

Frankenstein Debate Instructions // Tuesday, June 21, 2016

Debate: Should Dr. Frankenstein create a companion for his monster?

Working with your group, prepare for a debate with the opposing team. You should find passages in the text that support your position, and that help you respond to what you anticipate your opponent will argue. The debate will consist of 7 rounds, outlined below. For each round, state your claim and then quote a passage of text that supports that claim. Use the IQIAA method to analyze the quotation and to explain how it supports your team's position. Each round of the debate must be presented by a different speaker.

Round One (3 minutes for each team): General position (Affirmative/Negative)

Round Two (4 minutes for each statement, 1 minute conference, 2 minutes for rebuttal): Reasons related to a theme (Negative/Affirmative/Rebuttal from Negative)

Round Three (4 minutes for each statement, 1 minute conference, 2 minutes for rebuttal): Reasons related to characterization (Affirmative/Negative/Rebuttal from Affirmative)

Round Four (4 minutes for each statement, 1 minute conference, 2 minutes for rebuttal): Reasons related to style (Negative/Affirmative/Rebuttal from Negative)

Round Five (4 minutes for each statement, 1 minute conference, 2 minutes for rebuttal): Reasons related to setting (Affirmative/Negative/Rebuttal from Affirmative)

Round Six: One question asked by Affirmative, with 3 minute response from Negative; One question asked by Negative, with 3 minute response from Affirmative. 1 minute conference between question and response.

Round Seven (3 minutes for each team): Conclusions (Negative/Affirmative)