

Science Fair Timeline

Rubric	Notes	<u>Due Date for an A</u>
Topic	You will not be “locked” into your topic until your Science Fair application and Procedure have been approved.	9/18/09
**Team Petition	Only required of those students who want to work as a team.	10/5/09
Mentor	Someone who possesses an understanding in a given field or is willing to work and learn with you in order to help you succeed	10/12/09
Bibliography	Note: This is also needed for your Science Fair Application	10/20/09
Background Report	Should pertain to the actual project	11/3/09
Plan	The SCR must approve your Science Fair Application and plan and I must approve your plan before you may start your actual experimentation. The plan must include a plan for displaying and analyzing their results	11/10/09
Science Fair Application	This is not a flexible date , I have no means of taking late applications. The SRC requires all applications for review by this date. NOTE: all signatures are required. Students who would like to begin their project earlier than this date must have a completed application turned in prior to the start of data collection.	11/23/09 Preferred Date is 11/16/09 in order to start your exp. early
Lab Log #1	The SCR must approve your Science Fair Application and I must approve your procedure before you start. Lab logs must reflect a total of at least 5 hours of work for an individual and 10-15 hours of work for a team (2-3 team members)	12/8/09
Lab Log #2	Lab logs must reflect a total of at least 5 hours of work for an individual and 10-15 hours of work for a team (2-3 team members) NOTE: This due date is the 4th day back from winter vacation! PLAN AHEAD! Especially if you are working in a group or if you play basketball. If you are unable to work on your science fair project over the break, you must think about working ahead and completing Lab Logs 1 & 2 prior to the end of the semester.	1/7/10
Lab Log #3	Lab logs must reflect a total of at least 5 hours of work for an individual and 10-15 hours of work for a team (2-3 team members)	1/21/10
Data/Graphing/Analysis	You may arrange with your mentor to do your own statistical analysis of data and creation of your graphs/tables.	1/29/10
Conclusion	The most important piece of the project – take your time, follow the rubric.	2/5/10
Abstract	This can be done over a weekend	2/8/10
Complete Notebook/Journal	Be sure to write your procedure and update your bibliography	2/15/10
Visual Display	You will want to start this well before the due date	2/22/10
The Science Fair	All projects must be on display at the fair by 4:30pm on Thursday, Feb. 25th and all students MUST be present at their projects from 1pm to 4pm on Friday, Feb 26th. Any student who is sick must have a written medical provider's excuse.	2/26/10