



September 30, 2024

Dear Parents and Guardians,

It's time for our **SCIENCE FAIR KICK-OFF...!**

The **Science Fair Packet** is uploaded on Archie. It must be printed and attached to the **orange folder** which you purchased at the beginning of the school year for our science class. ***I collected the orange folders from the students on the first week of school and I will be returning them to the students on Monday, September 30th.*** If you haven't purchased it yet, or the scholar has used it for another class, please purchase one now. The orange Science Fair Project folder will include the Science Fair Project Packet, where the scholars will be completing the various components of their project (topic, variables, testable question, etc.), to turn them in for check and feedback.

Scholars will select **three (3) topics from the provided list** and turn them in, by **Friday 10/4/2024**. *Parents and/or Guardians must agree to the scholar's choices and sign at the corresponding page (pg. 4) in the Science Fair Project Packet.* Additionally, the **topic must be approved by the teacher** before the scholar continues working on the project.

This year, scholars will be creating a **Virtual Science Fair Board on Microsoft PowerPoint** instead of the traditional science fair boards of the past and **record a video** presenting/explaining their work after they have completed their project. The scholars have access to **Office 365 and PowerPoint** through their **Dadeschools Student Portals**. They must login to their Student Portal and click on the orange **Office 365** button on the first page of the portal. From there they will login, using the credentials below.

Dadeschools email address: studentID@students.dadeschools.net

Password: student date of birth and first and last name initials
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If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

Warm Regards,
Ms. Yiouli