



BE A SCIENCE FAIR JUDGE!

Join us on March 12 | 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Support Contra Costa's Budding Young Scientists & Engineers

HELP! Contra Costa County Science & Engineering Fair—a VIRTUAL FAIR in 2021—is scheduled for Friday, March 12 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and we need your help!

In existence since 2005, the Contra Costa Science Fair expects to have more than 200 student competitors who will need your expertise to evaluate project boards and conduct interviews.

The virtual fair, using the ZOOM platform, will require a full 8 hours of judges time to ensure every child gets interviewed about their project. With the pandemic, it is hoped you will be able to accommodate this need in 2021. Won't you volunteer to be a judge on March 12?

Judges choose among the six competition categories:

- behavioral/social sciences including gerontology;
- biological including biochemistry, microbiology, zoology, botany, medicine, and health;
- engineering;
- environmental sciences;
- math/computer sciences; and
- physical science including chemistry, earth and space, physics.

There are two student competition levels: JUNIOR: Grades 7 and 8; and SENIOR: Grades 9 through 12. You may choose the competition level most suited to your preferences.

Our goal is to engage more than 140 judges to be on hand to give every child the opportunity to share their science and engineering projects with multiple judges during the competition. The winners of the Contra Costa regional fair are then eligible for further competition at the California State Science Fair, the National Middle School Science Fair, and the Regeneron-affiliated International Science & Engineering Fair. Without ***your*** involvement further competitions would not be available to our student competitors.

It's easy to register to be a judge, and you will have same-day training to prepare you for the virtual experience (see Judging Day agenda below). Won't you join other volunteers, experienced and new, at our 2021 fair by completing the registration link now?

[REGISTER HERE](#)

The Judging Day agenda includes:

8-9 a.m.	Judge Training & Virtual Tools Introduction
9-Noon	Project Board Judging
12- 1p.m.	Lunch Judge Team Review of Category Project Scores and Discussion
1-4 p.m.	Student Interviews
4-5 p.m.	Concluding Judge Team Review of Category Scores & Discussion

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