



LPSMC Excels in Hong Kong Secondary Debating Competition

Our Senior and Junior English Debating Teams launched Term 2 of the Hong Kong Secondary Debating Competition with impressive victories. Both teams triumphed in their Round 1 matches, debating the motion "This House would ban those under 16 from using social media platforms." On March 5th, the Senior Team defeated Concordia Lutheran School, with LPSMC debater Audrey Lam earning the Best Speaker award for her outstanding performance. This marked four consecutive wins for the team, securing them a place in the 2024-25



Grand Final with one debate to spare. On March 10th, the Junior Team prevailed over Precious Blood Secondary School, and LPSMC debater Seriena Kiang was named Best Speaker for her compelling arguments and great rebuttals. Expert adjudication and feedback was provided by Dr. Tim Yung from German Swiss International School. Congratulations to both teams for their success and for representing LPSMC with distinction! We are very proud of them all.
-Byron Wallin

Senior English Debating Team Debaters:

Wong Sin Ping, Candy (5D) Wan Tsz Yan, Kelanna (5D) Lam Hui Wing, Audrey (3A)



(Received The Best Speaker Award)

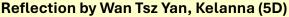
Junior English Debating Team Debaters:

Chu So Ying, Danae (2C) Lai Hong Rui, Henry (3B) Kiang Yuet, Seriena (3A)





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Participating in this debate was an incredible experience! I take great pride in what we accomplished together. With the adjudicator's comments and feedback, I believe we can strive for even better results in future debates. Our collaboration has grown stronger than ever, and I feel fortunate to be part of such a supportive team. I'm excited to continue enhancing my skills for upcoming debates and look forward to our ongoing success in the Grand Final!



Reflection by Kiang Yuet, Seriena (3A)

Our last debate was a close one, we did thorough preparation including predicting likely opposition arguments and scenarios. There were areas to attack in both side's arguments and it was an illuminating exchange. Our opposition pointed out a perspective I had never considered, and we rebutted back just as eloquently. Ultimately, it was an enlightening debate and one we won by a thread.





