**When making a flyer, it is best to only put around 5-6 talking points on there. The idea is for the page to be filled with your team logo or University Mascot, or a picture of your team or a picture of someone debating from your team (always ask for consent before you put their picture all around campus/campus emails). The list below is a starting point in different categories for you to mix and match however you choose.**

**Question-y type wordings- Maybe put at the top?**

* Want to find a way to engage in a competitive team environment in college while still practicing social distancing?
* Like to argue about politics? Want to find a way to do so that ensures you will not only you will improve your skills but it will be in a competitive learning environment?
* Like politics? Debate will help you become an expert in domestic public policy, foreign policy, and the law

**Major specific question-y type wordings- could use some other input**

* Like philosophy? Learn how to test philosophical challenges against the inaction of public policy
* Love politics? Join the debate team to learn how the policies you either love or hate are enacted- while testing your research, public speaking, and argument skills.
* Want to be a lawyer? Debate is the best way to train and hone your skills for both law school and your future career.
* Want to gain skills needed for your career in Business? Join the debate team and learn public speaking, research, and how to be persuasive.
* Want to research and discuss what you want to- not just what your professor asks you to do? Debate is a great way to take ownership of arguments you are passionate about.
* Want to know how public policy interacts with society? Debate allows your research to be focused on many sociological problems facing the US and the World.
* Want to find ways to take your public speaking and persuasion skills to the next level?
* Looking for a way to learn how to explain tough science concepts to a lay audience?

**Why Debate?**

* Policy debate is a great place to practice, fine tune, and execute the skills you learn in the classroom in a hands on, interactive way.
* Learn how to effectively argue through fine tuning your research, learning how to organize an argument, and how to deliver that argument persuasively.
* Have a hands on and in- real time learning experience that is more challenging (and rewarding) than any exam or paper you have been assigned.
* Join a team of fellow students who love arguing and discussing politics and policy as much as you do.
* Meet fellow students from all across the country who you compete against and create friendships with.
* Policy debate is a great way to find an outlet for your competitive side- with tournaments multiple times a semester you will have the opportunity to compete many times throughout the year.
* Learn how to be a commanding public speaker.
* Think you are an excellent critical thinker? Debate is one of the best ways to learn how to critically think and apply that knowledge on the fly.
* Other reasons debate is good.

**Topic Specific**

* Want to learn more about International Relations? The policy debate team topic for the 2020-2021 school year will have you become an expert!
* Always feeling alone when you want to discuss the intricacies of US military defense pacts? Join the policy debate team and find fellow students here at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and all across the country who feel the same way.
* Want to have fun while learning about American foreign policy? Join the policy debate team.
* Think the US should leave NATO? Join the policy debate team to learn the pros and cons of leaving military alliances!

**Specific to your team**

* Your teams’ successes would also be a great thing to add- people love joining winning teams! -You could also add scholarship information if you have any/would want it to be broadcast across campus.
* Public engagement/debates
* Expenses
* Specific to your school (about your founders, etc.)
* Debate for credit
* How does the team fit within the broader goals of the university