

## Battle of the Books Point instruction – Regular

- 1) Questioner – Ask **Team A Question 1** to Team A.  
Correct? Y – Put 5 points in 5 pts **Correct Original** column for team A. Go to Step 2.  
Correct? N – Put 0 points in 5 pts **Correct Original** column for team A.  
Ask same question to team B (with reduced time requirement).  
Correct? Y – Put 3 points in 3 pts **Correct Steal** column for team B. Go to Step 2.  
Correct? N – Put 0 points in 3 pts **Correct Steal** column for team B. Go to Step 2.
- 2) Questioner – **Ask Team B Question 1** to Team B.  
Correct? Y – Put 5 points in 5 pts **Correct Original** column for team B. Go to Step 3.  
Correct? N – Put 0 points in 5 pts **Correct Original** column for team B.  
Ask same question to team A (with reduced time requirement).  
Correct? Y – Put 3 points in 3 pts **Correct Steal** column for team A. Go to Step 3.  
Correct? N – Put 0 points in 3 pts **Correct Steal** column for team A. Go to Step 3.
- 3) Repeat steps 1 and 2 using the each teams' question until all 7 questions have been asked to both teams.
- 4) Total all **Correct Original** column points.
- 5) Total all **Correct Steal** column points.
- 6) Add the 2 columns and put in **Total Points earned Both columns**.
- 7) Calculate penalty points (2 points per infraction).
- 8) Subtract penalty points from **Total Points earned in Both columns** and enter in **Total Score Part I**.
- 9) Is the score tied?
  - a. Yes – Proceed to Tie Breaker
  - b. No – Congratulate team with the most points. Finish the score sheet. Return the packet to the results table. (If you are judging another round, keep pencils and index cards)