	Wilderness 4	٧	Wilderness 5
7.30 pm	8	Intermediate B	St Peter's 2	٧	Prince Alfred 2
7.30 pm	9	Intermediate B	Wilderness 3	٧	Wilderness 2
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate B	Glenunga 3	٧	Adelaide Botanic 2
7.30 pm	11	Intermediate B	Glenunga 1	٧	Adelaide Botanic 1
7.30 pm	12	Intermediate B	Glenunga 2	٧	Wilderness 1
7;30 pm	13	Intermediate B	Prince Alfred 1	٧	St Peter's 1

BYE: St Peter's 4

INTERMEDIATE B GRADE TOPIC:

that it should be mandatory for politicians to retire at 70 years of age

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ZONE ONE ROUND FIVE: JUNIOR A & B, INTERMEDIATE B

TUESDAY 19 AUGUST 2025

VENUE: PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE

23 Dequetteville Terrace, Kent Town (enter via Capper Street or The Parade West)

Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
5.30 pm	1	Junior B	Prince Alfred Blue	٧	Wilderness Pink
5.30 pm	2	Junior B	St Andrew's Blue	٧	St Peter's White
5.30 pm	3	Junior B	Wilderness White	٧	St Andrew's White
5.30 pm	4	Junior B	Prince Alfred Green	٧	Nailsworth White
5.30 pm	5	Junior B	St Andrew's Yellow	٧	St Ignatius' Blue
5.30 pm	6	Junior B	Prince Alfred Red	٧	St Andrew's Green
5.30 pm	7	Junior B	Prince Alfred White	٧	Wilderness Brown
5.30 pm	8	Junior B	Nailsworth Blue	٧	St Peter's Gold
5.30 pm	9	Junior B	St Andrew's Red	٧	St Ignatius' Gold
5.30 pm	10	Junior B	Wilderness Blue	٧	St Andrew's Orange
5.30 pm	11	Junior B	Wilderness Orange	٧	Prince Alfred Gold
5.30 pm	12	Junior B	St Peter's Blue	٧	Christian Brothers

JUNIOR B GRADE TOPIC :

that we regret the focus on an individual's climate footprint

5:30 pm	13	Junior A	St Peter's 5	٧	Glenunga 7
6:30 pm	1	Junior A	Adelaide Botanic 4	٧	Glenunga 6
6.30 pm	2	Junior A	Prince Alfred 4	٧	Wilderness 9
6.30 pm	3	Junior A	Glenunga 5	٧	St Peter's 4
6.30 pm	4	Junior A	Wilderness 1	٧	Glenunga 2
6.30 pm	5	Junior A	Wilderness 8	٧	Christian Brothers
6.30 pm	6	Junior A	St Peter's 3	٧	Wilderness 6
6.30 pm	7	Junior A	Adelaide Botanic 3	٧	Wilderness 5
6.30 pm	8	Junior A	Prince Alfred 2	٧	Glenunga 4
6.30 pm	9	Junior A	Adelaide Botanic 2	٧	Glenunga 3
6.30 pm	10	Junior A	Wilderness 4	٧	Wilderness 3
6.30 pm	11	Junior A	Prince Alfred 1	٧	St Peter's 2
6.30 pm	12	Junior A	Adelaide Botanic 1	٧	Wilderness 2
6.30 pm	13	Junior A	Glenunga 1	٧	St Peter's 1
7.30 pm	1	Junior A	Wilderness 7	٧	Prince Alfred 3

JUNIOR A GRADE TOPIC :

that we, as a parent, would not allow our child to own a smartphone until the age of 14

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Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
7.30 pm	2	Intermediate B	Glenunga 4	V	Wilderness 4
7.30 pm	3	Intermediate B	Adelaide Botanic 3	V	Christian Brothers
7.30 pm	4	Intermediate B	Wilderness 5	V	St Peter's 3
7.30 pm	5	Intermediate B	Wilderness 6	٧	Wilderness 7
7.30 pm	6	Intermediate B	Glenunga 6	٧	Blackfriars Priory
7.30 pm	7	Intermediate B	Glenunga 1	٧	Glenunga 2
7.30 pm	8	Intermediate B	Wilderness 1	٧	St Peter's 1
7.30 pm	9	Intermediate B	Adelaide Botanic 1	٧	Prince Alfred 1
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate B	St Peter's 2	٧	Wilderness 3
7.30 pm	11	Intermediate B	Wilderness 2	٧	Adelaide Botanic 2
7.30 pm	12	Intermediate B	Prince Alfred 2	٧	Glenunga 3
7;30 pm	13	Intermediate B	Prince Alfred 3	٧	St Peter's 4

BYE : Glenunga 5

INTERMEDIATE B GRADE TOPIC:

that we, as Disney, would stop producing live-action remakes of our old animated films

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ZONE TWO TEAMS

JUNIOR B	JUNIOR A	INTERMEDIATE B
LORETO BLUE	GLENUNGA 8	GLENUNGA 7
LORETO GOLD	GLENUNGA 9	GLENUNGA 8
ROSE PARK AQUA	GLENUNGA 10	GLENUNGA 9
ROSE PARK LILAC	GLENUNGA 11	GLENUNGA 10
ROSE PARK PEACH	LORETO 1	GLENUNGA 11
ROSE PARK SAGE	LORETO 2	GLENUNGA 12
SCOTCH 1	NORWOOD INTERNATIONAL	GLENUNGA 13
SCOTCH 2	PEMBROKE 1	GLENUNGA 14
SEYMOUR 1	PEMBROKE 2	LORETO
SEYMOUR 2	PEMBROKE 3	NORWOOD INTERNATIONAL
SEYMOUR 3	PEMBROKE 4	SCOTCH
SEYMOUR 4	SCOTCH 1	SEYMOUR 1
ST ANDREW'S PINK	SCOTCH 2	SEYMOUR 2
ST JOHN'S GRAMMAR BLUE	SEYMOUR	ST IGNATIUS' 1
ST JOHN'S GRAMMAR RED	ST IGNATIUS' 1	ST IGNATIUS' 2
ST PETER'S GIRLS BLUE	ST IGNATIUS' 2	ST IGNATIUS' 3
ST PETER'S GIRLS GREEN	ST IGNATIUS' 3	ST JOHN'S GRAMMAR
ST THOMAS BLACK	ST IGNATIUS' 4	ST PETER'S GIRLS 1
ST THOMAS BLUE	ST IGNATIUS' 5	ST PETER'S GIRLS 2
ST THOMAS GOLD	ST IGNATIUS' 6	ST PETER'S GIRLS 3
ST THOMAS GREEN	ST JOHN'S GRAMMAR 1	ST PETER'S GIRLS 4
ST THOMAS RED	ST JOHN'S GRAMMAR 2	ST PETER'S GIRLS 5
ST THOMAS WHITE	ST PETER'S GIRLS 1	WALFORD 1
WALFORD BLUE	ST PETER'S GIRLS 2	WALFORD 2
WALFORD GOLD	ST PETER'S GIRLS 3	
WOODCROFT	ST PETER'S GIRLS 4	
	WALFORD	
	WOODCROFT	

