

HMDC Presents...

Steps for Model UN Research

1. We must find out which side of the topic our country supports.
2. We must gather facts to support our country's position on the topic.
3. We must create a speech that will explain our country's position to the Committee and encourages their cooperation.



Our Model UN Assignment

- We must write a speech.
- We only have 30 to 60 seconds to give the speech.
- We must research the assigned country to write a quality speech.

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Step 1: Find our country's stance.

First, we need to know our country's stance. Does the government agree or disagree?



Research Notes

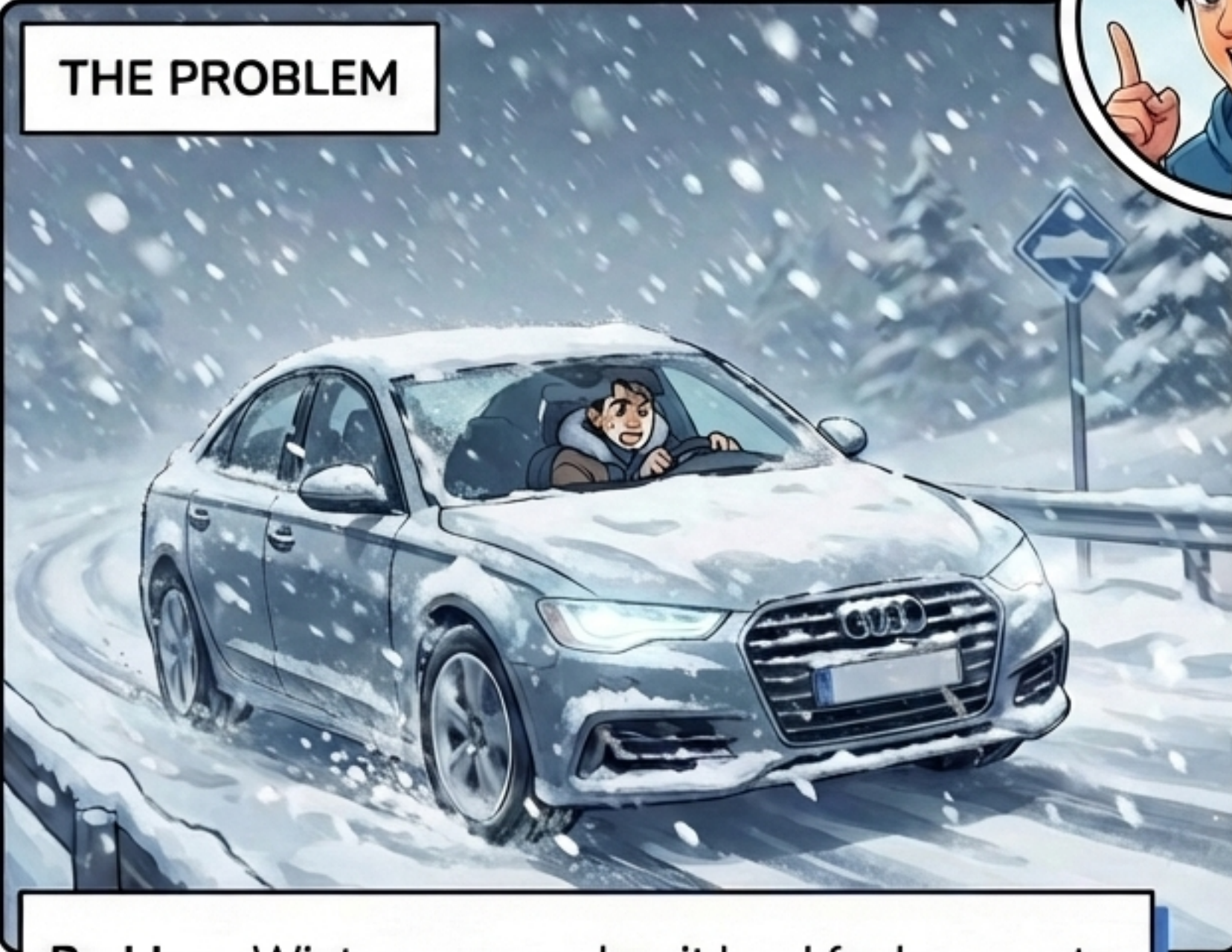
- We look at government rules to find the answer.
- Our research shows that the government of Canada supports self-driving cars.
- Canada wants to use this new technology.



Step 2: Gather specific evidence.

Then, we need to gather specific evidence. Your evidence must prove a real problem or a real benefit.

THE PROBLEM



Problem: Winter snow makes it hard for humans to see and drive safely.

THE BENEFIT



Benefit: Researchers in Canada test self-driving cars in the snow. Computers and cameras help the car see and drive safely during winter weather.

Step 3: Creating and organizing our speech.



We only have 30 to 60 seconds. We do not have time for many facts.



