

25 debate topics for **KS3**

- 1 Do mobile phones do more harm than good?
- 2 How much homework should pupils be given?
- 3 Should schools abolish exams?
- 4 Do footballers get paid too much?
- 5 Should public transport be free to discourage driving?
- 6 Should teens have bedtimes?
- 7 How much screen time is appropriate before bedtime?
- 8 Should children have to do part time or summer work?
- 9 Should parents give their children money for doing chores?
- 10 Is it right to ban family holidays during term time?
- 11 Should work experience be compulsory at school?
- 12 Should the long summer holidays be shortened?
- 13 Should competitive sports be played in school?
- 14 Should tax be increased on junk food?
- 15 Should the voting age be lowered to 16?
- 16 Should violent video games be banned?
- 17 Should under 16s have a curfew?
- 18 Are LGBT people well-represented in the media?
- 19 Should school meals go vegan?
- 20 Should all secondary schools be co-educational?
- 21 Should politics be compulsory in school?
- 22 Should writing fake news be considered a crime?
- 23 Should schools spend less time teaching the arts?
- 24 Should parents have the final say over a child's treatment?
- 25 Should we become a cashless society?

