

7th Grade Academic Fair Calendar 2011-2012

Tuesday, December 13, 2011

Project Proposal: Submit on paper the title of your paper and at minimum three essential questions (things you are interested in finding out about your topic). Include two sources that you have presently identified.

Wednesday, January 4, 2012

Bring in the minimum two (2) print resources. Students will be given some class time for note-taking. Instruction for note-taking using Noodle will be taught during computer and library class.

Wednesday, January 11, 2012

Your preliminary outline is due. You will receive instruction about this in class.

Tuesday, January 17, 2012

You should have notes from at least two sources. A total of fifteen note cards should be saved on Noodle and will be graded.

Monday, January 23, 2012

The second and final set of fifteen (15) note cards should be added to Noodle. A total of thirty (30) note cards should be included on Noodle.

Monday, January 30, 2012

Revised outline for paper is due: proper outlining will be covered in English class.

Monday, February 13, 2012

Formal copy of the paper is due. See guidelines page for specific requirements.

Monday, February 27, 2012

The blueprint for your visual display is due. Include a diagram with labels or a description of your plans, a list of materials you will need and their sources, any special requirements (i.e. water, electricity, or other materials from the science room), approximate amount of space needed.

Monday, March 5, 2012

Optional revised paper is due. Students who choose to make significant changes to their research paper may submit a revised paper. The original draft must be included with the revised paper.

Monday, March 12, 2012

Set up the projects. Bring all materials—including a fresh, unmarked copy of your paper—that are needed for the display.

Tuesday – Thursday, March 12 – 15, 2010

Oral presentations of projects: You should prepare a 5-10 minute talk explaining your research and display. The presentation will account for one-third of your grade.

Thursday, March 15, 2010

Evening Open House: Parents are welcome to come and view all of the projects on display during a designated time. (Details to follow.)