

## **SPEAKING - DEBATE:**

### **Is it worth spending so much money to clean up our oceans ?**

#### **Organisation:**

The chairperson will introduce the debate by explaining what garbage patches are and the problems they raise. One team will focus on why it is a waste of time and money (and can propose other solutions instead) to try and clean up these patches.

One team will defend projects such as the Ocean Cleanup initiative and explain why we have to support them.

#### **Prepare for the debate**

Use the documents in the handout to find precise, accurate information, in order to be able to use facts and figures to defend your point of view.

Use the following grid to note down arguments you find interesting

<b>For</b>	<b>against</b>