At the **Discussion and Debate learning station**, students work on their academic discussion and debate skills. Using various resources students will demonstrate their ability to prepare for discussions and debates, follow and create rules for academic discussions, pose questions in order to advance into deeper and more meaningful social science discussions and debates, as well as collaborate with peers to make thematic connections to larger ideas.

4 Above Grade Level	<b>3 At Grade Level</b>	2 Near Grade Level	l Below Grade Level
SPEAKING AND LISTENING:	SPEAKING AND LISTENING:	SPEAKING AND LISTENING:	Level 2 is not ATTEMPTED OR
	<b>SL 1.0a:</b> Come to discussions prepared,	SL 1.0a: Come to discussions	ACHIEVED.
PLUS:stimulate	having read or researched material under	prepared, having read or	
a thoughtful, well-	study; <b>EXPLICITLY</b> draw on that preparation	researched material under study;	
reasoned	by referring to evidence on the topic, text, or	READ FROM their notes and refer	
exchange of ideas.	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	to evidence on the topic, text, or	
	discussion.	issue.	
PLUS:Work			
with peers to set	<b>SL 1.ob:</b> Follow rules for collegial discussions	<b>SL 1.ob:</b> Follow rules for collegial	
rules for collegial	and decision-making, track progress toward	discussions and decision-making.	
discussions and	specific goals <u>AND</u> deadlines, <u>AND</u> define		
decision-making	individual roles as needed.	<b>SL 1.oc:</b> Pose questions that	
		connect the ideas of ANOTHER	
PLUS:connect	<b>SL 1.oc:</b> Pose questions that connect the	speaker <u>OR</u> respond to OTHERS'	
to broader themes		questions <u>OR</u> comments with	
or larger ideas	OTHERS' questions <u>AND</u> comments with	relevant evidence, observations,	
	relevant evidence, observations, <u>AND</u> ideas.	<u>OR</u> ideas.	