

# 2024 Science Fair

Dear Students and Parents of grades 3, 4, and 5:

As you know, science, technology, and engineering are basic skills expected by employers. As twenty-first century citizens, our students will have to make some of the toughest decisions of any generation based on their faith, understanding of emerging science and technology. Science fairs involve students in the practices of science and engineering, requiring them to apply those skills to a topic of interest to them.

We are happy to announce that the time is drawing near for our annual science fair. Projects will be due on Monday, January 29, 2024. The Science Fair will judging will be held on Wednesday, January 31, 2024 by our very own HTCS alumni.

Grading Rubrics and a Science Fair Project Planner are attached. These are designed to help you walk through your project and keep your student on track. Students are required to fill in their project planner as a rough draft will for their trifold. To keep everyone on track, each step of your Project Planner will be due to your teacher and will be used as a grade.

## DUE DATES:

Step 1&2 Topic and Purpose: December 13

Step 3&4 Research and Hypothesis: January 15th.

Step 5&8 Experiment, Materials, Analysis, and Conclusion: January 22nd.

Projects and Trifold brought to school: January 29th.

Presentations and judging: January 30<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup>.

Science Fair Family viewing February 1st at 3:00

Projects will be sent home on February 2nd.

Please feel free to contact your teachers for any questions you may have or need assistance.

