



Friday, December 14, 2018

## Steck Science Fair Information & Sign-up

You can complete an experiment or an engineering project this year!!!!

### Science Fair Rules

- Steck Scientists can choose to work independently, with a partner or on a team(max. 3 students). **Participation is optional!**
- **Team Projects:** Maximum of three members; teams compete in separate category; team members may not change from fair to fair; one member should be appointed team spokesperson; all team members names must appear on Abstract Form.
- Adults can help gather materials and supervise your experiment, but remember this is YOUR science fair experiment. The ideas and work need to be YOURS!
- If you CHOOSE to participate, experiments are required for Intermediate [3-5] Students and will be judged. You will be judged on the use of the Scientific Method.  
**Primary Students [K-2] may choose collections and models but will not be judged. DPS's District Science Fair does not allow any Report/Collection or Model Style Projects.**
- **Team Projects by 2 or 3 students are judged in a separate category than independent projects at the DPS Science Fair.**
- Science Fair winners are eligible for entry in the DPS Science Fair. (Date: Feb 9, 2019)
- You can find additional information on the Steck website or contact Mrs. Kat at [Kathleen\\_zimmerman@dpsk12.org](mailto:Kathleen_zimmerman@dpsk12.org)

### Science Fair Sign-up Form/Project Contract

Please sign your Project Contract with a brief description of your idea on the back by **Friday, Nov 16<sup>th</sup>** in the Science Fair envelope on the table near the office.

In the space provided below please provide a brief description of your proposed science fair project. Include what hypothesis you plan to test. (It is ok to include 2 ideas if you have not decided.)

*Example*

*Question – Do crystals grow larger in hot or cold environments?*

*Hypothesis – Crystals will grow larger in a hot environment*

Project Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Question: \_\_\_\_\_

Hypothesis: \_\_\_\_\_  
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My child and I have read, understand and will follow the rules and regulations for the Steck Science Fair. We will bring the Science Fair Exhibit Board to school on the morning of Friday, December 14. If a top award is presented, we will attend the DPS Science Fair will be held Saturday, February 9, 2019 in the Gates Field House at the University of Denver.

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Parent Signature

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Student s Name

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Grade

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Teacher

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