INTRODUCTION

FACT ABOUT THE PROBLEM

EXPLANATION & CONCLUSION



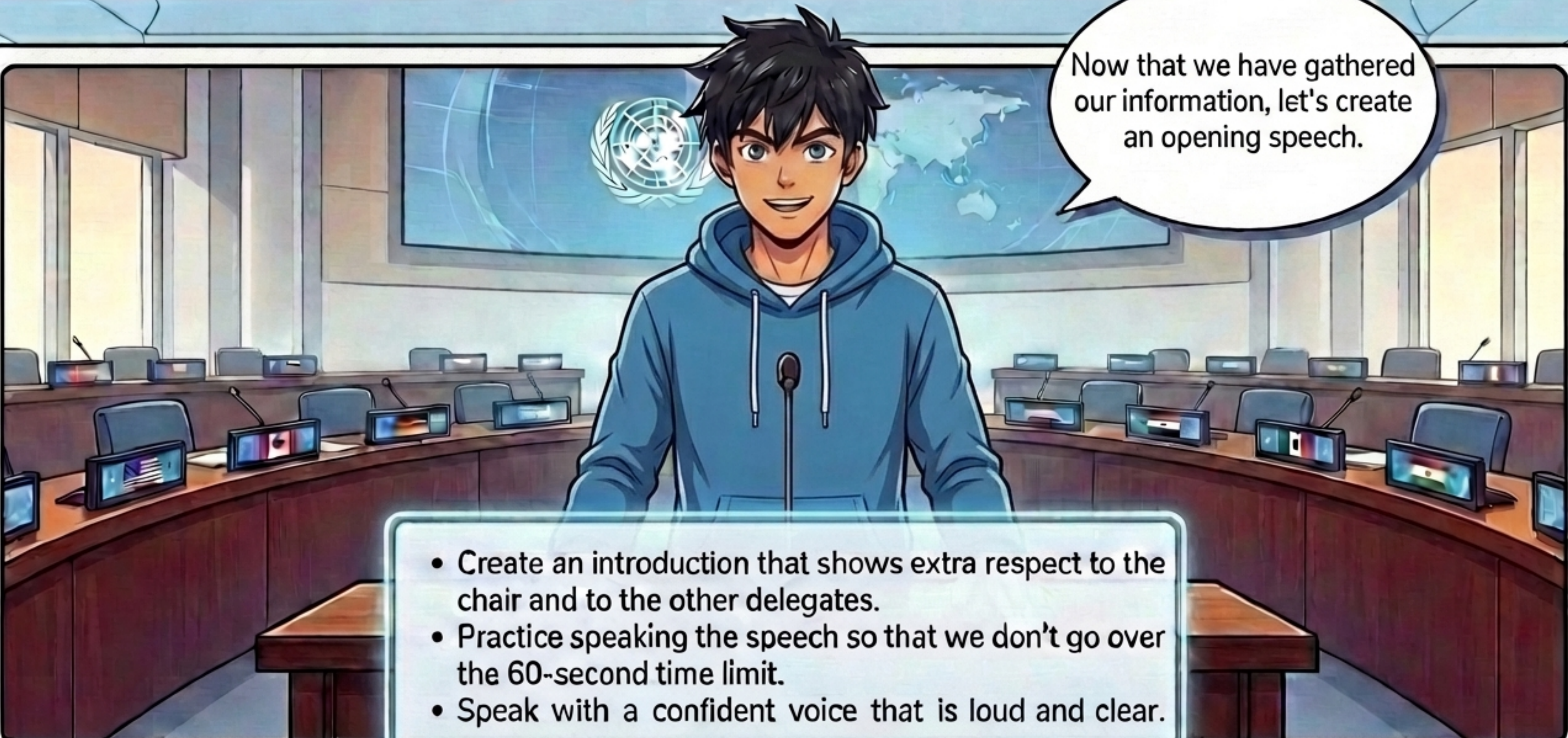
Fact Card



WINTER SNOW PROBLEM
RADAR BENEFIT

- We should focus on just one powerful fact.
- Tell the committee our fact about the problem.
- Then, explain how self-driving cars will overcome that problem or create a benefit.

Preparation and Practice Prevent Poor Performance!



Now that we have gathered our information, let's create an opening speech.

- Create an introduction that shows extra respect to the chair and to the other delegates.
- Practice speaking the speech so that we don't go over the 60-second time limit.
- Speak with a confident voice that is loud and clear.

Delivering the opening speech.

A respectful start is crucial! We will begin by thanking the chair, greeting delegates, and clearly stating our stance.



- Thank the committee chair for the opportunity to speak. "Thank you, honorable chair."
- Greet the fellow delegates. "My fellow delegates."
- Introduce ourselves and our country's position. "Canada supports the idea of..."

Ending our speech.

Fellow delegates,
let's work together
to create a safer
future.

- Conclude the speech by encouraging our fellow delegates to work together.
- Ask the fellow delegates to join Canada in support of creating self-driving cars for a safer future.
- We should end our speech by thanking the committee chair and our fellow delegates.

Summary of these practical steps.



- ✓ 1. Find our country's stance on the topic.
- ✓ 2. Gather specific evidence that proves a problem or a benefit.
- ✓ 3. Introduce ourselves to the committee.
- ✓ 4. Focus on one powerful fact and explain the solution.
- ✓ 5. Encourage everyone to work together and thank the chair.

An illustration of three cartoon characters waving. On the left is a young man with spiky black hair wearing a blue hoodie. In the center is a man with short black hair wearing a blue suit jacket over a white shirt. On the right is a woman with long black hair and glasses, wearing a blue suit jacket over a white blouse with a bow. They are all smiling and waving their right hands. The background consists of blue and white diagonal streaks radiating from the center.

Thank you for joining us for today's
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If you have any questions, please contact Coach Bill at
billeddy@gmail.com. Again, thank you for joining us.
We hope you've enjoyed this program.