

Update 4: Regional Fair registration is open (Feb. 17)

Dear Fair Affiliated Teachers:

Online fair registration is now open! For all grade level online registrations, two new fields have been added. One is for student Birthdate and the other is an optional Ethnicity field for diversity. Please don't skip the optional field as "Not Provided" is one of the choices if you prefer that answer. These new fields are a result of the Science Education Foundation of Indiana, sponsor of the Hoosier State Science & Engineering Fair, working toward uniform regional fair registrations.

ONLINE REGISTRATION for grade 6-12 students advancing to the regional fair is open February 17- March 5 on the fair website www.ipfw.edu/scifair/
Click on "Registration Information" on the left-side bar under "Grade 6-12 Student Resources"

You will need the project ID for the students you are registering. This is the ID that was generated when they did the online questionnaire to determine if their project required pre-review or was exempt. If you are unable to locate your student's ID, please contact Caryl Spira at spirac@ipfw.edu or call 481-5756 to get it.

All grade 6-8 students that advance to the regional fair must submit their regional project paperwork and abstract for POST-REVIEW (or be postmarked) by March 5 before 5 PM. For students that were exempt from pre-review, they must also include their signed exemption form.

All grade 9-12 students that advance to the regional fair must submit their ISEF project paperwork and abstract for POST-REVIEW (or be postmarked) by March 5 before 5 PM. For students that were exempt from pre-review, they must also include their signed exemption form.

At post-review if a project is found to have required pre-experimentation approval and that was not done, that student will not be eligible to display at the regional fair.

The deadline for grade 6-12 registration is Friday, March 5 by 5 PM. You are allowed 5 entries for grade 6-8 and 15 entries for grade 9-12.

The fair entry fee (\$10 per project) needs to be paid before Thursday, March 18 at 5 PM. Payment information is included on the registration confirmation form.

On the website under Fair Date Details www.ipfw.edu/scifair/FairDateDetails.htm you will find the schedule, letter to participants/parents, display rules, and other pertinent information.

Remind parents that there is early check-in available on Friday, March 19 from 4-5:30 PM for display set-up and inspection. Saturday morning display set-up and inspection is from 7:45-8:30 AM.

ONLINE REGISTRATION for grades K-5 students advancing to the regional fair is open February 17- March 12 on the fair website www.ipfw.edu/scifair/
Click on "Registration Information" on the left-side bar under "K-5 Student Resources"

In addition to the required student information, you will need to specify if the student's project falls into any of the 7 special award project categories listed. Special awards are those sponsored by individuals, local businesses, science, and engineering associations. Selecting the correct categories enables the special award judges to cover the exhibit floor in an efficient, thorough manner and ultimately reduce the amount of time the students wait to be released from judging.

The deadline for grade K-5 registration is Friday, March 12 by 5 PM. You are allowed 5 entries for grades K-5.

The fair entry fee (\$10 per project) needs to be paid by Thursday, March 18 at 5 PM. Payment information is included on the registration confirmation form.

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