

2025 NOF Pine Invitational Debate & Assigned Speaking Prompts

Async Debate Topic:

Elementary and Middle School competitors can choose either the first topic, or any topic from the second list.

Elementary & Middle School:

Social media is harmful for democracy.

All Competition Levels:

Resolved: The United States ought to rewild substantial tracts of land.

Resolved: The United States federal government should require technology companies to provide lawful access to encrypted communications.

Resolved: The United States federal government should significantly increase its exploration and/or development of the Arctic.

Resolved: Moral systems rooted in theism are preferable to non-theistic moral systems.

Resolved: This House believes that the Olympic Games should be permanently hosted in one location.

Async Assigned Platform Topics:

AI Agents

Citizen Journalism

Undersea Cables

Predictive Genetics

Vertical Farming

Cultural Preservation

Disinformation

Airships

Butterfly Migration

Rewilding