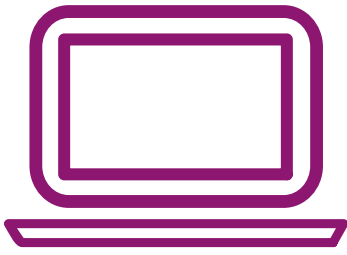


AUTUMN 2020

WEEKLY DEBATE CLUBS

CODEBLUE EDUCATION

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ONLINE DEBATE TRAINING

This term, CodeBlue are excited to launch **weekly debate clubs**, which aim to provide top quality coaching for students who want more practice in competitive debating.

COST

£90 per student, entitles you to 8 weekly sessions, each 90 mins long.

EACH SESSION

Each session will include a full debate and then in depth feedback with the group mentor. The group mentor remains the same across all 8 weeks, to ensure that they really get to know their students.

ONLINE

The classes happen online, and so enable students to practice with students outside of their school, getting to know other debaters and practicing with students of their same ability.

HOW IT WORKS



- Students register to be part of a debate club, giving their age, debating experience, and times that they are free.
- We match you with other students of the same age/experience and from there organise a weekly slot in which you can debate.
- The weekly debate takes place on **zoom**.
- Each group is matched with one of our mentors, an experienced coach and successful international debater.
- Groups can decide among themselves if they want to practice in the World Schools or British Parliamentary format (or a combination).
- Students can register either **individually** and be assigned to a group of 7 others, or as a **team** of 2 so as to get additional practice in their school team.

Register Here:

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OUR MENTORS

At CodeBlue, we only ever use mentors who have excelled at the highest level of debating, which is why we are so excited that Rosa Thomas and Rory Flynn will be heading up our weekly debate clubs. Both of these debaters represented their national teams at World Schools, and have subsequently been internationally recognised speaker at a University level in the British Parliamentary format.

Rosa Thomas

Rosa graduated from the University of Oxford with a degree in History and Politics. While at School she represented England at the 2016 World Schools Debating Championships and, speaking in every elimination round, was named World Champion. Rosa was also a finalist of the English Speaking Union's Schools' Mace and the top breaking team at Oxford Schools Finals Day. While at university, she coached Cheney School and she has judged at both the World and European Universities Debating Championships. In 2018 she reached the final of the European Universities Debating Championships, representing Oxford. She also convened the Oxford Women's Debating Competition and was the Chief Adjudicator of the International Competition for Young Debaters in 2018.



At school, Rory was the Canadian National Champion debater. She was twice selected to speak for Team Canada at the World Schools Debating Championships, where she went on to reach back to back Grand Finals. At a university level, Rory reached the semi final of the World University Debating Championships in 2019 and was also ranked 2nd best individual speaker. In addition to this, she has broken at competitions including Tallinn European University Debating Championships, the Oxford IV, the Cambridge IV, the Birmingham IV and the LSE Open. She has also been in the top 10 speakers of competitions including the Birmingham IV, the Trinity IV, the Oxford IV and the Cambridge IV. Aside from speaking she has been on the Chief Adjudicator teams of competitions including the Lancaster IV, the Trinity Open, the Cambridge Women's Open, the Manchester IV and Dulwich Schools. She has coached students in Canada, the USA, the UK and India.

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