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ZONE TWO ROUND ONE : JUNIOR A & B, INTERMEDIATE B TUESDAY 13 MAY 2025

VENUE: SEYMOUR COLLEGE

Enter College via Gate 8 Gilles Road, Glen Osmond Debates held in Hetzel, McCaul and Yurrebilla buildings

Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
5.30 pm	1	Junior B	Rose Park Aqua	٧	St Thomas Black
5.30 pm	2	Junior B	St John's Grammar Blue	٧	Seymour 1
5.30 pm	3	Junior B	Scotch 1	٧	Loreto Blue
5.30 pm	4	Junior B	Walford Blue	٧	Loreto Gold
5.30 pm	5	Junior B	Woodcroft	٧	Rose Park Lilac
5.30 pm	6	Junior B	Seymour 2	٧	St Thomas Blue
5.30 pm	7	Junior B	Seymour 3	٧	Walford Gold
5.30 pm	8	Junior B	Rose Park Peach	٧	St Thomas Gold
5.30 pm	9	Junior B	St Thomas Red	٧	St Peter's Girls Green
5.30 pm	10	Junior B	St Thomas White	٧	Scotch 2
5.30 pm	11	Junior B	St Peter's Girls Blue	٧	St John's Grammar Red
5.30 pm	12	Junior B	Rose Park Sage	٧	Seymour 4
5.30 pm	13	Junior B	St Andrew's Pink	٧	St Thomas Green

JUNIOR B GRADE TOPIC:

that the Olympic Games should be expanded to include non-sporting competitive events

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6:30 pm	1	Junior A	Glenunga 8	V	St John's Grammar 1
6:30 pm	2	Junior A	St Ignatius' 1	V	Pembroke 1
6.30 pm	3	Junior A	Walford	V	Loreto 1
6.30 pm	4	Junior A	Woodcroft	V	Pembroke 2
6.30 pm	5	Junior A	Loreto 2	٧	Glenunga 9
6.30 pm	6	Junior A	St Ignatius' 2	٧	St Peter's Girls 1
6.30 pm	7	Junior A	Pembroke 3	٧	Glenunga 10
6.30 pm	8	Junior A	St Peter's Girls 2	٧	St Ignatius' 3
6.30 pm	9	Junior A	St Ignatius' 4	٧	Scotch 2
6.30 pm	10	Junior A	St Peter's Girls 3	٧	St Ignatius' 5
6.30 pm	11	Junior A	Glenunga 11	٧	Pembroke 4
6.30 pm	12	Junior A	Seymour	٧	St John's Grammar 2
6.30 pm	13	Junior A	St Peter's Girls 4	V	St Ignatius' 6
7.30 pm	1	Junior A	Scotch 1	V	Norwood International

JUNIOR A GRADE TOPIC :

that contact sports (ie football and rugby) should be banned in schools due to concussion risks

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Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
7.30 pm	2	Intermediate B	Glenunga 7	٧	Loreto
7.30 pm	3	Intermediate B	St Ignatius' 1	٧	St Peter's Girls 1
7.30 pm	4	Intermediate B	Glenunga 8	٧	Norwood International
7.30 pm	5	Intermediate B	St Peter's Girls 4	٧	Glenunga 13
7.30 pm	6	Intermediate B	Glenunga 14	٧	Walford 2
7.30 pm	7	Intermediate B	St Peter's Girls 5	٧	Seymour 2
7.30 pm	8	Intermediate B	St Peter's Girls 2	٧	Walford 1
7.30 pm	9	Intermediate B	Glenunga 9	٧	Scotch
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate B	St John's Grammar	٧	Glenunga 10
7.30 pm	11	Intermediate B	St Ignatius' 3	٧	St Ignatius 2
7.30 pm	12	Intermediate B	St Peter's Girls 3	٧	Glenunga 11
7;30 pm	13	Intermediate B	Glenunga 12	٧	Seymour 1

INTERMEDIATE B GRADE TOPIC:

that parents should be assigned an extra vote for each of their children under 18

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ZONE TWO ROUND TWO: JUNIOR A & B, INTERMEDIATE B

TUESDAY 3 JUNE 2025

VENUE: SEYMOUR COLLEGE

Enter College via Gate 8 Gilles Road, Glen Osmond Debates held in Hetzel, McCaul and Yurrebilla buildings

Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
5.30 pm	1	Junior B	Rose Park Lilac	٧	Walford Blue
5.30 pm	2	Junior B	Loreto Gold	٧	St Thomas Blue
5.30 pm	3	Junior B	Woodcroft	٧	Seymour 2
5.30 pm	4	Junior B	St Thomas Gold	٧	Seymour 3
5.30 pm	5	Junior B	Walford Gold	٧	St Peter's Girls Green
5.30 pm	6	Junior B	Rose Park Peach	٧	St Thomas Red
5.30 pm	7	Junior B	St John's Grammar Red	٧	St Thomas White
5.30 pm	8	Junior B	Scotch 2	٧	Seymour 4
5.30 pm	9	Junior B	St Peter's Girls Blue	٧	Rose Park Sage
5.30 pm	10	Junior B	Seymour 1	٧	Rose Park Aqua
5.30 pm	11	Junior B	St Thomas Black	٧	Loreto Blue
5.30 pm	12	Junior B	St Thomas Green	٧	Scotch 1
5.30 pm	13	Junior B	St John's Grammar Blue	٧	St Andrew's Pink

JUNIOR B GRADE TOPIC:

that the South Australian government should introduce road tolls

6:30 pm	1	Junior A	Glenunga 9	٧	Woodcroft
6:30 pm	2	Junior A	Pembroke 2	٧	St Peter's Girls 1
6.30 pm	3	Junior A	Loreto 2	٧	St Ignatius' 2
6.30 pm	4	Junior A	Norwood International	٧	Pembroke 3
6.30 pm	5	Junior A	Glenunga 10	٧	St Ignatius' 3
6.30 pm	6	Junior A	Scotch 1	٧	St Peter's Girls 2
6.30 pm	7	Junior A	St Ignatius' 5	٧	St Ignatius' 4
6.30 pm	8	Junior A	Scotch 2	٧	Pembroke 4
6.30 pm	9	Junior A	St Peter's Girls 3	٧	Glenunga 11
6.30 pm	10	Junior A	St Ignatius' 6	٧	Seymour
6.30 pm	11	Junior A	St Peter's Girls 4	٧	St John's Grammar 2
6.30 pm	12	Junior A	Pembroke 1	٧	Glenunga 8
6.30 pm	13	Junior A	St John's Grammar 1	٧	Loreto 1
7.30 pm	1	Junior A	St Ignatius' 1	٧	Walford

