**Example Project Timeline**

Below is an example of a timeline for a science fair project for an 8th grade student. This teacher required a more formal written research paper.

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| **Parts of Science Fair project** | **Date Due for 8th grade** |
| **Part I: Generating an Idea**  Suitable topic is chosen and approved | Monday, **8/26** |
| **Part II: Cover Page** with Title and student’s name, Cover Page minus student’s name, **Problem**, **Hypothesis** and **Introduction** | Friday, **8/30** |
| **Part III: Notecards** | Wednesday, **9/18** |
| **Part IV: Background Information** and **Bibliography** | Friday, **10/4** |
| **Part V: Variables/Constants**, **Materials** and **Procedure** | Wednesday, **10/30** |
| **Journal/lab report check** | Wednesday, **12/4** |
| **Completed Lab Report:** All of the above plus Table of Contents, Abstract, Results, Conclusion, Discussion and any Acknowledgments/Thank Yous | Thursday, **1/30** |