

DeLaura Middle School Science Research Application

(NOTE: For any of these questions, if you need more space, please add paper and continue.)

Name: _____
Present Grade: 6 7 Email: _____
Parents' Names: _____
Home Phone: _____ Email: _____

Interview Questions

1. Briefly, explain why you want to be in Science Research. What are your interests or personality traits which enable you to succeed at the Intracoastal Science Fair?

2. Rank the areas that interest you most, with 1 being the highest, and explain why your 1 got ranked highest.

_____ Writing and Editing	_____ Research
_____ Interest in Science	_____ Data Analysis
_____ Presentation Skills	

3. Which area of science are you most interested in?

4. What other activities will you be involved with next year?

5. Please give careful thought to the following questions: do not answer lightly. Your answer will not determine placement in Science Research.

Yes / No / Maybe	Are you willing to make your science project one of your priorities?
Yes / No / Maybe	Are you willing to work as needed after school, on weekends, or during holidays to fulfill your responsibility in meeting deadlines?
Yes / No / Maybe	Can you obtain transportation to/ from school on weekends or another time outside of school hours?
Yes / No / Maybe	Do you feel comfortable meeting new people and interviewing them?
Yes / No / Maybe	Do you feel comfortable writing and having your work edited?
Yes / No / Maybe	Do you feel comfortable with Microsoft Office applications and/or learning these skills?
Yes / No / Maybe	Do you feel comfortable analyzing data and presenting information?

Writing Sample

On a separate sheet of paper, describe why you are interested in taking science research, interests related to science and potential ideas for your project. Your essay should not exceed 150 words and must be handwritten.

Work Sample

Science Research Requirements

Please consider the following requirements. Students must be able to:

- Research and summarize articles. This will include being able to stay after school on occasion.
- Spend time in a productive manner and work independently.
- Maintain good grades and attendance in all classes.
- Complete all deadlines on time.
- Stay after school to complete assignments during fair deadlines (December - February)
- Have transportation available after school.
- Participate in Intracoastal Science Fair.
- It is recommended that students have good organizational skills and are able to keep up with large amounts of paperwork.

In order to be recognized, applicants will need to have their current Science or Science Research teacher approve their application.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature (REQUIRED) _____ Date _____

Science/Science Research Teacher Signature (REQUIRED) _____ Date _____

Teacher Comments: Please include if student can work independently

Please return this application with your registration materials.