JUNIOR A GRADE TOPIC :

that music is the most important form of art

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Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)	-	Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
7.30 pm	2	Intermediate B	Scotch	٧	St Peter's Girls 2
7.30 pm	3	Intermediate B	Glenunga 9	٧	Glenunga 10
7.30 pm	4	Intermediate B	St John's Grammar	٧	St Ignatius' 2
7.30 pm	5	Intermediate B	Glenunga 11	٧	St Ignatius' 3
7.30 pm	6	Intermediate B	St Peter's Girls 3	٧	Seymour 1
7.30 pm	7	Intermediate B	Glenunga 12	٧	Walford 1
7.30 pm	8	Intermediate B	Walford 2	٧	St Peter's Girls 4
7.30 pm	9	Intermediate B	Glenunga 13	٧	Seymour 2
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate B	Glenunga 14	٧	St Peter's Girls 5
7.30 pm	11	Intermediate B	St Peter's Girls 1	٧	Glenunga 7
7.30 pm	12	Intermediate B	Loreto	٧	Norwood International
7;30 pm	13	Intermediate B	St Ignatius' 1	٧	Glenunga 8

INTERMEDIATE B GRADE TOPIC that we regret the under 16 year old ban on social media

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ZONE TWO ROUND THREE : JUNIOR A & B, INTERMEDIATE B

TUESDAY 24 JUNE 2025

VENUE: SEYMOUR COLLEGE

Enter College via Gate 8 Gilles Road, Glen Osmond Debates held in Hetzel, McCaul and Yurrebilla buildings

Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
5.30 pm	1	Junior B	St Peter's Girls Green	٧	Seymour 3
5.30 pm	2	Junior B	Walford Gold	٧	Rose Park Peach
5.30 pm	3	Junior B	St Thomas Gold	٧	St Thomas Red
5.30 pm	4	Junior B	Seymour 4	٧	St Thomas White
5.30 pm	5	Junior B	Scotch 2	٧	St Peter's Girls Blue
5.30 pm	6	Junior B	St John's Grammar Red	٧	Rose Park Sage
5.30 pm	7	Junior B	Loreto Blue	٧	Rose Park Aqua
5.30 pm	8	Junior B	St Thomas Black	٧	St John's Grammar Blue
5.30 pm	9	Junior B	St Andrew's Pink	٧	Scotch 1
5.30 pm	10	Junior B	St Thomas Blue	٧	Walford Blue
5.30 pm	11	Junior B	Loreto Gold	٧	Woodcroft
5.30 pm	12	Junior B	Rose Park Lilac	٧	Seymour 2
5.30 pm	13	Junior B	Seymour 1	٧	St Thomas Green

JUNIOR B GRADE TOPIC:

that there should be a legal drinking age of 16 for caffeinated beverages

6:30 pm	1	Junior A	Glenunga 10	٧	Scotch 1
6:30 pm	2	Junior A	St Ignatius' 3	V	Pembroke 3
6.30 pm	3	Junior A	Norwood International	٧	St Peter's Girls 2
6.30 pm	4	Junior A	Pembroke 4	٧	St Ignatius' 4
6.30 pm	5	Junior A	Scotch 2	٧	St Peter's Girls 3
6.30 pm	6	Junior A	St Ignatius' 5	٧	Glenunga 11
6.30 pm	7	Junior A	Seymour	٧	St Peter's Girls 4
6.30 pm	8	Junior A	St John's Grammar 2	V	St Ignatius' 6
6.30 pm	9	Junior A	Loreto 1	٧	Glenunga 8
6.30 pm	10	Junior A	St John's Grammar 1	٧	St Ignatius' 1
6.30 pm	11	Junior A	Pembroke 1	٧	Walford
6.30 pm	12	Junior A	St Peter's Girls 1	٧	Woodcroft
6.30 pm	13	Junior A	Pembroke 2	٧	Loreto 2
7.30 pm	1	Junior A	Glenunga 9	٧	St Ignatius' 2

JUNIOR A GRADE TOPIC :

that the Australian elections should be conducted online

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Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
7.30 pm	2	Intermediate B	Seymour 1	V	St Ignatius' 3
7.30 pm	3	Intermediate B	St Peter's Girls 3	V	Glenunga 12
7.30 pm	4	Intermediate B	Glenunga 11	V	Walford 1
7.30 pm	5	Intermediate B	Seymour 2	٧	St Peter's Girls 4
7.30 pm	6	Intermediate B	Glenunga 13	٧	Glenunga 14
7.30 pm	7	Intermediate B	Walford 2	٧	St Peter's Girls 5
7.30 pm	8	Intermediate B	Norwood International	V	Glenunga 7
7.30 pm	9	Intermediate B	Loreto	٧	St Ignatius' 1
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate B	St Peter's Girls 1	٧	Glenunga 8
7.30 pm	11	Intermediate B	Glenunga 10	٧	St Peter's Girls 2
7.30 pm	12	Intermediate B	Glenunga 9	٧	St John's Grammar
7;30 pm	13	Intermediate B	Scotch	٧	St Ignatius' 2

INTERMEDIATE B GRADE TOPIC:

that we should ban meat consumption in Australia

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ZONE TWO ROUND FOUR : JUNIOR A & B, INTERMEDIATE B TUESDAY 5 AUGUST 2025

VENUE: SEYMOUR COLLEGE

Enter College via Gate 8 Gilles Road, Glen Osmond Debates held in Hetzel, McCaul and Yurrebilla buildings

Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
5.30 pm	1	Junior B	Seymour 3	٧	Rose Park Peach
5.30 pm	2	Junior B	St Thomas Red	٧	St Andrew's Pink
5.30 pm	3	Junior B	St Peter's Girls Green	٧	St Thomas Gold
5.30 pm	4	Junior B	St Thomas White	٧	St Peter's Girls Blue
5.30 pm	5	Junior B	Rose Park Sage	٧	Scotch 2
5.30 pm	6	Junior B	Seymour 4	٧	St John's Grammar Red
5.30 pm	7	Junior B	Rose Park Aqua	٧	St John's Grammar Blue
5.30 pm	8	Junior B	Scotch 1	٧	St Thomas Black
5.30 pm	9	Junior B	Loreto Blue	٧	Seymour 1
5.30 pm	10	Junior B	Walford Blue	٧	Woodcroft
5.30 pm	11	Junior B	Seymour 2	٧	Loreto Gold
5.30 pm	12	Junior B	St Thomas Blue	٧	Rose Park Lilac
5.30 pm	13	Junior B	St Thomas Green	٧	Walford Gold

