

Fox Hunting Debate

During our debate you are going to take the role of the people that are against fox hunting. You will be *animal rights* followers and must research to find all you can about what this group of people believe in, and why they think the things they do. When you have found as much information as possible, prepare an opening statement to address the theme for our debate:

Should fox hunting be allowed on the County Council land of _____?

During our debate you are going to take the role of the people that believe strongly in fox hunting. You will be comprised mostly of farmers and local landowners who have been hunting in this area for generations. You must research to find all you can about what this group of people believe in, and why they think the things they do. When you have found as much information as possible, prepare an opening statement to address the theme for our debate:

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In many ways you have the most difficult task in this debate. You are to be the county council and must take into account the views of both opposing parties (the people who are for and those who are against fox hunting). You must find out how the arguments for and against fox hunting affect other people and during the debate try to come to a fair and unbiased decision. You must research to find all you can about what both groups of people believe in, and why they think the things they do – and what happens when these two groups disagree. When you have found as much information as possible, prepare an opening statement to address the theme for our debate:

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