## 2017 GPS Debating Draw & Topics

(V2 as at 26 October 2016)

	Senior A	Senior B	11.1	11.2	11.3	10.1	10.2	10.3	9.1	9.2	9.3	9.4	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.4
Round 1 10 Feb (Friday)	That Democratic States be required to hold a National Referendum to ratify any free trade agreements				That sports stars should be paid the median wage in their country					That Po	That Pokemon Go should be a GPS sport					
Round 2 24 Feb (Friday)	That the development of Artificial Intelligence poses an unacceptable risk to our humanity			That we regret the 2016 Census						That	That there should be a sugar tax					
Round 3 2 March (Thursday)	SHORT PREP			SHORT PREP					SHORT PREP							
Round 4 10 March (Friday)	That terrorism should not be publicised				That universities should only offer courses with secure employment prospects					That greyhound racing should be banned						
Round 5 17 March (Friday)	SHORT PREP			SHORT PREP					SHORT PREP							
Round 6 24 March (Friday)	SHORT PREP			SHORT PREP					SHORT PREP							
Round 7 21 April (Friday)	SHORT PREP			SHORT PREP			That we should not buy supermarket branded milk									

	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.4	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.4	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.4
Round 1 10 Feb (Friday)	No debates for Year 7 in Round 1  NB: From 2015, Year 7 will debate the same topics as Year 8s			No debates for Year 5 & 6 in Round 1								
Round 2 24 Feb (Friday)	That there should be a sugar tax			That everyone should play a musical instrument								
Round 3 2 March (Thursday)												
Round 4 10 March (Friday)	That greyhound racing should be banned			That pocket money should be earned								
Round 5 17 March (Friday)	SHORT PREP			SHORT PREP No Debate								
Round 6 24 March (Friday)	SHORT PREP			That there should be a computer on every desk								
Round 7 21 April (Friday)	That we should not buy supermarket branded milk			That school camps should be banned								

## **DEBATE COMMENCEMENT TIMES**

Prepared	Debates
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5pm	6pm	7.15 pm					
5.1	6.2	9.1					
5.2	6.4	9.2					
5.3	7.2	9.3					
6.1	7.4	9.4					
6.3	8.1	10.2					
7.1	8.3	10.3					
7.3	10.1	11.2					
8.2	11.1	11.3					
8.4	Senior B	Senior A					

## **Short Prep Debates**

5pm	6pm	7.15 pm
5.1	7.1	9.1
5.2	7.2	9.2
5.3	7.3	9.3
6.1	7.4	9.4
6.2	8.1	10.1
6.3	8.2	10.2
6.4	8.3	10.3
	8.4	11.1
		11.2
		11.3
		Senior B
		Senior A

## **TEAM POSITIONS**

Team	Home Debate	Away Debate
Senior A	Affirmative	Negative
Senior B	Negative	Affirmative
11.1	Affirmative	Negative
11.2	Negative	Affirmative
10.1	Affirmative	Negative
10.2	Negative	Affirmative
10.3	Affirmative	Negative
9.1	Affirmative	Negative
9.2	Negative	Affirmative
9.3	Affirmative	Negative
9.4	Negative	Affirmative
8.1	Affirmative	Negative
8.2	Negative	Affirmative
8.3	Affirmative	Negative
7.1	Affirmative	Negative
7.2	Negative	Affirmative
7.3	Affirmative	Negative
7.4	Negative	Affirmative
6.1	Affirmative	Negative
6.2	Negative	Affirmative
6.3	Affirmative	Negative
6.4	Negative	Affirmative
5.1	Affirmative	Negative
5.2	Negative	Affirmative
5.3	Affirmative	Negative