

Resource 2a

Class debate - IPEDs *Image and Performance Enhancing Drugs*



If you are caught using a banned substance you should never be allowed to represent your country in major sports events.

Against

- Do they deserve a second chance?
- A modern world means any technology should be utilised to win.
- The chances of getting caught are so slim, the risk is worth it.

For

- It's cheating! You should train, work hard and be a true winner.
- It creates pressure on all sports professionals to use unnatural methods.
- It means some countries who can afford the technology have an unfair advantage.

VOTE

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Energy drinks should be banned from schools.

Against

- Other drinks with caffeine are allowed.
- They are not illegal.
- They are just a fashion.

For

- They can damage your health.
- They can cause poor concentration in class.
- They replace healthy drinks like milk and water.



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It's OK to take a substance to improve your appearance.

Against

- The uncertainty of purity, (strength) and dosage
- Lack of knowledge of the side effects
- The legality of the substance used

For

- Could help create the desired image
- You could look as attractive as your favourite celeb
- Improve your self esteem and confidence

VOTE