**The Battle of the Pets: Debate**

**Useful debate expressions**

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| Stating an opinion | *In my opinion…*  *The way I see it …*  *If you ask me …*  *As far as I’m concerned …* |
| Asking for an opinion | *What do you think? What’s your idea?*  *How do you feel about this?* |
| Agreeing | *You’re absolutely right.*  *I couldn’t agree more.*  *That’s for sure.*  *That’s exactly how I feel.*  *No doubt about it.*  *Absolutely.*  *Tell me about it.* |
| Disagreeing | *Not necessarily.*  *I don’t think so.*  *I’m not sure about that.*  *I’m afraid I disagree.*  *I’d say the exact opposite.*  *No way!* |
| Interrupting | *Can I add something here?*  *If I might add something.*  *Sorry to interrupt, but …*  *Sorry, go ahead.* |
| Settling an argument | *Let’s just move on.*  *I think we’re going to have to agree to disagree.* |