

When this school year started, I decided that I wanted to join the Forensics afternoon activity at my school. At first, I thought that it would be boring. As it turned out, it is really interesting and fun! In class, we practised all the events, such as Impromptu speech, Group Discussion and others, but my personal favourite is Debate!

In March, I participated in a Debate competition that was held at Champion school. It was amazing! I met a lot of people from different countries, discussed different topics and gained a lot of confidence. In the first round I was really anxious, but then I relaxed a little bit and got better every time! I also watched some really experienced and fantastic debaters (and I decided that when I grow up, I want to be like them!)

There are a lot of reasons why I love debating. However difficult it might be, I find it the most interesting of all. Firstly, I like the fact that you can see a topic from two different angles, so you get a more objective opinion about it. Another reason is that, while debating, you learn how to speak in public without stressing out. Lastly, I really like that you have a limited period of time to express yourself and your arguments, so you have to be specific, clear and precise to be a good debater.

The whole Forensics event is a unique experience and a chance of a life-time. This year, I learned lots of things and improved in English as well as growing so much as a person. All in all, Forensics is great and I suggest everyone should try this activity!

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