

Speed Dating

Objective: This is an activity for students in preparation for Activism Day or just need practice to Dialogue with Dignity. Students will practice Dialoguing with Dignity in approaching Pro-Choice arguments one on one.

Before Meeting

- Make a list of Pro- Choice Arguments
 - Resources:
 - [Why ProLife](#)
 - [Womens Issues](#)
 - [Pro-Life Action League](#)
 - Print at least 20 different arguments and cut on different sheets of paper Or write a question per index card
- Prepare common Pro-Life responses
 - Resources
 - Dialogue with Dignity
 - SLED
 - Weekly Meeting Notes
- Arrange Chairs/Tables facing each other
- Place Pro-Choice argument sheet/ index card on the seats of Side 2 (Pro-Choicer) facing down.

During

- Explain Objective
- Review (depends of leader)
- Directions:
 - Students make 2 rows facing each other
 - Side 1- is Pro-Life
 - Side 2- is Pro-Choice
 - Basic Rules
 - Side 1 plays Pro-Lifer and Side 2 plays Pro-Choicer
 - Pro-Choicer will be given a pro choice common argument as his/her stance.
 - Pro-Lifer will practice Dw/D and SLED arguments
 - ALL 101 tabling rules apply
 - ie: Pro-life introduced his/herself, builds rapport, and proceeds into dialogue
 - After (4 mins) give Pro-choicer time to constructively critique or help pro-lifer with how to respond.
 - Pro-choicer leaves argument faced down
 - Finally Rotate: EVERYONE rotates Clockwise of THEIR side
 - Side 1- rotate clockwise (right) So the first chair will be the last chair. and the last chair will be the first chair.



- Side 2- rotate clockwise (right) So the first chair will be the last chair. and the last chair will be the first chair.
- Repeat Above direction however many times leader wishes.
- Then Switch sides.
 - Pro-choicer becomes pro-lifer so that everyone can practice.
- ***** have a facilitator walk around in case dates go silent (or prolifer doesn't know how to respond

After

- Open forum or time for discussion or common questions that students need help in responding.
- Final words to affirm Dw/D!!!

GOOD LUCK!