

Debate topics for Physical Education classes:

- Should physical education be mandatory for all students every day of the school week?
- Should students on sports teams be required to carry a certain grade point average [GPA] in order to play?
- Should coaches be required to give equal playing time to athletes at the secondary school level regardless of skills (middle and high school)?
- Are sports athletes role models?
- Is mandatory drug testing of all athletes on a secondary, collegiate, and professional level necessary?
- Are spectator sports overemphasized in America today?
- Should professional athletes who break the law (via drug use, illegal gambling, domestic abuse, etc.) be banned from their professional sport in addition to doing jail time?
- Should athletes who have taken performance enhancing drugs be admitted into the Hall of Fame?
- Should parent-spectators be required to sign a "Spectator Expectation Code of Conduct," which includes prohibitions against verbal abuse and obnoxious behavior ("Respect all athletes, coaches, officials and fans.") if their child plays a school sport. Thus, if a parent-spectator is found disrespecting a player, coach or opposing team they should be banned from attending their child's athletic games.
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