JUNIOR B GRADE TOPIC: that generative AI does more harm than good

6:30 pm	1	Junior A	Woodcroft	٧	Loreto 2
6:30 pm	2	Junior A	St Ignatius'4	٧	St Peter's Girls 3
6.30 pm	3	Junior A	Pembroke 4	٧	St Ignatius' 5
6.30 pm	4	Junior A	Loreto 1	V	St Peter's Girls 4
6.30 pm	5	Junior A	St John's Grammar 2	V	Scotch 1
6.30 pm	6	Junior A	Glenunga 8	٧	St Ignatius' 1
6.30 pm	7	Junior A	Walford	٧	St John's Grammar 1
6.30 pm	8	Junior A	Seymour	V	Pembroke 1
6.30 pm	9	Junior A	Glenunga 11	٧	Scotch 2
6.30 pm	10	Junior A	St Ignatius' 2	٧	Pembroke 2
6.30 pm	11	Junior A	St Peter's Girls 1	٧	Glenunga 9
6.30 pm	12	Junior A	Pembroke 3	٧	St Ignatius' 6
6.30 pm	13	Junior A	St Peter's Girls 2	٧	Glenunga 10
7.30 pm	1	Junior A	St Ignatius' 3	٧	Norwood International

JUNIOR A GRADE TOPIC:

that private schools should not receive government funding

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Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
7.30 pm	2	Intermediate B	St Peter's Girls 4	V	Glenunga 14
7.30 pm	3	Intermediate B	St Peter's Girls 5	٧	Glenunga 13
7.30 pm	4	Intermediate B	Seymour 2	٧	Walford 2
7.30 pm	5	Intermediate B	Glenunga 7	٧	St Ignatius' 1
7.30 pm	6	Intermediate B	Glenunga 8	٧	Loreto
7.30 pm	7	Intermediate B	Norwood International	٧	St Peter's Girls 1
7.30 pm	8	Intermediate B	St Peter's Girls 2	٧	St John's Grammar
7.30 pm	9	Intermediate B	St Ignatius' 2	٧	Glenunga 9
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate B	Glenunga 10	٧	Scotch
7.30 pm	11	Intermediate B	St Ignatius' 3	٧	Glenunga 12
7.30 pm	12	Intermediate B	Walford 1	٧	St Peter's Girls 3
7;30 pm	13	Intermediate B	Seymour 1	٧	Glenunga 11

INTERMEDIATE B GRADE TOPIC:

that it should be mandatory for politicians to retire at 70 years of age

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ZONE TWO ROUND FIVE : JUNIOR A & B, INTERMEDIATE B

TUESDAY 26 AUGUST 2025

VENUE: SEYMOUR COLLEGE

Enter College via Gate 8 Gilles Road, Glen Osmond Debates held in Hetzel, McCaul and Yurrebilla buildings

Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
5.30 pm	1	Junior B	St Thomas White	٧	Rose Park Sage
5.30 pm	2	Junior B	Scotch 2	٧	St John's Grammar Red
5.30 pm	3	Junior B	St Peter's Girls Blue	٧	Seymour 4
5.30 pm	4	Junior B	Rose Park Aqua	٧	Scotch 1
5.30 pm	5	Junior B	St Thomas Black	٧	Seymour 1
5.30 pm	6	Junior B	St John's Grammar Blue	٧	Loreto Blue
5.30 pm	7	Junior B	Walford Blue	٧	Seymour 2
5.30 pm	8	Junior B	Loreto Gold	٧	Rose Park Lilac
5.30 pm	9	Junior B	Woodcroft	٧	St Thomas Blue
5.30 pm	10	Junior B	Seymour 3	٧	St Thomas Red
5.30 pm	11	Junior B	Walford Gold	٧	St Thomas Gold
5.30 pm	12	Junior B	Rose Park Peach	٧	St Thomas Green
5.30 pm	13	Junior B	St Andrew's Pink	٧	St Peter's Girls Green

JUNIOR B GRADE TOPIC:

that we regret the focus on an individual's climate footprint

6:30 pm	1	Junior A	Glenunga 8	V	Seymour
6:30 pm	2	Junior A	St Ignatius' 6	V	Glenunga 9
6.30 pm	3	Junior A	Woodcroft	٧	St Ignatius' 2
6.30 pm	4	Junior A	Pembroke 2	V	St John's Grammar 2
6.30 pm	5	Junior A	Loreto 2	٧	St Peter's Girls 1
6.30 pm	6	Junior A	Pembroke 3	٧	St Peter's Girls 2
6.30 pm	7	Junior A	Glenunga 10	٧	Norwood International
6.30 pm	8	Junior A	Scotch 1	٧	St Ignatius' 3
6.30 pm	9	Junior A	St Ignatius' 4	٧	Glenunga 11
6.30 pm	10	Junior A	Scotch 2	٧	St Ignatius' 5
6.30 pm	11	Junior A	St Peter's Girls 3	٧	Pembroke 4
6.30 pm	12	Junior A	St Peter's Girls 4	V	Walford
6.30 pm	13	Junior A	St John's Grammar 1	٧	Pembroke 1
7.30 pm	1	Junior A	St Ignatius' 1	٧	Loreto 1

JUNIOR A GRADE TOPIC:

that we, as a parent, would not allow our child to own a smartphone until the age of 14

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Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
7.30 pm	2	Intermediate B	St Ignatius' 3	٧	St Peter's Girls 3
7.30 pm	3	Intermediate B	Glenunga 12	٧	Glenunga 11
7.30 pm	4	Intermediate B	Walford 1	٧	Seymour 1
7.30 pm	5	Intermediate B	St Peter's Girls 2	٧	Glenunga 9
7.30 pm	6	Intermediate B	St John's Grammar	٧	Scotch
7.30 pm	7	Intermediate B	St Ignatius' 2	٧	Glenunga 10
7.30 pm	8	Intermediate B	St Peter's Girls 4	٧	St Peter's Girls 5
7.30 pm	9	Intermediate B	Glenunga 13	٧	Walford 2
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate B	Glenunga 14	٧	Seymour 2
7.30 pm	11	Intermediate B	Glenunga 7	٧	Glenunga 8
7.30 pm	12	Intermediate B	Loreto	٧	St Peter's Girls 1
7;30 pm	13	Intermediate B	St Ignatius' 1	٧	Norwood International

INTERMEDIATE B GRADE TOPIC:

that we, as Disney, would stop producing live-action remakes of our old animated films

