

# Communication/Debate

Class Overview

LHA

## Course Warnings

*This class is designed for high schoolers. If younger students want to attend, that is perfectly fine; just know we might discuss sensitive topics at times.*

*Some situations may be uncomfortable for some students; these situations are designed to help students learn and grow (presenting, critique presentations with peers, certain discussion topics, etc.)*

*Remember, you may choose to skip any lesson you choose. Feel free to message Travis McBride with any questions or concerns.*

## Course Overview

Divided into Six Units:

- 1. General Communication**
  - Importance of communication and general skills
- 2. Nonverbal Communication**
  - Nonverbal communication skills
  - Conscious and subconscious
- 3. Verbal Communication**
  - Verbal communication skills
  - How you talk communicates more than just words

## Course Overview

Units Continued:

- 4. Presentations**
  - Practice presenting (mostly informative topics)
- 5. Argumentative & Persuasive Presentations**
  - Delivering facts on a chosen statement
  - Persuading audience on a chosen statement/topic
- 6. Debate**
  - Formulate debates to practice skills learned this year

## Materials

### Assignments/Worksheets

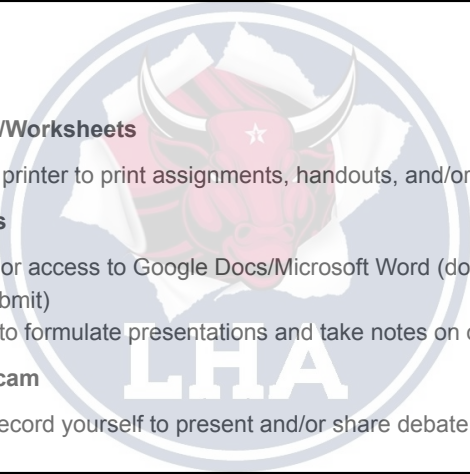
- Access to printer to print assignments, handouts, and/or worksheets

### Presentations

- Notebook or access to Google Docs/Microsoft Word (download as PDF to submit)
  - Need to formulate presentations and take notes on others

### Camera/Webcam

- Ability to record yourself to present and/or share debate



## Question & Answer LIVES

Scheduled time at 9:00 am Central Time EVERY Friday

Feel free to message me on the website or email me at:

[travis@lonestarthomeschool.com](mailto:travis@lonestarthomeschool.com)

CHARGE  
AHEAD