

Stress to emphasize meaning

1. Match the sentences with their meaning.

STATEMENTS

1. We're having dinner at Mary's **PA**rents' house tonight.
2. We're having dinner at **MAR**y's parents' house tonight.
3. We're having **DIN**ner at Mary's parents' house **tonight**.
4. **WE'RE** having dinner at Mary's parents' house tonight.
5. We're having dinner at Mary's parents' house **toNIGHT**.

MEANINGS

The dinner is at Mary's parents' house, not someone else's parents' house.

The dinner is **tonight**, not tomorrow.

Both of us are going, not just me.

The dinner is at Mary's parents' house, not Mary's house.

We're having dinner, not lunch.

STATEMENTS

1. You should avoid **AR**guing about politics.
2. You should avoid arguing about **POL**itics.
3. **YOU** should avoid arguing about politics.
4. You should **aVOID** arguing about politics.
5. You **SHOULD** avoid arguing about politics.

MEANINGS

It's OK to discuss politics. Just don't argue about it.

It's OK for other people to do it, but not you.

You should take special care to not argue about politics.

Any other topic would be fine to argue about, just not politics.

My very strong advice to you is this: Don't argue about politics.