

Forbidden Words and Diplomatic Terms

Instead of this...	Use this...
War	Armed Conflict
Kill	Committing Murder/Casualties
Rich country	Developed country
Poor country	Undeveloped country
Poor people	Lacking resources
Black	African American
White	Caucasian
Army	Armed forces
Money	Economic resources

Instead of this...	Use this...
I think...	My delegation considers...
I disagree with...	My delegation disagrees with...
All the countries...	The International Community...
You are...	Your delegation is...
You are wrong...	Your delegation is mistaken...

- Remember to always speak in the third person.
- Try speaking with an elevated and diplomatic vocabulary.
- Avoid being disrespectful to other delegates or members of the Chair.