## Debate questions on green and digital transitions

## **Green Transition Questions**

- 1. The EU aims to be climate-neutral by 2050. Do you think this goal is realistic, or is it too ambitious? Why?
- 2. Should the EU impose stricter environmental regulations on industries, even if it risks economic competitiveness?
- 3. How can the European Green Deal balance environmental sustainability with social justice, ensuring that no one is left behind?
- 4. What role do young people play in shaping EU climate policies? How can their voices be better represented?
- 5. The EU has banned certain single-use plastics. Should it go further and introduce an EU-wide carbon tax on all consumer goods?
- 6. How should the EU respond to member states that resist ambitious climate policies due to economic or political concerns?
- 7. Is nuclear energy a viable solution for Europe's green transition, or should the EU focus only on renewable energy sources?
- 8. How can the EU ensure that its green policies do not disproportionately harm lower-income citizens?





## Digital Transition Questions



- 9. The EU is investing heavily in digital infrastructure, including AI and 5G. What risks and benefits do you see in this rapid digitalization?
  - 10. Should the EU regulate AI and big tech more strictly to protect privacy, or would this stifle innovation?
  - 11. The EU has introduced the Digital Services Act and Digital Markets Act to regulate online platforms. Are these measures sufficient to prevent disinformation and monopolies?
- 12. With growing concerns about cybersecurity threats, should the EU create a centralized European cybersecurity agency with more power?
  - 13. How can digital education and skills training ensure that no European citizens are left behind in the digital transition?
- 14. Should the EU push for digital sovereignty by reducing reliance on US and Chinese technology companies? What are the pros and cons?
- 15. The EU has ambitious plans for digital governance, including AI ethics. Should ethical considerations take priority over technological competitiveness?

