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Debate Club Lesson 3

The Plan

- What do you know about Northern Canada in January?
 - Breakout rooms
- Survivor
 - Breakout rooms
- Kahoot



Survivor

You and your group have just survived the crash of a small plane. Both the pilot and co-pilot were killed in the crash. It is January, and you are in Northern Canada. The daily temperature is 25 below zero, and the nighttime temperature is 40 below zero. There is snow on the ground, and you are in a forest with a few creeks going through. The nearest town is 20 miles away. You are all dressed in city clothes appropriate for school. Your group of survivors was able to save the following items:

- Ball of steel wool
- A small ax
- A loaded .45-caliber pistol (gun)
- 1 quart of Whiskey
- Newspapers (one per person)
- Cigarette lighter
- Extra shirt and pants for each survivor
- 20 x 20 ft. piece of heavy-duty canvas
- Family-size chocolate bars (one per person)
- A compass
- Plastic air map
- Can of Crisco Shortening



Your Task:

As a group, your job is to rate the above 12 items in order of importance for your survival. You MUST come to an agreement as a group. Can your group survive?



*start by rating your top 5 most important items

Persuasion

Student 1: I think the ax should be at the top of the list because...

Student 2: I don't agree with that. I would prefer that the compass be at the top because...

Student 3: That's true, but the map is more important than the ax and the compass because....



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Do not leave the area! Try to keep warm and signal for help.

Order of items:

- 1. Cigarette Lighter – starts a fire**
- 2. Steel Wool – makes spark to start a fire**
- 3. Extra shirt and pants – keeps you warm**
- 4. Can is Crisco – for fire or used as a signal**
- 5. Canvas - shelter**
6. Ax – wood for fire or shelter
7. Chocolate Bars – food for energy
8. Newspapers – keeps you warm or bed
9. .45 caliber pistol (can be dangerous) – used as a signal
10. Whiskey (can be dangerous) – fuel for fire
11. Compass – do not leave area!
12. Air Map – do not leave area!

Kahoot!



Wrap-up of Debate Club

What is something you
learned or liked about
Debate Club?

or

What is something you had
hoped we would do but did
not?