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Debate Terms

Across

- 1.** Matches two teams against each other, one affirming and one opposing the resolution
- 5.** Bad reasoning resulting in an unsound argument
- 6.** Individual who listens to a debate and decides the winner
- 12.** Process of formally arguing a resolution against an opposing team
- 14.** Statement that a debater supports or refutes with evidence and reasoning
- 15.** When a member of one team questions an opposing team member
- 17.** Information used to support a claim, such as a testimonial
- 18.** Another word for "claims"

Down

- 2.** Explanations of terms stated in the resolution
- 3.** Using analysis to connect the evidence to the claim being made
- 4.** Speech that challenges and defends arguments introduced in a constructive speech
- 7.** Argues in favor of the resolution
- 8.** The topic or claim being debated
- 9.** Speech presenting a debater's basic arguments for or against the resolution
- 10.** Uses evidence and reasoning to support claims
- 11.** process of attaching an opponent's arguments
- 13.** Taking notes during a debate to prepare for CX
- 16.** Argues against the resolution