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INTERMEDIATE A GRADE TEAMS

TEAMS

ADELAIDE BOTANIC 1	ST IGNATIUS' 1
ADELAIDE BOTANIC 2	ST IGNATIUS' 2
CHRISTIAN BROTHERS	ST PETER'S 1
GLENUNGA 1	ST PETER'S 2
GLENUNGA 2	ST PETER'S 3
GLENUNGA 3	ST PETER'S 4
GLENUNGA 4	ST PETER'S 5
GLENUNGA 5	ST PETER'S GIRLS 1
GLENUNGA 6	ST PETER'S GIRLS 2
GLENUNGA 7	ST PETER'S GIRLS 3
GLENUNGA 8	ST PETER'S GIRLS 4
LORETO 1	UNLEY HIGH
LORETO 2	WALFORD
PRINCE ALFRED 1	WILDERNESS 1
PRINCE ALFRED 2	WILDERNESS 2
SCOTCH	WILDERNESS 3
SEYMOUR 1	WILDERNESS 4
SEYMOUR 2	WILDERNESS 5
ST JOHN'S GRAMMAR 1	WOODCROFT
ST JOHN'S GRAMMAR 2	
ST JOHN'S GRAMMAR 3	

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INTERMEDIATE A

ROUND ONE

THURSDAY 8 MAY 2025

VENUE: ST PETER'S COLLEGE

57 Hackney Road, St Peters Debates held in Pentreath Building - enter via Main Oval

Time	Debate	Grade	Affirmative Team		Negative Team
	Number		(Bring Chairperson)		(Bring Timekeeper)
6:00 pm	1	Intermediate A	Glenunga 1	٧	Adelaide Botanic 1
6:00 pm	2	Intermediate A	Unley High	٧	Christian Brothers
6:00 pm	3	Intermediate A	Loreto 1	٧	Glenunga 2
6:00 pm	4	Intermediate A	Wilderness 1	٧	Glenunga 3
6:00 pm	5	Intermediate A	Scotch	٧	Loreto 2
6:00 pm	6	Intermediate A	Adelaide Botanic 2	٧	St John's Grammar 1
6:00 pm	7	Intermediate A	Prince Alfred 1	٧	St John's Grammar 2
6:00 pm	8	Intermediate A	Glenunga 4	٧	Wilderness 2
6:00 pm	9	Intermediate A	St Ignatius' 1	٧	St Peter's 1
6:00 pm	10	Intermediate A	St Peter's Girls 1	٧	Wilderness 3
7:30 pm	1	Intermediate A	St Peter's 2	٧	Prince Alfred 2
7:30 pm	2	Intermediate A	St Peter's Girls 4	٧	Seymour 1
7:30 pm	3	Intermediate A	St Peter's 3	٧	St Ignatius' 2
7:30 pm	4	Intermediate A	Seymour 2	٧	Glenunga 6
7:30 pm	5	Intermediate A	St John's Grammar 3	٧	St Peter's Girls 2
7:30 pm	6	Intermediate A	Glenunga 7	٧	St Peter's 4
7:30 pm	7	Intermediate A	St Peter's Girls 3	٧	Walford
7:30 pm	8	Intermediate A	Wilderness 4	٧	Woodcroft
7:30 pm	9	Intermediate A	Glenunga 8	٧	Wilderness 5
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate A	Glenunga 5	٧	St Peter's 5

TOPIC:

Round 1: that we should abolish junior pay rates in favour of same-work-same-pay laws

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INTERMEDIATE A ROUND TWO

THURSDAY 29 MAY 2025

VENUE: ST PETER'S COLLEGE

57 Hackney Road, St Peters Debates held in Pentreath Building - enter via Main Oval

Time	Debate	Grade	Affirmative Team		Negative Team
	Number		(Bring Chairperson)		(Bring Timekeeper)
6:00 pm	1	Intermediate A	Loreto 2	٧	Wilderness 1
6:00 pm	2	Intermediate A	Glenunga 3	٧	St John's Grammar 1
6:00 pm	3	Intermediate A	Scotch	٧	Adelaide Botanic 2
6:00 pm	4	Intermediate A	Wilderness 2	٧	Prince Alfred 1
6:00 pm	5	Intermediate A	St John's Grammar 2	٧	St Peter's 1
6:00 pm	6	Intermediate A	Glenunga 4	٧	St Ignatius' 1
6:00 pm	7	Intermediate A	Prince Alfred 2	٧	St Peter's Girls 1
6:00 pm	8	Intermediate A	Wilderness 3	٧	Seymour 1
6:00 pm	9	Intermediate A	St Peter's 2	٧	Glenunga 5
6:00 pm	10	Intermediate A	Glenunga 6	٧	St Peter's 3
7:30 pm	1	Intermediate A	St Ignatius' 2	٧	St Peter's Girls 2
7:30 pm	2	Intermediate A	Seymour 2	٧	St John's Grammar 3
7:30 pm	3	Intermediate A	Walford	٧	Glenunga 7
7:30 pm	4	Intermediate A	St Peter's 4	٧	Woodcroft
7:30 pm	5	Intermediate A	St Peter's Girls 3	٧	Wilderness 4
7:30 pm	6	Intermediate A	Glenunga 1	٧	Glenunga 8
7:30 pm	7	Intermediate A	Wilderness 5	٧	St Peter's Girls 4
7:30 pm	8	Intermediate A	Christian Brothers	٧	St Peter's 5
7:30 pm	9	Intermediate A	Adelaide Botanic 1	٧	Glenunga 2
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate A	Unley High	٧	Loreto 1

TOPIC:

Round 2: that major tourist destinations should significantly limit the number of tourists that can visit

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INTERMEDIATE A ROUND THREE

THURSDAY 19 JUNE 2025

VENUE: ST PETER'S COLLEGE
57 Hackney Road, St Peters
Debates held in Pentreath Building - enter via Main Oval

Time	Debate	Grade	Affirmative Team		Negative Team
	Number		(Bring Chairperson)		(Bring Timekeeper)
6:00 pm	1	Intermediate A	St Peter's 1	٧	Prince Alfred 1
6:00 pm	2	Intermediate A	St John's Grammar 2	٧	Glenunga 4
6:00 pm	3	Intermediate A	Wilderness 2	٧	St Ignatius' 1
6:00 pm	4	Intermediate A	Seymour 1	٧	Glenunga 8
6:00 pm	5	Intermediate A	Wilderness 3	٧	St Peter's 2
6:00 pm	6	Intermediate A	Prince Alfred 2	٧	Glenunga 5
6:00 pm	7	Intermediate A	St Peter's Girls 2	٧	St Peter's 3
6:00 pm	8	Intermediate A	St Ignatius' 2	٧	Seymour 2
6:00 pm	9	Intermediate A	Glenunga 6	٧	St John's Grammar 3
6:00 pm	10	Intermediate A	Woodcroft	٧	Glenunga 7
7:30 pm	1	Intermediate A	St Peter's 4	٧	St Peter's Girls 3
7:30 pm	2	Intermediate A	Walford	٧	Wilderness 4
7:30 pm	3	Intermediate A	Wilderness 5	٧	St Peter's Girls 1
7:30 pm	4	Intermediate A	St Peter's 5	٧	St Peter's Girls 4
7:30 pm	5	Intermediate A	Glenunga 2	٧	Glenunga 1
7:30 pm	6	Intermediate A	Adelaide Botanic 1	٧	Unley High
7:30 pm	7	Intermediate A	Christian Brothers	٧	Loreto 1
7:30 pm	8	Intermediate A	St John's Grammar 1	٧	Wilderness 1
7:30 pm	9	Intermediate A	Glenunga 3	٧	Scotch
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate A	Loreto 2	٧	Adelaide Botanic 2

