

# ROUND 1 - SPORT & EDUCATION

# THAT ALL CHILDREN SHOULD LEARN A MUSICAL INSTRUMENT

## Goal

**Affirmative** To convince the adjudicator that all children in Australia (or the world) would **BENEFIT** from learning a musical instrument or musical skill of some type. Remember, the children could learn this **IN** school and **OUT** of school. Give the adjudicator reasons **WHY** learning an instrument would be more beneficial than not learning one.

**Negative** Convince the adjudicator that there is simply no realistic and reasonable way of teaching all children a musical instrument. Concentrate on the fact that not **ALL** children would be suited to this, and that teaching musicality is just not right for every child. Give the adjudicator reasons **WHY** teaching a musical instrument to all children is simply **NOT** practical and that other alternatives would suit better.

**Keywords** All children, should, learn, musical instrument

## Suggested Issues

**Affirmative** Benefits, educational advantages, life skills

**Negative** Impractical, cost, time better used elsewhere, alternatives to learning instruments

## Comments