~SAMPLE~ Timeline for Student Research Projects **~SAMPLE~**

DUE DATE	TASK
August 23, 2007	 Topic papers explained and given to students. Team contracts offered to students.
August 24, 2007	Internet topic research done during class.
September 4, 2007	Topic Papers DUE!
September 6, 2007	 Form 1, Form 1A, Form 1B, and Research Plan explained and given to students. Article research begun during class. Form a question and a hypothesis. Required protocols are given to students (not every project will require these)
September 21, 2007	 Form 1, Form 1A, Form 1B are DUE. Completed Team Contracts are DUE. If your project has required protocols, these are DUE. Experiments CANNOT BEGIN until you have approval from a Scientific Review Committee and/or Animal Care & Use Committee if your project involves humans, vertebrate animals, potentially hazardous biological agents, etc. See ISEF Rules for specifics!
October 5, 2007	Evidence of research on your topic is DUE.
October 15, 2007	First Project Notebook Check!!
October 22, 2007	• Student Workshop after school 3:15-5:15pm. Please arrange for transportation before coming to the workshop.
October 26, 2007	First display board orders are DUE.
November 2, 2007	Check on progress Second Project Notebook Check Teams are working together Type of graph(s) required Bibliography
November 16, 2007	Final orders for display boards are DUE.
November 30, 2007	LAST CALL for all forms that need to go to the SRC and/or IACUC.
December 3, 2007	 Check on progress Third Project Notebook Check Teams are working together Any problems?
January 7, 2008	 Guidelines for Abstract explained and given to students. Guidelines for Display Board explained and given to students.
January 11, 2008	 Copy of Abstract DUE. Student Workshop after school 3:15-5:15pm. Please arrange for transportation before coming to the workshop.
January 24, 2008	Set up projects in the gym from 5:00-7:00pm.
January 25, 2008	Our school's Research Expo/Science Fair/Research Challenge!!
January 26, 2008	Our school's Research Expo/Science Fair/Research Challenge AWARDS!