TOPIC:

Round 3: that we regret the trend of major media corporations endorsing political parties

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INTERMEDIATE A ROUND FOUR THURSDAY 31 JULY 2025

VENUE: ST PETER'S COLLEGE

57 Hackney Road, St Peters Debates held in Pentreath Building - enter via Main Oval

Time	Debate	Grade	Affirmative Team		Negative Team
	Number		(Bring Chairperson)		(Bring Timekeeper)
6:00 pm	1	Intermediate A	St Peter's Girls 1	٧	St Peter's 2
6:00 pm	2	Intermediate A	Glenunga 5	٧	Wilderness 3
6:00 pm	3	Intermediate A	Seymour 1	٧	Prince Alfred 2
6:00 pm	4	Intermediate A	St Peter's 3	٧	Seymour 2
6:00 pm	5	Intermediate A	St John's Grammar 3	٧	St Ignatius' 2
6:00 pm	6	Intermediate A	St Peter's Girls 2	٧	Glenunga 6
6:00 pm	7	Intermediate A	Glenunga 7	٧	St Peter's Girls 3
6:00 pm	8	Intermediate A	Wilderness 4	٧	St Peter's 4
6:00 pm	9	Intermediate A	Woodcroft	٧	Walford
6:00 pm	10	Intermediate A	Glenunga 8	٧	St Peter's 5
7:30 pm	1	Intermediate A	Loreto 1	٧	Wilderness 5
7:30 pm	2	Intermediate A	Glenunga 1	٧	Unley High
7:30 pm	3	Intermediate A	St Peter's Girls 4	٧	Adelaide Botanic 1
7:30 pm	4	Intermediate A	Glenunga 2	٧	Christian Brothers
7:30 pm	5	Intermediate A	Wilderness 1	٧	Scotch
7:30 pm	6	Intermediate A	Adelaide Botanic 2	٧	Glenunga 3
7:30 pm	7	Intermediate A	St John's Grammar 1	٧	Loreto 2
7:30 pm	8	Intermediate A	Prince Alfred 1	٧	Glenunga 4
7:30 pm	9	Intermediate A	St Ignatius' 1	٧	St John's Grammar 2
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate A	St Peter's 1	٧	Wilderness 2

TOPIC:

Round 4: Secret topic debate.

Advised topic area - "Education"

Preparation time 60 mins

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INTERMEDIATE A

ROUND FIVE

THURSDAY 21 AUGUST 2025

VENUE: ST PETER'S COLLEGE

57 Hackney Road, St Peters Debates held in Pentreath Building - enter via Main Oval

Time	Room	Grade	Affirmative Team		Negative Team
	Number		(Bring Chairperson)		(Bring Timekeeper)
6:00 pm	1	Intermediate A	St Peter's Girls 1	٧	Glenunga 5
6:00 pm	2	Intermediate A	Wilderness 3	٧	Prince Alfred 2
6:00 pm	3	Intermediate A	St Peter's 2	٧	Seymour 1
6:00 pm	4	Intermediate A	St Peter's 3	٧	St John's Grammar 3
6:00 pm	5	Intermediate A	St Ignatius' 2	٧	Glenunga 6
6:00 pm	6	Intermediate A	Seymour 2	٧	St Peter's Girls 2
6:00 pm	7	Intermediate A	Glenunga 7	٧	Wilderness 4
6:00 pm	8	Intermediate A	St Peter's 4	٧	Walford
6:00 pm	9	Intermediate A	St Peter's Girls 3	٧	Woodcroft
6:00 pm	10	Intermediate A	Glenunga 8	٧	St Peter's Girls 4
7:30 pm	1	Intermediate A	St Peter's 5	٧	Wilderness 5
7:30 pm	2	Intermediate A	Loreto 1	٧	Glenunga 1
7:30 pm	3	Intermediate A	Adelaide Botanic 1	٧	Christian Brothers
7:30 pm	4	Intermediate A	Unley High	٧	Glenunga 2
7:30 pm	5	Intermediate A	Wilderness 1	٧	Adelaide Botanic 2
7:30 pm	6	Intermediate A	Glenunga 3	٧	Loreto 2
7:30 pm	7	Intermediate A	Scotch	٧	St John's Grammar 1
7:30 pm	8	Intermediate A	Prince Alfred 1	٧	St Ignatius' 1
7:30 pm	9	Intermediate A	St John's Grammar 2	٧	Wilderness 2
7:30 pm	10	Intermediate A	Glenunga 4	٧	St Peter's 1

TOPIC:

Round 5: Secret topic debate.

Advised topic area - "The Arts"

Preparation time 60 mins

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SENIOR ZONE

Teams debating in the Senior A and B Grades will, after the first predetermined round, move to a "power paired" draw based system. The draw to be based upon their team rankings after each subsequent round.

SENIOR B GRADE

TEAMS

CHRISTIAN BROTHERS	ST PETER'S 1
GLENUNGA 1	ST PETER'S 2
GLENUNGA 2	ST PETER'S 3
GLENUNGA 3	ST PETER'S 4
GLENUNGA 4	ST PETER'S 5
GLENUNGA 5	ST PETER'S GIRLS 1
HENLEY HIGH	ST PETER'S GIRLS 2
LORETO	USC 1
NORWOOD INTERNATIONAL	USC 2
PRINCE ALFRED 1	USC 3
PRINCE ALFRED 2	UNLEY HIGH
PRINCE ALFRED 3	WALFORD
SCOTCH 1	WILDERNESS 1
SCOTCH 2	WILDERNESS 2
SCOTCH 3	WILDERNESS 3
SEYMOUR 1	WILDERNESS 4
SEYMOUR 2	WILDERNESS 5
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SENIOR B

ROUND ONE

WEDNESDAY 7 MAY 2025

VENUE: GLENUNGA INTERNATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

99 L'Estrange Street, Glenunga

Off street parking available - Enter school via Gate 1 or 2 from L'Estrange Street. Debates held in building in northerly direction from car park.

