

Dear Students and Parents:

It is Science Fair time again and all students are encouraged to participate! You will find a planning booklet and helpful websites on the school webpage. The following information is also in the booklet. It is a good overview of what is expected. We hope your student has a great learning experience. The outline in the booklet will break down all stages, making the project process a smooth one.

The projects are due on November 19; public walk-through is November 21 in the afternoon.

Thank you,

Your child's teacher

Science Fair Information for Students and Parents

Due Date:	Requirement:	Who is responsible:
October 11, 2019	Question and Hypothesis proposal	Teacher approves so students can proceed with project
During the work on the project	Sections of Project: Materials and Procedures Data Table Results/Conclusions Report/Abstract Draft Map of Project Board	Students (with parent help)
November 19, 2019	Final Project (Paper and Board) delivered to school	Students and parents
November 20, 2019	Deliver to Display Room after sharing with class	Teachers and students
November 21, 2019	Judging	Science Fair Coordinator
November 21, 2019: AFTERNOON	Viewing by classes at school during the school day Viewing by parents after school	Teachers
November 22, 2019	Take home projects	Parents, students

PROJECT PROPOSAL: Your proposal MUST include the following: Student's name, Scientific Question and Student's Hypothesis.

Important Reminders

1. Projects must be on an elementary school level and be approved by the classroom teacher. **NO EXPERIMENTS INVOLVING MOLD (BACTERIA) OR ANIMALS ARE ALLOWED.**
2. Models are NOT Science Fair experiments: Examples-tornadoes in a bottle, volcanoes, building a robot
3. Students may work with partners. **Up to three students per project is allowed.**
4. Each step is due on the specific due date given above. It is **not** necessary to turn in the sections before the project is due – it is just for students'/parents to use as a pacing guide for the project. No one wants to have to pull this together over one weekend.

Good websites for science fair project tips:

www.sciencebuddies.com

www.sciencespot.net

http://www.sciencebuddies.org/science-fair-projects/teacher_resources.shtml

<http://www.ncsciencefair.org/index.php/students-a-parents/doing-a-science-fair-project>

Required forms:

<http://www.ncsciencefair.org/index.php/students-a-parents/forms>