

# Carnation Elementary Science Fair

## Rules & Guidelines

### Project & Display Guidelines:

1. The following projects are not allowed:
  - a. Projects involving dangerous chemicals or explosives
  - b. Projects/experiments that involve starvation of or cruelty to animals
  - c. Baking soda and vinegar volcanoes
2. All displays must be freestanding. Posters that must be taped to a wall are not able to be displayed. We suggest using a freestanding tri-fold presentation board of some type. Presentation boards like this are sold at the school store.
3. Project displays may not be wider than 20 inches when set up. This means that the middle panel of your board should not be wider than 20 inches\*\*. There are a lot of projects to display and this will allow all students' work to fit in the Multi-Purpose Room.
4. The following items are not allowed in your science fair display:
  - a. Dangerous chemicals
  - b. Open flames
  - c. Explosives
  - d. Projectiles or other kind of flying objects
  - e. Erupting volcano simulations
5. If your display has any special requirements (electricity, for example) please let your teacher know BEFORE the day of the science fair.
6. If your display requires electricity, you will need approval from your teacher. You are expected to bring your own extension cord.
7. The school and teachers assume no responsibility for loss of damage to any exhibit.
8. If you choose to include a live animal in your display, it must be kept in a clean cage with water and food. Plan on taking your animal home the night of the science fair.

\*\*PLEASE NOTE: Science fair boards available through the student store are slightly larger than this and will be allowed, however, we encourage students to follow the size guidelines so all projects will fit.