

The table below shows grade levels, the types of projects and divisions allowed in the fair. (IEP) indicates students on an individualized education program. (Modified) is for students taking modified senior high credits.

LEVEL	TYPE	DIVISION
1-2	Individual	Earth & Environmental Sciences
3-4 (IEP)	Group	Health Sciences
5-6	Class (1-2 only)	Biotechnology
7-8		Life Sciences
9-10 (Modified)		Engineering & Computing Sciences
11-12		Physical & Mathematical Sciences

HOW TO CHOOSE A DIVISION:

Earth & Environmental Sciences deal with planetary processes or relationships between organisms or an organism and its environment.

Health Sciences deal with human life or lifestyle.

Biotechnology deals with development of practical applications (technology) for non-human organisms

Life Sciences deal with scientific aspects of non-human organisms.

Engineering & Computing Sciences deal with development of practical applications (technology) for non-living things.

Physical & Mathematical Sciences deal with specific aspects of non-living things.

A project classification chart is available to help with choosing a division.

Place your own school logo and fair date on this page.

SCIENCE FAIR RULES

1. Individual projects are done by one student only. Group projects are done by two students. Class Projects must have a minimum of five and a maximum of fifteen students from the same classroom. Class projects may be done in the grade 1-2 level only.
2. A student may participate in only one project in the science fair.
3. All projects from grades seven to S4 must submit a one-page abstract summarizing the project. The abstract will be given a value of ten marks in the judging.
4. The maximum sizes for projects, including backboards, are 0.8 metres from front to back, 1.2 metres from side to side and 2.0 metres high.
5. Projects must be durable and safe. Please inform your teacher if you need an electrical outlet. Extension cords must be provided by the student.
6. Projects must be designed and assembled by students, although exhibitors may seek advice from various sources.
7. Dangerous chemicals, faulty wiring, open flames, explosives and living creatures will not be allowed in the fair. Maximum power consumption should not exceed 500 watts.
8. Living vertebrate animals are not to be used in experiments except for observations in a free-living state or observations of pets, fish or domestic animals.
9. Complete safety rules are on the Safety Checklist.

PROJECT DIAGRAM

This is a basic design. Only the sizes are official. How information is displayed is up to the student.

