

BLESSED TRINITY PRESENTS
The Seventh Grade Science Project

Dear Seventh Grade Parents,

Each seventh grade student will be choosing and creating a science project to display at the **Learning Fair, Thursday, February 4, 2010**. Please help your child by discussing this assignment with them. Many library books, web sites, and books in my classroom are devoted to ideas for science fair projects. On **Wednesday, November 11, 2009** your child must turn in their choice of a topic. This will include the topic for investigation and their plan for an experiment.

All science projects must have an experiment that follows the scientific method that your child has used in science since last year. The written portion of the project will include an introduction, history, related material, vocabulary, and sources (bibliography). A backboard is required with the written papers and various data, and charts and pictures neatly displayed. You may, if you choose, order the display board through school. Information about ordering display boards will be given out at a later date.

All science projects will be judged the day of the fair. Ribbons (which have nothing to do with their grade) will be given to all students. Ribbons will be displayed on the students' boards at the evening portion of the Learning Fair. Student attendance at the evening portion of the Learning Fair is part of the academic requirements of this project. The students with outstanding projects based on the judging may be able to participate in the Regional Science Fair at the University of Minnesota. It is also possible that projects may be chosen from the Regional Fair to advance to the Minnesota State Science Fair.

Some time will be used in school for the students to work on their project. However, the students will need to spend time outside of school to complete their projects in a timely and quality manner. Please offer your child any insight from your experience. Remember, it is your child's project, but they do need adult guidance.

Thank you,

Brian Stock

Cut and return the bottom portion by Monday, November 2. Keep the above portion for yourself.

I have read the information about the seventh grade science project of the Learning Fair. I will help my child do their best work. This signature is due Mon., November 2, 2009.

Parent's signature _____ Date _____

Student's name _____