

'Vaakshetra's Intra Selection Orientation Program & Demo Debate (APD)

-:: ATTENDEES ::-

B.A.LL.B (2023-2028) | B.Com LL.B (2023-2028) | LL.B. (2023-2026)



07th October, 2023, Saturday



IST 01:30 PM TO 03:00 PM

- » **Round 1:** 09th October, 2023, Monday, Lecture Hall 2, Campus 2, 01:30 PM - 03:00 PM
- » **Round 2:** 10th October, 2023, Tuesday, Lecture Hall, 5th Floor, Campus 2, 03:05 PM - 4:30 PM
- » **Round 3:** Personal Interview 11th October, 2023, Wednesday, Lecture Hall, 5th Floor, Campus 2, 03:05 PM - 4:30 PM

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14th October, 2023, Saturday



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Dear Students / Parents,

Warm and pleasant greetings from Lloyd academic community!

This mail brings along information on how to be a part of one of Lloyd's Debating Society, Vaakshetra. This mail is especially to the students of **B.A.LL.B and B.Com LL.B (2023-2028)** batches) and to **LL.B. (2022-2025)** batch) and to the other students of Lloyd who wished to join the society earlier but could not.



There is an adage that “Law is a jealous mistress” and there is no room in it for the lazy and mediocre. *So, if you are ready to put in your time and effort and is confident of yourself and your language then this is an opportunity for you.*

Lloyd Law College and Lloyd School of Law together is a learning-centric academic community committed to excellent legal education. Here, we create intellectually stimulating environment that helps students develop through case studies and case analysis; hone their writing, argumentation, and counseling skills; and think broadly and critically about legal problem-solution. We work to keep these programs at the vanguard of legal education. We take efforts to provide individualized support approach to each student, in academic and specific needs and concerns.

You may be right and I may be wrong but with an effort, together we may get nearer the truth.” - Karl Popper

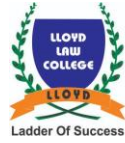
Debate is a formal contest of argumentation between two teams or individuals. But more importantly, debate is an essential tool for developing and maintaining democracy and open societies. More than a mere verbal or performance skill, debate embodies the ideals of reasoned argument, tolerance for divergent points of view, and rigorous self-examination. Debate is, above all, a way for those who hold opposing views to discuss controversial issues without descending to insult, emotional appeals, or personal bias. A key trademark of debate is that it rarely ends in agreement, but rather, allows for a robust analysis of the question at hand. Perhaps this is what French philosopher Joseph Joubert meant when he said: “It is better to debate a question without settling it, than to settle a question without debating it.”

DEBATE AND DEMOCRACY

“Men are never so likely to settle a question rightly as when they discuss it freely.” -

Thomas Babington (Lord Macaulay)

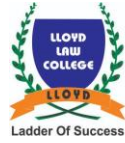
From the very beginnings, debate has been inextricably intertwined with the concept of the open society. In ancient Athens, citizens gathered in forums to discuss and debate the most pressing issues of the day before casting their votes. Such debates were an integral part of the new form of government Athens was to bequeath to the world: democracy.



Unlike totalitarian and other undemocratic regimes where a limited set of ideas are imposed as absolute truths, democratic societies depend upon the free and open exchange of ideas. Indeed, it may be said that true democracy cannot exist without debate. For democracy to function, the values that debate encourages - reason, tolerance, the careful weighing of evidence - must be cherished and nurtured. But even within societies that restrict open discussion, debate can teach young people that no one person or government possesses the ultimate truth.

HOW TO JOIN VAAKSHETRA :: SELECTION PROCEDURE: -

S. No.	Date & Day	Time	Activity	Venue
1.	7 th October, 2023 Saturday	1:30 PM – 3:00 PM	Orientation and Demo Debate (APD)	Auditorium, Lloyd School of Law (Campus 2)
2.	9 th October, 2023 Monday	1:30 PM – 3:00 PM	Round 1 – Elocution Topic :: Justice in the age of Media Trials	Lecture Hall 2, Campus 2
3.	10 th October, 2023 Tuesday	3:05 PM – 4:30 PM	Round 2 – Extempore	Lecture Hall, 5 th Floor, Campus 2
4.	11 th October, 2023 Wednesday	3:05 PM – 4:30 PM	Round 3 – Personal Interview	Lecture Hall, 5 th Floor, Campus 2
5.	14 th October, 2023 Saturday	9:00 PM	---	---
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To participate kindly register latest by 7th October, 2023, 11:59 PM				



Rules:

Language: The medium for all the rounds shall be either Hindi or English only.

Dress: Formal

Round 1: Elocution

1. Maximum Time is 3 minutes. Candidate will be disqualified on exceeding the time limit.
2. Reading out the entire speech from the paper/phone is not allowed. However, one can keep a short note for reference.
3. Participants will be judged under the mentioned categories – Content, Language, Body Language, and Delivery.

Round 2: Extempore

1. Maximum time limit to prepare 3 minutes and the maximum time for speech is 2 minutes.
2. The participant will be allowed to select the topic once only.
3. Participants will not be allowed to take any paper or material with them during the speech.
4. Use of mobile phones throughout the round is strictly prohibited.
4. Participants will be judged in the mentioned categories – Content, Language, Body Language, and Delivery.

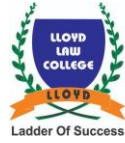
Round 3: Personal Interview

Participants will be judged based on their language, body language and commitment towards the society.

For any further queries write to:

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or contact Dr. Tasneem Q. Khan, Room No. 408, Campus 2



Happy Debating!

Hope to see you all in the Regular Classes, Induction Program, Practical Academics, Skilling opportunities and professional guidance of global standards and excellence at Lloyd.

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