

Science Fair 2025-2026 – what **MUST** be entered for competition and due dates (revised 8/26/2025)

ELEMENTARY DIVISION (grades 3, 4, 5) and JUNIOR DIVISION (Grades 6, 7, 8)

10/1/2025 – Student registration opens. Professional award self-nominations open. School must be affiliated before students register.

10/1/2025 – **2/20/2026 (11:59 PM):**

(1) Students complete the online registration process which includes personal contact information, parental release form, and project information (title category, research plan, abstract, bibliography/references).

Note: This information cannot be changed after 2/20/2026.

(2) Any required SRC forms (for students who worked with animals, bacteria, human subjects, etc.) should be uploaded.

(3) OPTIONAL items (if any) need to be uploaded by **2/20/2026 (11:59 PM):**

- PDF of presentation (MAX of 12 pages, MAX of 4 Mb)
- Video Link (through YouTube) of presentation (max of **2:00** minutes)
- PDF of lab book (MAX of 4 pages, max of 2 Mb in size)
- Three additional photos
- Simulation video
- Quad chart

3/17/2026, 9:00 AM – 7:00 PM – Students bring a display board of their project to Huntington Place. The project must remain at Huntington Place for judging on 3/18/2026 and for the public viewing days on 3/19/2026 and 3/19/2026.

3/19/2025, 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM and 3/20/2025, 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM: Projects may be removed from Huntington Place.

SENIOR DIVISION PROJECTS THAT REQUIRE PRIOR SRC APPROVAL

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12/1/2025 -Online Entry which includes personal contact information, basic project information (title, category, research plan, bibliography/references), and parental release form.

Required completed SRC forms including Form 1, 1A, 1B and other forms as needed. All forms must be complete and submitted online.

2/20/2026, 11: 59 PM

- (1) Any revisions to Research plan or main entry form, along with the completed abstract. Note: This information cannot be changed after 2/20/2026.
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SENIOR DIVISION Projects that do not require Prior SRC Approval

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