Pasco Science and Engineering Showcase (A.K.A. STEM Fair) Timeline

Intermediate Students Grades 3-5 Parent Page

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| Due Date to Classroom Teacher | What Pages in the Student Book | Additional Notes |
| Tuesday, October 1, 2019 |  | Parent Letters Go Home in Tuesday Newsday |
| Due Friday, October 11, 2019 | Research Plan  Pages 4-5 |  |
| Friday, October 18, 2019 | Background Research and Identifying Variables  Pages 6-7 |  |
| Friday, October 25, 2019 | Predictions and Hypothesis  Page 8 |  |
| Friday, November 1, 2019 | Setting Up Procedure  Pages 9-10 |  |
| Wednesday, November 6, 2019 |  | STEM Fair Student Night!  Students can come if they have questions or need help from 3:50-5:00 in Media Center |
| Friday, November 8, 2019 | Graphing Results  Example pages 11-13 |  |
| Friday, November 15, 2019 | Drawing Conclusions  Page 14 |  |
| Friday, November 22, 2019 | Abstract  Page 15 |  |
| Monday, December 2, 2019 | Backboard Completion and Packet Completion  Page 16 | To be considered a classroom winner, a student MUST have both the backboard and the completed packet. |
| Monday, December 2, 2019 | Final Projects Due |  |
| Friday, December 6, 2019 | Classroom Project Judging | Classrooms will choose 2 classroom winners to move on to the school fair. |
| Tuesday, December 17, 2019 | School STEM Fair |  |
| Saturday, February 1, 2020 | District STEM Fair | By Invitation Only  Where: TEWMS  Thomas Weightman Middle School |

**Important Notes for Parents**

* Work must be completed by child. Parents are allowed to help but parents should not be doing the project for the kids. This is a learning experience for your child.
* This is considered a homework assignment and cannot be graded per Pasco County’s homework policy.
* No animals or human subjects are allowed! No mold or bacteria (only pictures)
* No Food
* The timeline is earlier this year due to Pasco County STEM Fair being in February instead of March.