

## 2026 Archdale Debating Competition Draw

### Archdale Competition Dates

#### Preliminary Rounds

Round 1	Tuesday, 5 May 2026
Round 2	Tuesday, 12 May 2026
Round 3	Tuesday, 19 May 2026
Round 4	Tuesday, 26 May 2026
Round 5	Tuesday, 2 June 2026
Round 6	Tuesday, 9 June 2026
Round 7	Tuesday, 16 June 2026
Rescheduled Debates	Tuesday, 28 July 2026
Tie-Breakers	Tuesday, 4 August 2026

#### Finals

Quarter Finals	Tuesday, 11 August 2026
Semi Finals	Tuesday, 18 August 2026
Grand Final	Tuesday, 25 August 2026

### 2026 Draw Formulation

There are 24 schools returning from 2025 and they were ranked according to their Archdale Shield results.

Group	A	B	C
1	MLC	Meriden	SCEGGS
2	Abbotsleigh	PLC Sydney	Pymble Ladies' College
3	Santa Sabina	Tara	Ravenswood
4	Kincoppal Rose Bay	Roseville College	Mount St Benedicts
5	St Catherine's School	Loreto Kirribilli	Loreto Normanhurst
6	Kambala	Monte Sant'Angelo	Wenona
7	Ascham	Brigidine College	Queenwood
8	St Vincent's College	Tangara (withdrawn) BYE	Danebank

**Top 6 and bottom 6 as per ranks, middle 12 regionalised.**

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

### 2026 Virtual Archdale Invitational Pools and Draw **TBA**

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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	
<b>Round 1</b> <b>5 May 26</b>	Ascham v Santa Sabina Kincoppal Rose Bay Kambala	v St Catherine's School MLC Abbotsleigh St Vincent's College	Brigidine College Meriden Roseville College <b>BYE</b>	v Loreto Kirribilli Tara PLC Sydney Monte Sant'Angelo	Queenwood Ravenswood Mount St Benedicts Wenona	v Loreto Normanhurst SCEGGS Pymble Ladies' College Danebank
<b>Round 2</b> <b>12 May 26</b>	Ascham St Catherine's School MLC St Vincent's College	v Kambala Santa Sabina Kincoppal Rose Bay Abbotsleigh	Brigidine College Loreto Kirribilli Roseville College PLC Sydney	v Monte Sant'Angelo Tara Meriden <b>BYE</b>	Queenwood Loreto Normanhurst SCEGGS Pymble Ladies' College	v Wenona Ravenswood Mount St Benedicts Danebank
<b>Round 3</b> <b>19 May 26</b>	St Catherine's School Kincoppal Rose Bay Kambala St Vincent's College	v MLC Santa Sabina Abbotsleigh Ascham	Meriden Tara PLC Sydney <b>BYE</b>	v Loreto Kirribilli Roseville College Monte Sant'Angelo Brigidine College	Loreto Normanhurst Mount St Benedicts Wenona Danebank	v SCEGGS Ravenswood Pymble Ladies' College Queenwood
<b>Round 4</b> <b>26 May 26</b>	Santa Sabina MLC Abbotsleigh Kincoppal Rose Bay	v St Vincent's College Kambala St Catherine's School Ascham	Tara Monte Sant'Angelo Loreto Kirribilli Roseville College	v <b>BYE</b> Meriden PLC Sydney Brigidine College	Ravenswood SCEGGS Pymble Ladies' College Mount St Benedicts	v Danebank Wenona Loreto Normanhurst Queenwood
<b>Round 5</b> <b>2 Jun 26</b>	Ascham Abbotsleigh Kambala St Vincent's College	v Santa Sabina MLC St Catherine's School Kincoppal Rose Bay	Brigidine College Meriden Monte Sant'Angelo <b>BYE</b>	v Tara PLC Sydney Loreto Kirribilli Roseville College	Queenwood Pymble Ladies' College Wenona Danebank	v Ravenswood SCEGGS Loreto Normanhurst Mount St Benedicts
<b>Round 6</b> <b>9 Jun 26</b>	St Catherine's School Santa Sabina MLC Kincoppal Rose Bay	v St Vincent's College Abbotsleigh Ascham Kambala	Loreto Kirribilli Tara Meriden Roseville College	v <b>BYE</b> PLC Sydney Brigidine College Monte Sant'Angelo	Loreto Normanhurst Ravenswood SCEGGS Mount St Benedicts	v Danebank Pymble Ladies' College Queenwood Wenona
<b>Round 7</b> <b>16 Jun 26</b>	St Catherine's School Abbotsleigh Kambala St Vincent's College	v Kincoppal Rose Bay Ascham Santa Sabina MLC	Loreto Kirribilli PLC Sydney Monte Sant'Angelo <b>BYE</b>	v Roseville College Brigidine College Tara Meriden	Loreto Normanhurst Pymble Ladies' College Wenona Danebank	v Mount St Benedicts Queenwood Ravenswood SCEGGS

2026 representative debating competition dates to be confirmed.