

Suggested Timeline for Science Fair

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_____	Week 1 9/28/2009	Choose a branch of science to investigate. Explore possible project ideas.
_____	Week 2 10/5/09	Submit your project idea for approval. Include the topic and the variable you will test. Write as a scientific question.
		Question due by October 9, 2009.
_____	Week 3 10/12/2009	Begin a journal for record keeping.
_____	Week 4 10/19/2009	Make a list of resources. Gather more information.
_____	Week 5 10/26/2009	Complete initial research. Write a hypothesis. Make a list of materials needed for the experiment.
		Hypothesis due by October 30, 2009.
_____	Week 6 11/2/2009	Decide on materials and procedures. Make a procedure list and include details.
		Pocedure due by November 6, 2009.
_____	Week 7 11/9/2009	Collect materials needed. Set up your experiment. Record all data in your notebook. SRC forms are due this week Nov 13
_____	Week 8 11/16/2009	Conduct your experiment. Record notes and observations in your notebook. Take any baseline photographs needed.
_____	Week 9 11/23/2009	Continue with your experiment.
_____	Week 10 11/30/2009	Continue with your experiment.
_____	Week 11 12/7/2009	Continue with your experiment. Verify information with other sources.
_____	Week 12 12/14/2009	Complete your experiment. Take any photographs needed. Begin display board.
_____	Week 13 12/21/2009	Continue with project
_____	Week 14 12/28/2009	Continue with project
_____	Week 15 1/4/2010	Design charts and graphs. Finalize elements for display.

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_____	Week 16 1/11/2010	Finalize board and submit project including journal.
_____	Week 17 1/18/2010	School finalists selected.
_____	Week 18 1/25/2010	School winner names due to district by January 22, 2010