

2024 Archdale Debating Competition Draw

Archdale Competition Dates

Preliminary Rounds

Round 1	Tuesday, 21 May 2024
Round 2	Tuesday, 28 May 2024
Round 3	Tuesday, 04 June 2024
Round 4	Tuesday, 11 June 2024
Round 5	Tuesday, 18 June 2024
Round 6	Tuesday, 30 July 2024
Round 7	Tuesday, 6 August 2024
Rescheduled Debates	Tuesday, 13 August 2024
Tie-Breakers	Tuesday, 20 August 2024

Finals

Quarter Finals	Tuesday, 27 August 2024
Semi Finals	Tuesday, 3 September 2024
Grand Final	Tuesday, 10 September 2024

2024 Draw Formulation

There are 24 schools returning from 2024 and they were ranked according to their Archdale Shield results.

Pool A	Pool B	Pool C
Abbotsleigh	Ravenswood	Queenwood
MLC	SCEGGS	Meriden
PLC Sydney	Wenona	Kambala
Ascham	Tara	St Catherine's School
Santa Sabina	Kincoppal Rose Bay	Pymble Ladies' College
Monte Sant'Angelo	Loreto Kirribilli	St Vincent's College
Roseville College	Loreto Normanhurst	Mount St Benedicts
Tangara	Danebank	Brigidine College

Each school will debate against the other schools in their group.

All schools have 7 debates; three away debates and four home debates or four away debates and three home debates

The school listed first on the following draw will host that round and will take the affirmative side in all debates in that round.

	Group A		Group B		Group C	
Rd 1 21-May	Roseville College	v Santa Sabina	Loreto Normanhurst	v Kincoppal Rose Bay	Mount St Benedicts	v Pymble Ladies' College
	PLC Sydney	v Abbotsleigh	Wenona	v Ravenswood	Queenwood	v Kambala
	Ascham	v MLC	Tara	v SCEGGS	Meriden	v St Catherine's
	Monte Sant'Angelo	v Tangara	Loreto Kirribilli	v Danebank	St Vincent's College	v Brigidine College
Rd 2 28-May	Roseville College	v Monte Sant'Angelo	Loreto Normanhurst	v Loreto Kirribilli	Mount St Benedicts	v St Vincent's College
	Santa Sabina	v PLC Sydney	Kincoppal Rose Bay	v Wenona	Pymble Ladies' College	v Kambala
	Abbotsleigh	v Ascham	Ravenswood	v Tara	St Catherine's School	v Queenwood
	MLC	v Tangara	SCEGGS	v Danebank	Meriden	v Brigidine College
Rd 3 4-Jun	Santa Sabina	v Abbotsleigh	Kincoppal Rose Bay	v Ravenswood	Queenwood	v Pymble Ladies' College
	Ascham	v PLC Sydney	Tara	v Wenona	Kambala	v St Catherine's School
	Monte Sant'Angelo	v MLC	Loreto Kirribilli	v SCEGGS	St Vincent's College	v Meriden
	Tangara	v Roseville College	Danebank	v Loreto Normanhurst	Brigidine College	v Mount St Benedicts
Rd 4 11-Jun	PLC Sydney	v Tangara	Wenona	v Danebank	Kambala	v Brigidine College
	Abbotsleigh	v Monte Sant'Angelo	Ravenswood	v Loreto Kirribilli	St Vincent's College	v Queenwood
	MLC	v Santa Sabina	SCEGGS	v Kincoppal Rose Bay	Meriden	v Pymble Ladies' College
	Ascham	v Roseville College	Tara	v Loreto Normanhurst	Mount St Benedicts	v St Catherine's
Rd 5 18-Jun	Roseville College	v PLC Sydney	Loreto Normanhurst	v Wenona	Mount St Benedicts	v Kambala
	MLC	v Abbotsleigh	SCEGGS	v Ravenswood	Queenwood	v Meriden
	Monte Sant'Angelo	v Santa Sabina	Loreto Kirribilli	v Kincoppal Rose Bay	Pymble Ladies' College	v St Vincent's College
	Tangara	v Ascham	Danebank	v Tara	Brigidine College	v St Catherine's School
Rd 6 30-Jul	Santa Sabina	v Tangara	Kincoppal Rose Bay	v Danebank	Pymble Ladies' College	v Brigidine College
	PLC Sydney	v MLC	Wenona	v SCEGGS	Kambala	v Meriden
	Abbotsleigh	v Roseville College	Ravenswood	v Loreto Normanhurst	Queenwood	v Mount St Benedicts
	Ascham	v Monte Sant'Angelo	Tara	v Loreto Kirribilli	St Catherine's School	v St Vincent's College
Rd 7 6-Aug	Santa Sabina	v Ascham	Kincoppal Rose Bay	v Tara	Pymble Ladies' College	v St Catherine's School
	MLC	v Roseville College	SCEGGS	v Loreto Normanhurst	Meriden	v Mount St Benedicts
	Monte Sant'Angelo	v PLC Sydney	Loreto Kirribilli	v Wenona	St Vincent's College	v Kambala
	Tangara	v Abbotsleigh	Danebank	v Ravenswood	Brigidine College	v Queenwood

2024 representative debating competition dates to be confirmed, draft dates are Wednesday 6th September, Monday 11th September and Wednesday 13th September 2023

2024 Virtual Archdale Invitational Draw

Junior	Intermediate	Senior
1. PLC Armidale	1. PLC Armidale	1. PLC Armidale
2. Canberra	2. Canberra	2. Canberra 1
3. PLC Sydney	3. Frensham	3. Canberra 2
4. MLC 1	4. PLC Sydney	4. Frensham
5. MLC 2	5. MLC	5. NEGS
6. Pymble	6. Pymble	6. PLC Sydney
7. Monte	7. Abbotsleigh	7. Pymble
8. Abbotsleigh	8.	8. MLC

Once the final slots for each division of the invitational are finalised, the below draw will be populated.