Time	Debate	Grade	Affirmative Team		Negative Team
	Number		(Bring Chairperson)		(Bring Timekeeper)
6:00 pm	1	Senior B	Christian Brothers	٧	St Peter's Girls 1
6:00 pm	2	Senior B	Unley High	٧	Scotch 2
6:00 pm	3	Senior B	Henley High	٧	Loreto
6:00 pm	4	Senior B	Norwood International	٧	Seymour 2
6:00 pm	5	Senior B	St Peter's Girls 2	٧	Walford
6:00 pm	6	Senior B	St Peter's 1	٧	Glenunga 1
6:00 pm	7	Senior B	Wilderness 1	٧	Prince Alfred 1
6:00 pm	8	Senior B	St Peter's 2	٧	Wilderness 3
7:45 pm	1	Senior B	USC 1	٧	St Ignatius'
7:45 pm	2	Senior B	Wilderness 2	٧	USC 2
7:45 pm	3	Senior B	Glenunga 2	٧	Wilderness 4
7:45 pm	4	Senior B	Scotch 1	٧	USC 3
7:45 pm	5	Senior B	Glenunga 3	٧	Prince Alfred 2
7:45 pm	6	Senior B	Seymour 1	٧	St Peter's 3
7:45 pm	7	Senior B	St Peter's 4	٧	Scotch 3
7:45 pm	8	Senior B	Wilderness 5	٧	Prince Alfred 3
7:45 pm	9	Senior B	Glenunga 4	٧	St Peter's 5

BYE: Glenunga 5

TOPIC:

Round 1: that we would prefer free tertiary education to the current HECS-HELP system

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SENIOR B

ROUND TWO

DATE: WEDNESDAY 28 MAY 2025

VENUE: Glenunga International High School

DRAW TO BE RELEASED ON MONDAY 12 MAY

Debates to be held at 6:00pm or 7:45pm

TOPIC: Round 2: that the Labor Party is no longer the party of the working class

ROUND THREE

DATE: WEDNESDAY 18 JUNE 2025

VENUE: Glenunga International High School

DRAW TO BE RELEASED ON MONDAY 2 JUNE

Secret Topic Debate - Topic area "Law and Justice"

Preparation time 60 mins

Topic released at 4:55 for 5:00 commencement of preparation for 6:00pm debate Topic released at 6:40 for 6:45 commencement of preparation for 7:45pm debate

ROUND FOUR

DATE: WEDNESDAY 30 JULY 2025

VENUE: Glenunga International High School

DRAW TO BE RELEASED ON MONDAY 23 JUNE

Secret Topic Debate – Topic area "Pop culture"

Preparation time 60 mins

Topic released at 4:55 for 5:00 commencement of preparation for 6:00pm debate Topic released at 6:40 for 6:45 commencement of preparation for 7:45pm debate

ROUND FIVE

DATE: WEDNESDAY 20 AUGUST 2025

VENUE: Glenunga International High School

DRAW TO BE RELEASED ON MONDAY 4 AUGUST

Secret Topic Debate – Topic Area "Economics"

Preparation time 60 mins

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SENIOR A GRADE

TEAMS

BLACKFRIARS'	ST IGNATIUS' 1
GLENUNGA 1	ST IGNATIUS' 2
GLENUNGA 2	ST PETER'S 1
LORETO	ST PETER'S 2
PRINCE ALFRED 1	ST PETER'S 3
PRINCE ALFRED 2	ST PETER'S 4
PRINCE ALFRED 3	ST PETER'S GIRLS
SCOTCH 1	WALFORD 1
SCOTCH 2	WALFORD 2
SEYMOUR 1	WILDERNESS 1
SEYMOUR 2	WILDERNESS 2
SEYMOUR 3	
SEYMOUR 4	

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SENIOR A

ROUND ONE

WEDNESDAY 14 MAY 2025

VENUE : St Peter's College, 57 Hackney Road, St Peters

Debates held in Pentreath Building. Enter via Main Oval.

Time	Room Number	Grade	Affirmative Team (Bring Chairperson)		Negative Team (Bring Timekeeper)
6.00 pm	1	Senior A	Blackfriars'	٧	Glenunga 1
6.00 pm	2	Senior A	Seymour 1	٧	St Peter's 1
6.00 pm	3	Senior A	St Peter's Girls	٧	Wilderness 2
6.00 pm	4	Senior A	Loreto	٧	Prince Alfred 3
6.00 pm	5	Senior A	Prince Alfred 2	٧	Scotch 2
6.00 pm	6	Senior A	Glenunga 2	٧	St Peter's 2
7:45 pm	1	Senior A	Scotch 1	٧	Seymour 2
7:45 pm	2	Senior A	Walford 2	٧	St Ignatius 2
7:45 pm	3	Senior A	Walford 1	٧	Wilderness 1
7:45 pm	4	Senior A	St Peter's 3	٧	St Ignatius 1
7:45 pm	5	Senior A	Prince Alfred 1	٧	Seymour 3
7:45 pm	6	Senior A	St Peter's 4	٧	Seymour 4

Secret Topic Debate - Topic Area "Australian Politics"

Preparation time 60 mins

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SENIOR A

ROUND TWO

DATE: WEDNESDAY 4 JUNE

VENUE: St Peter's College

DRAW TO BE RELEASED ON MONDAY 19 MAY

Secret Topic Debate – Topic Area "International Humanitarian Law"

(Prepared by ICRC)

Preparation time 60 mins

Topic released at 4:55 for 5:00 commencement of preparation for 6:00pm debate Topic released at 6:40 for 6:45 commencement of preparation for 7:45pm debate

ROUND THREE

DATE: WEDNESDAY 25 JUNE 2025

VENUE: St Peter's College

DRAW TO BE RELEASED ON MONDAY 9 JUNE

Secret Topic Debate – Topic Area "Ethics"

Preparation time 60 mins

Topic released at 4:55 for 5:00 commencement of preparation for 6:00pm debate Topic released at 6:40 for 6:45 commencement of preparation for 7:45pm debate

ROUND FOUR

DATE: WEDNESDAY 6 AUGUST 2025

VENUE: St Peter's College

DRAW TO BE RELEASED ON FRIDAY 30 JUNE

Secret Topic Debate – Topic Area "Economics"

Preparation time 60 mins

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ROUND FIVE

DATE: WEDNESDAY 27 AUGUST 2025

VENUE: St Peter's College

DRAW TO BE RELEASED ON MONDAY 11 AUGUST

Secret Topic Debate - Topic Area "Social norms"

Preparation time 60 mins

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FINALS

The top 8 teams in each Grade will progress to the Finals series.

