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DAY 1: QUALIFIERS

- Each team should comprise of minimum 1 and maximum 3 participants.

- The topic and stance will be provided to the teams on the day of the event.

- The teams will each prepare a 3 minute long argument on the given topic.

- 30 minutes of preparation time will be given at the start.

- A questioning round will take place after every team's argument is presented.

- The teams can bring their own gadgets as use of internet will be allowed during prep time. Use of AI or any software is strictly prohibited.

- Based on the performance and ability to create a strong constructive, the best teams will qualify for the final round.

DAY 2: FINALE

- The motion and details for Day 2 will be released along with the results on Day 1.

- An agenda that will require the selected teams to think creatively and brainstorm innovative solutions will be declared.

- They will present a viable and creative solution, analyzing its need and importance according to the agenda.

- Use of live presentations/technical gear/ any other props is encouraged.

- Other teams will be given time to question the propositions after each presentation is complete.

- The questions can be based on the technical or the substantial part of the argument.

- Teams must try to come up with the best possible solution and improvise on the spot.

CRITERIA

- **Content**: Depth of knowledge, relevance, accuracy & innovation of the proposition

- **Delivery**: Clarity, confidence & engagement of speakers during the presentation

- **Rebuttal**: Ability to question other teams and find loopholes in their proposition

- **Teamwork**: Show of coordination and team spirit