

# Competition Requirements- Phase 6

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The following are a additional requirement for all a dvanced students and any students wanting to compete in the school science fair (you must compete in the school science fair to have the chance to compete at the county science fair).

## Phase 2- Experimental Design

- Additional forms must be completed before you begin your experiment go to the website <http://ssefflorida.com/rulesforms.html> to select download and the print the correct forms
  - Form 1- Adult Sponsor/Safety Assessment
  - Form 1A- Students Checklist
    - A Research Plan must be completed if you want to compete at the county level
  - Form 1B- Approval Form
  - Form 3- Risk Assessment - if there is any type of risk, including using tools
  - Form 4- Human Participant- if you have any people other than yourself participating in the experiment or you are using their information for a survey/questionnaire
    - Informed Consent Forms- must be filled out a signed by each person in the experiment and by the parent if the participant is under 18 years old
  - Form 7- Continuation Project- anyone continuing a research project from last year

**\*\*\*The title of your projects must match exactly on each form and your backboard\*\*\***

## Phase 3 & 4- Research

- You must review the rules and regulations and site the following in your bibliography as part of your research <https://member.societyforscience.org/>
- Include a copy of your research paper in you data notebook

## Phase 5- Experimentation

- You must keep accurate records for in your journal/log book
- A computer generated graph for your board and notebook

## Phase 6 & 7- Experimentation and Presentation

- Conclusion paragraphs- you must this out in paragraph form. Use page 27 as a guide.
- Abstract Form- go to the link and type an abstract on the official abstract form. Save and print a few copies for you notebook and backboard.  
[http://www.ssefflorida.com/uploads/3/6/1/3/3613458/2016\\_state\\_abstract.pdf](http://www.ssefflorida.com/uploads/3/6/1/3/3613458/2016_state_abstract.pdf)
- Data notebook with printed copies of your papers, pictures, graphs, tables, etc. (use the **notebook rubric on page 30** to guide you)
- Presentation Board- it must have all of the information found on the **rubric on page 31**. Each piece has a specific place on the board it must follow the rubric as closely as possible.

*Completing all of these requirements does not guarantee that you will compete at the school or county science fairs, but it is a requirement for your project in order to have the chance to compete in both fairs.*