**Requirements for Debate**

**4th, 5th, 7th, 8th periods**

* T-chart with Pros and Cons for your topic
* State your claim (must be clear and strong)
* 1 reason and at least 2 pieces of evidence to support your claim
* Counterclaim and rebuttal for your opponent’s reason and evidence
* Conclusion/Summary
* Draw a picture that represents your topic
* Make sure that you document your resources

**Do this assignment in your research notebook. Your work should be neat and clean. If you do not have good penmanship, you may type your assignment and glue, or staple, or tape your work in your research notebook.**

**Take pride in your work!**