

# 72<sup>nd</sup> Annual Los Angeles County Science & Engineering Fair

## 2021-2022 IMPORTANT DATES AND DEADLINES



September 6, 2021	<b>School and Site Coordinator Enrollment opens; Complete online enrollment and send in payment.</b>
October 8, 2021	<b>DEADLINE</b> for <b>Fall SRC* Submission</b> for proposed Student Experimentation/Research.
October 18, 2021	<b>Notification</b> available to St and SC regarding approval/disapproval of <u>Fall</u> Research Plans.
October 30, 2021	<b>DEADLINE FOR EARLY-BIRD SCHOOL ENROLLMENT FEE PAYMENT POSTMARK**</b> 20% discount <b>Can also pay via PayPal from our website</b>
November 12, 2021	<b>DEADLINE</b> for <b>Winter SRC* Submission</b> for proposed Student Experimentation/Research <i>Note: this is the LAST opportunity for students to submit a proposal.</i>
November 22, 2021	<b>Notification</b> available to St and SC regarding approval/disapproval of <u>Winter</u> Research Plans.
November 30, 2021	<b>DEADLINE FOR ADVANCED SCHOOL ENROLLMENT FEE PAYMENT POSTMARK**</b> 10% discount <b>Can also pay via PayPal from our website</b>
December 10, 2021	<b>Final Deadline</b> for <b>RE-SUBMISSION</b> of Revised Student Experimentation/Research Plan <i>Note: this is for projects that were not approved on a prior submittal, no new submissions accepted- students may only re-submit their Research Plans once</i>
December 17, 2021	<b>Notification</b> available to St and SC regarding approval/disapproval of <u>Revised</u> Research Plans
January 3, 2022	<b>STUDENT/PROJECT ON-LINE REGISTRATION OPENS</b>
January 7, 2022	<b>Deadline</b> for any <b>CHANGES</b> in procedure or protocol for <b>PREVIOUSLY-APPROVED</b> Research Plans <i>(Not applicable to all students.)</i>
January 14, 2022	<b>Notification</b> available to St and SC regarding approval/disapproval to Research Plan changes.
January 31, 2022	<i>School Online Enrollment Closes / All Fee Waiver Forms due</i>
February 14, 2022	<i>Student/Project Online Registration Closes (Schools must have already enrolled.)</i> <b>Note: SRC Project Approval does NOT mean you are registered.</b>
February 16, 2022	<b>DEADLINE for Site Coordinator to approve of students representing school</b>
February 28, 2022	<b>Final Deadline - School Enrollment Fee</b> Payment must be postmarked by March 1, 2021.

- **St** → Student
- **SC** → Site Coordinator; this is the one contact person that LACSEF will have with your school
- **SRC** → Science Review Committee; this is a trained group of adults that make sure that students experimentation/research falls within the California EdCode and expected safety guidelines.
- **\*SRC Approval** must be attained by students doing experiments involving tissues/cell lines, human subjects, vertebrate animals, hazardous materials and/or microbes.
- **\*\*Participation Fees:** (A 20% discount is given if payment is postmarked by October 30, 2021 or a 10% discount is given if payment is postmarked by November 30, 2021.)
  - Mail to: 1107 Fair Oaks Ave. #94 South Pasadena CA 91030-3133



## VIRTUAL SCIENCE FAIR SCHEDULE

<p>Wednesday, March 9</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>All Project Virtual Submissions due by 11:59pm</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Report; video; pictures of log book; &amp; digital display board.</li><li>○ See Final Information Packet 2022 (available in February 2022)</li></ul></li></ul>
<p>Week of March 14th</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Category Judging &amp; Student Interviews</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Students will be invited to interviews by Group # &amp; must be present for the interviews</li></ul></li><li>● <b>Special Awards Judging &amp; Student Interviews</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Students will be invited to interviews by Group # &amp; must be present for the interviews</li></ul></li></ul> <p><i>Exact dates and times will be announced in January 2022.</i></p>