SENIOR FINALS (Senior A and B grade)

Quarter Finals: Wednesday 3 September

St Peter's College

Semi Finals: Wednesday 10 September

St Peter's College

Grand Finals: Sunday 21 September

(TBC) Parliament House

INTERMEDIATE A FINALS

Quarter Finals: Thursday 11 September

St Peter's College

Semi Finals: Tuesday 23 September

Venue to be advised

Grand Finals: Sunday 19 October

(TBC) Sir Samuel Way Building, Victoria Square, Adelaide

JUNIOR FINALS (Junior B and Junior A and Intermediate B)

Quarter Finals: Tuesday 9 September

Venue to be advised

Semi Finals: Tuesday 23 September

Venue to be advised

Grand Finals: Sunday 19 October

(TBC) Sir Samuel Way Building, Victoria Square, Adelaide

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TOPICS

Please note:

Secret Topic (ST) debates (Intermediate A, Senior B and Senior A only)

Topic released at the venue 65 minutes prior to the debate

The advised topic areas for these debates are listed in brackets below

Junior B Grade

- Round 1: that the Olympic Games should be expanded to include non-sporting competitive events
- Round 2: that the South Australian government should introduce road tolls
- Round 3: that there should be a legal drinking age of 16 for caffeinated beverages
- Round 4: that generative AI does more harm than good
- Round 5: that we regret the focus on an individual's climate footprint

Junior A Grade

- Round 1: that contact sports (ie football and rugby) should be banned in schools due to concussion risks
- Round 2: that music is the most important form of art
- Round 3: that the Australian elections should be conducted online
- Round 4: that private schools should not receive government funding
- Round 5: that we, as a parent, would not allow our child to own a smartphone until the age of

Intermediate B Grade

- Round 1: that parents should be assigned an extra vote for each of their children under 18
- Round 2: that we regret the under 16 year old ban on social media
- Round 3: that we should ban meat consumption in Australia
- Round 4: that it should be mandatory for politicians to retire at 70 years of age
- Round 5: that we, as Disney, would stop producing live-action remakes of our old animated films

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Intermediate A Grade

Round 1: that we should abolish junior pay rates in favour of same-work-same-pay laws

Round 2 : that major tourist destinations should significantly limit the number of tourists that can visit

Round 3: that we regret the trend of major media corporations endorsing political parties before elections

Round 4 : Secret topic debate (Topic area : Education)

Round 5 : Secret topic debate (Topic area : The Arts)

Senior B Grade

Round 1: that we would prefer free tertiary education to the current HECS-HELP system

Round 2: that the Labor Party is no longer the party of the working class

Round 3: Secret Topic Debate (Topic area: Law and Justice)

Round 4 : Secret Topic Debate (Topic area : Pop culture)

Round 5 : Secret Topic Debate (Topic area : Economics)

Senior A Grade

All Senior A Grade debates are secret topic debates.

Round 1: Secret Topic Debate (Topic area: Australian Politics)

Round 2 : Secret Topic Debate (Topic area : International Humanitarian Law

- prepared by ICRC)

Round 3 : Secret Topic Debate (Topic area : Ethics)

Round 4 : Secret Topic Debate (Topic area : Economics)

Round 5 : Secret Topic Debate (Topic area : Social norms)

TOPIC RESOURCE GUIDES

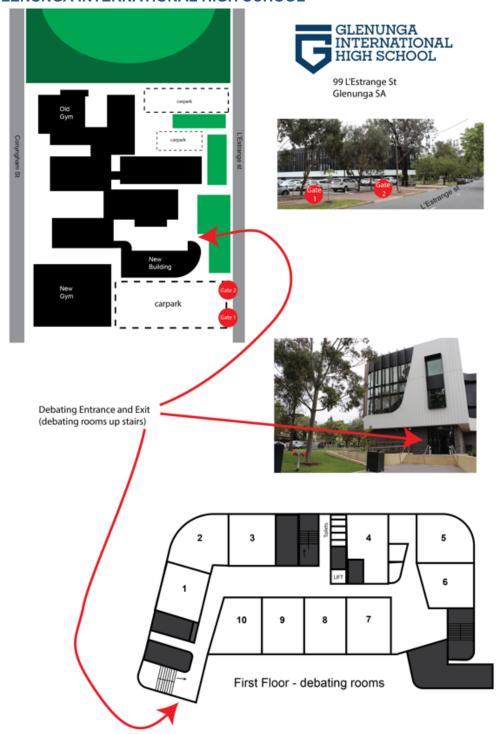
The SADA's topic guides are prepared for all Junior and Intermediate topics and for some Senior B and A topics. Whilst the topic guides should aid and inform you when preparing for debates they are by no means a substitution for researching and preparing on your own. You should not simply structure your speeches around the questions asked nor demonstrate over reliance on any resources linked. They are preliminary materials to merely assist your own brainstorming, research and case construction.

Topic resource guides can be found on the SADA website at the following web address: https://www.sada.org.au/schools-competition-topic-resources

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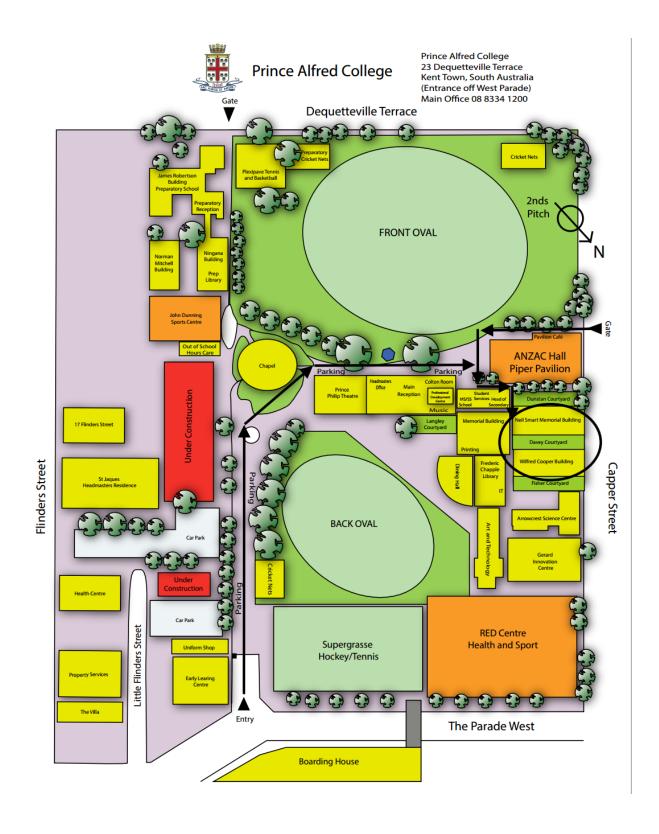
VENUE INFORMATION

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PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE



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ST PETER'S COLLEGE

57 Hackney Road, St Peters

Debates held in Pentreath Building



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SEYMOUR COLLEGE

546 Portrush Road, Glen Osmond

Enter the school via Gate G8, the driveway at the top, eastern end of Gilles Road.

Follow the signs to park in the Staff Carpark.

Signs will be displayed from the Staff Carpark to the debates.

Room 1-6 debates to be held in the Hetzel classroom building

Room 7-10 debates to be held in the McCaul classroom building

Room 11-13 debates to be held in the Yurrebilla classroom building

SEYMOUR COLLEGE

