

Colonial Christian Secondary School Science Fair Schedule- Engineering

Date	Assigned	Brief	Turn in
12/10	Prob Def	Write up a paragraph problem description that is significant and achievable	Paragraph
1/20	Research	Research 5 or more articles or similar devices, components or issues that pertain	Printouts of read materials
2/4	Design	 Make up alternative solutions Make up criteria and constraints Rate solutions and choose Type up decision table Type up rationale 	Paragraph detailing rationale behind decision Decision
2/18	Draw	Draw a neat annotated engineering "blue print" of the device you intend to build. Your design should be	Table Drawing
4/8	Prototype	repeatable from your drawing Build your device. Modify your drawing as you solve problems and come up with solutions.	Device
4/8	Improve	Write a paragraph or more on improvements you propose for an upgraded version	Paragraph
4/22	Draft	Type or prepare: 1. Problem description (make application very clear) 2. Decision table 3. Decision and advantages and disadvantages 4. Make a neat version of your design drawing 5. Pictures of operation& graphs 6. Display version of prototype 7. Improvements	5-10 pg report for revision
5/6	Final Check	 Three part display (opt.) Prototype Final draft report Drawings Pictures Demonstrations 	All parts
5/12	Present		Inspection



Colonial Christian Secondary School Science Fair Schedule- Experiment

Date	Assigned	Brief	Turn in
12/10	Prob.	Write up a paragraph containing a hypothesis that is	Paragraph
	Statement	reasonable, testable and significant. (Include the	
		motivation – why this is important research.)	
1/20	Research	Research 5 or more articles of experiments,	Printouts of
		components or issues that pertain	read
			materials
2/4	Approach	Design a controlled experiment or a "blind"	Paragraph
		experiment. Identify the independent and dependent	& tables
		variables, controls.	
		List materials and draw setup (if needed)	
		Prepare mathematics to determine if results are	
		significant or not.	
		Assessment sheets and tables	
2/18	Drawing	Annotated pictures of experiment apparatus and	Pics/drawing
		observation methodology	
4/8	Conduct	 Conduct the experiment. 	Data tables
		2. Record data in tables.	Conclusion
		3. Do the math.	Draft 1
		4. Draw a conclusion.	
4/8	Abstract	Write a scientific abstract containing motivation,	Paragraph
		problem statement, approach, results and conclusion.	
4/22	Draft	Type or prepare:	Draft 2 Type
		1. Abstract	report
		2. Hypothesis & motivation	
		3. Approach	
		4. Print pics, drawings, graphs	
		5. Results	
5/6	Final	Three part display	Final Draft +
	Check	2. Final draft report	all pics,
		3. Drawings	graphs,
		4. Demonstration equipment	tables and
			equipment
5/12	Present		Inspection