

# STUDENT FORUM BINGO

## Objectives

- To raise awareness about the purpose of the Student Forum at the State SRC Conference and increase student participation in the forum.
- To review and reinforce knowledge of meeting procedure. Organisers should first use *The Language of Debate (2005)*, *The Rules of Debate (2005)* to teach students how a student forum can operate.

## Procedure

*Student Forum Bingo* is played in the same manner as traditional Bingo. To play, the caller reads the questions and the players cross out or cover the correct answers on the game cards. As the caller reads the questions, those playing the game fill in the squares.

1. Yes or no? A student forum is designed to be an opportunity for all participants to have their say on relevant issues. **Yes**
2. This person speaks first during the debate, has strong ideas about an idea and wants everyone to support the idea **Mover**
3. The person in charge of the forum is... **Chairperson**
4. What term does the chairperson use when giving someone permission to speak? **Being recognised**
5. This person supports the mover of the motion or recommendation **Secunder**
6. What is the special word for a change in the wording of a recommendation?

## Amendment

7. What is another word for a recommendation? **Motion**
8. Can an amendment be amended? **No**
9. What is another word for 'yes' often used in meetings? **Aye**
10. True or false? An amendment doesn't need a seconder. **False**
11. True or false? Only one amendment can be discussed at one time. **True**
12. When the strict rules of debate are relaxed, the forum is said to be ... **in committee**
13. When the vote is very close the chairperson can ask for ... **A show of hands**
14. If a person feels the rules of debate are being broken, he/she may say ...

## Point of order!

15. What does a person say who neither agrees nor disagrees during voting? **I abstain**

# Student Forum Bingo Sheet

<b>Chairperson</b>	<b>Secunder</b>	<b>Amendment</b>	<b>Being recognised</b>	<b>A show of hands</b>
<b>Point of order</b>	<b>Mover</b>	<b>True</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>I abstain</b>
<b>Aye</b>	<b>In committee</b>	<b>False</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Motion</b>