

# Public Forum Partnership Pairing Form

In completing this form, you are asking Mr. Kline to find a partner in Public Forum Debate for you. If you already have a set partner for next year, do not complete this form. Your honesty on this form will ensure a good match. Only submit this form if you intend on/desire one partner for next year.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Years in Public Forum: \_\_\_\_\_ Will you be in Debate class next year? Yes No

Win/Loss Record in PFD (use NFLOnline): \_\_\_\_\_

Course programs (*circle all that apply*): IB AP Honors Standard

I would prefer to be partnered with a: Male Female No Preference

I prefer to debate as: First Speaker Second Speaker No Preference

Rate Yourself in the Following Categories

1 = weak, 5 = moderate, 10 = strong

Work Ethic

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Case-writing skills

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Evidence Gathering Skills

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Refutation Skills

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Cross-fire Question Skills

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Cross-fire Answer Skills

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Speaking Skills

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Summarization Skills

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Attendance at Practices

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Your Plans for Next Year

1. With regard to local tournaments, I plan to attend
  - a. More than 9
  - b. 6-9
  - c. 3-5
  - d. Less than 3
  
2. With regard to national circuit tournaments, I want to attend
  - a. More than 4
  - b. 3-4
  - c. 2
  - d. 1
  - e. 0
  
3. I will be available for after-school practice
  - a. Twice a week
  - b. Once a week regularly
  - c. Once a week on occasion
  - d. Rarely
  
4. My debate goal(s) for next year is/are to *(select all that apply)*
  - a. Improve my debate skills
  - b. Improve my transcript
  - c. Win local tournaments
  - d. Place at national circuit tournaments
  - e. Attend CFL/NFL Nationals and/or TOCs
  - f. Unknown

List all other activities (in and outside of school) that you participate in:

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In the following section, identify your greatest debate-related weakness you wish to improve for next year. Explain how you plan to improve it. Be as specific as you can.

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Finally, identify one key characteristic you would like to have in a partner for next year. Explain why this is important to you.

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