2024 Draw Formulation

Schools nominated teams for the Invitational competition with priority given to regional schools.

Group	Junior	Intermediate	Senior
1	PLC Armidale	PLC Armidale	PLC Armidale
2	Canberra GG 1	Canberra GG 1	Canberra GG 1
3	MLC 1	Frensham	Canberra GG 2
4	MLC 2	Pymble Ladies' College	Frensham
5	Monte Sant' Angelo	MLC School	NEGS
6	PLC Sydney	PLC Sydney	Pymble Ladies' College
7	Pymble Ladies' College	Abbotsleigh	PLC Sydney
8	Abbotsleigh	Monte	MLC School

Each school will debate against the other schools in their pool.

All schools have 7 debates; three away debates and four home debates or four away debates and three home debates

All debates will be conducted as a virtual debate, including quarter and semi-finals. However, the grand final will be conducted face to face on the same date and at the same location as the grand final debates for the Archdale Shield.

Depending on the number of schools involved, the grand final will be held at the same time as the Archdale Shield, face to face at the same location as the Archdale Shield finals.

Grand Final Tuesday, 10 September 2024

Please note regional schools involved in the Grand Finals would be expected to travel to Sydney to participate in the grand final debates face to face.

The school listed first on the following draw will take the affirmative side in all debates in that round.

	Junior		Intermediate		Senior	
Round 1 21-May	Pymble Ladies' College	v Monte Sant' Angelo	Abbotsleigh	v MLC School	PLC Sydney	v NEGS
	MLC 1	v PLC Armidale	Frensham	v PLC Armidale	PLC Armidale	v Canberra GG 2
	MLC 2	v Canberra GG 1	Pymble Ladies' College	v Canberra GG 1	Frensham	v Canberra GG 1
	PLC Sydney	v Abbotsleigh	PLC Sydney	v Monte	Pymble Ladies' College	v MLC School
Round 2 28-May	Pymble Ladies' College	v PLC Sydney	Abbotsleigh	v PLC Sydney	PLC Sydney	v Pymble Ladies' College
	Monte Sant' Angelo	v MLC 1	MLC School	v Frensham	NEGS	v Canberra GG 2
	PLC Armidale	v MLC 2	PLC Armidale	v Pymble Ladies' College	Frensham	v PLC Armidale
	Canberra GG 1	v Abbotsleigh	Canberra GG 1	v Monte	Canberra GG 1	v MLC School
Round 3 4-Jun	Monte Sant' Angelo	v PLC Armidale	MLC School	v PLC Armidale	PLC Armidale	v NEGS
	MLC 2	v MLC 1	Pymble Ladies' College	v Frensham	Canberra GG 2	v Frensham
	PLC Sydney	v Canberra GG 1	PLC Sydney	v Canberra GG 1	Pymble Ladies' College	v Canberra GG 1
	Abbotsleigh	v Pymble Ladies' College	Monte	v Abbotsleigh	MLC School	v PLC Sydney
Round 4 11-Jun	MLC 1	v Abbotsleigh	Frensham	v Monte	Canberra GG 2	v MLC School
	PLC Armidale	v PLC Sydney	PLC Armidale	v PLC Sydney	Pymble Ladies' College	v PLC Armidale
	Canberra GG 1	v Monte Sant' Angelo	Canberra GG 1	v MLC School	Canberra GG 1	v NEGS
	MLC 2	v Pymble Ladies' College	Pymble Ladies' College	v Abbotsleigh	Frensham	v PLC Sydney
Round 5 18-Jun	Pymble Ladies' College	v MLC 1	Abbotsleigh	v Frensham	PLC Sydney	v Canberra GG 2
	Canberra GG 1	v PLC Armidale	Canberra GG 1	v PLC Armidale	PLC Armidale	v Canberra GG 1
	PLC Sydney	v Monte Sant' Angelo	PLC Sydney	v MLC School	NEGS	v Pymble Ladies' College
	Abbotsleigh	v MLC 2	Monte	v Pymble Ladies' College	MLC School	v Frensham
Round 6 30-Jul	Monte Sant' Angelo	v Abbotsleigh	MLC School	v Monte	NEGS	v MLC School
	MLC 1	v Canberra GG 1	Frensham	v Canberra GG 1	Canberra GG 2	v Canberra GG 1
	PLC Armidale	v Pymble Ladies' College	PLC Armidale	v Abbotsleigh	PLC Armidale	v PLC Sydney
	MLC 2	v PLC Sydney	Pymble Ladies' College	v PLC Sydney	Frensham	v Pymble Ladies' College
Round 7 6-Aug	Monte Sant' Angelo	v MLC 2	MLC School	v Pymble Ladies' College	NEGS	v Frensham
	Canberra GG 1	v Pymble Ladies' College	Canberra GG 1	v Abbotsleigh	Canberra GG 1	v PLC Sydney
	PLC Sydney	v MLC 1	PLC Sydney	v Frensham	Pymble Ladies' College	v Canberra GG 2
	Abbotsleigh	v PLC Armidale	Monte	v PLC Armidale	MLC School	v PLC Armidale