Prep sheet

Name _____ Side: Pro / Con My position _____

Debate prompt: _____

1 · Opening statement (Captain)

Background on the whole issue

Your side's thesis: the three claims your team will make

2 · My argument (Quarterback, Running Back or Wide Receiver)

Claim

Evidence A, and its source (URL, author, page)

Evidence B, and its source

Evidence C, and its source

3 · Opposition research (Linebacker, Cornerback or Safety)

How will the other side argue this point? What claim will they make?

Evidence they might use (with its source)

How you will answer it (specific reasons and sources)

4 · Conclusion (Kicker)

Sum up your side's case

Why is the other side wrong?

5 · Sideline Reporters and Booth Reviewers

Questions you could ask the other side, and sources or numbers you will check

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