



EASTERN HANCOCK SCHOOLS Science & Engineering Fair

Dear Science Fair Participant,

We are very excited that you have decided to participate in the Eastern Hancock Science Fair! We would like to encourage you to think about your project and make sure that you have a question that you are testing. Be very careful not to just end up with a report on something, for example volcanoes or fossils. The idea is for you to practice the scientific method of coming up with a question, forming a hypothesis, developing a test for your question, finding results, and drawing conclusions. Judging sheets are online at www.easternhancock.org, Elementary, Extracurricular, then Science Fair.

All displays should include: Your Question or Problem, Hypothesis, Materials, Procedures, Results, and Conclusions. A Project Abstract will also be required for students invited to compete at Regional; it is basically a project summary and the form is on the Science Fair website and in the office. You should present this information in an attractive display and will also be expected to meet with judges to discuss your project. Your name should be added to the display.

If possible, it's a great idea to keep a Project Notebook. This can be a binder or place to record information, new words, diagrams, sketches, notes, data, or anything else that goes along with your project. Think about all of the different types of learning you are using in your project!

Thank you for choosing to participate! If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Huffman (chuffman@easternhancock.org) or Mrs. Allen (dallen@easternhancock.org). Good luck and have a great time!

Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Huffman