

# GREATER VANCOUVER REGIONAL SCIENCE FAIR



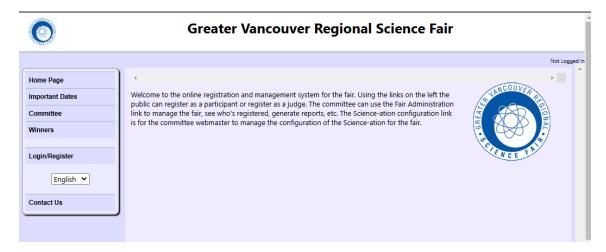
# **GVRSF Science-ation Registration Guide**

# Registration questions or problems? Please email registration@gvrsf.ca

Partner Projects: ONE person must start your application and you will receive a registration number. Once you submit your partner's email address (under Personal Details), they will receive an email and be able to add the relevant information to your application.

#### Start your Registration application <u>HERE</u> (gvrsf.science-ation.ca)

# 1) Registration Homepage: gvrsf.scien-ation.ca

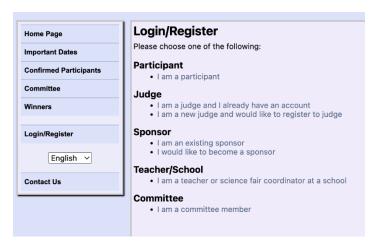


The main navigation menu is on the left side of the screen. To start the registration process, click the Login/Register tab. Don't forget to select your preferred language. Options include English and French.

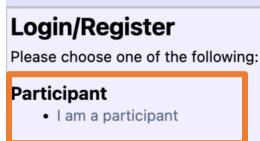
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#### 2) Login/Registration Menu

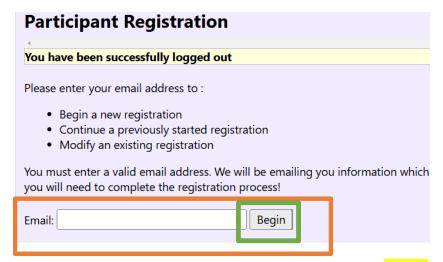
When you arrive at the Login/Registration menu, you'll see multiple options to choose from, including Participant, Judge, Sponsor, Teacher/School, and Committee Members. For this particular guideline, we will walk you through the Participant (student) registration.



Under the Participant header, click the link that says "I am a participant" and proceed to the next step.



# 3) Participant Registration Part 1 (Email Input)



Proceed by entering your email and clicking the **Begin** button, you will be directed to the next page.

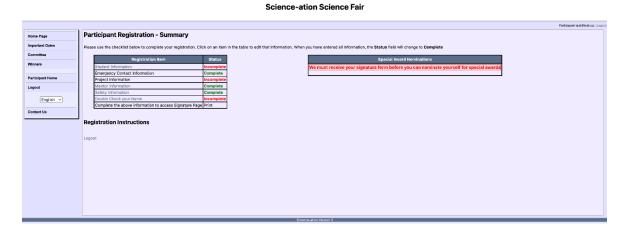
# 4) Participant Registration Part 2 (Password Input)

Participant Registration
Please enter your registration number that you received in your email, in order to begin your new registration
Registration Number:
Submit
If you have lost or forgotten your <b>registration number</b> , please click here to resend it to your email address

After entering your email in Step 3, you should receive a registration number in your email inbox, this will serve as your login key.

If you don't receive a registration number, double-check that your email was entered correctly and check your spam/junk mail folder. If needed, click the "click here to resend" link to request another code. When you have completed this task, you can proceed by clicking submit.

# 5) Account Page (after login/registration)



Once you have successfully logged in or registered, you will be welcomed by a new interface.

These registration tasks must be completed by the participant. Each highlighted task requires important information. Any field that has a red asterisk (\*) is required to complete your application

# **Personal details**

You will need to select the number of students that worked on the project. If you have a partner, please ensure you enter your partner's email address.

Your partner will be sent your registration number and will be able to add their personal details to the same registration application.

Ensure that your teacher's name and email address is correct.

# **Emergency Contact**

You will be unable to complete this section until all student information has been completed.

Please ensure the email address is accurate as the parent/guardian permission forms will be sent to this email address.

If applicable, please provide your cell phone number that we may reach you during the fair in case of an emergency

#### **Project Information**

Please choose the best fit project category

- Life Sciences: Science that studies the nature or functioning of living things. Includes: anatomy, physiology, biology, botany (plants), zoology, evolution, microbiology, etc.
- Health Sciences: Science that encompasses a variety of sub-disciplines, all
  of which relate to the application of science to health. Includes: medicine,
  nutrition, and other health-related issues and the affect they may have on
  both humans and animals.
- Earth and Environmental Sciences: Science dealing with the Earth and its environment. Includes: geology, meteorology, oceanography, etc.
- Physics and Chemistry: Science that is related to the study of all matter, forces, and energy, and their behaviour. Includes: heat, light, electricity, magnetism, chemical reactions, biophysics, lasers, applied mathematics, nanotechnology, optics, etc.
- Engineering: The creative application of a variety of science fields with the purpose of solving a problem or improving a current system. Often, this means building something new, or improving on existing structures.
- Computer Science: Science that is related to computers, software, hardware, algorithms, and their use to process information. Includes: artificial intelligence, software engineering, information structures, probability, and statistics, etc.
- Mathematical Sciences: The study of mathematical theory, patterns, and structures, with applications in solving real-world problems. Includes algebra, geometry, probability, statistics, data science, and mathematical modeling.

Your <u>project summary</u> should clearly and concisely explain your research. It should include the topic you investigated, the methods you used, and a brief summary of your results.

→ You will be unable to save this section unless your project summary is a minimum of 100 words (maximum 250 words)

Previous participants, there is no requirement or option to complete a ProjectBoard

#### **Mentor Details**

If a mentor—such as a scientist, parent, or peer—provided guidance, training, or technical support for your project, you must disclose their involvement. Mentors may offer advice, teach techniques, or ensure safety but should not conduct research or analyze data for you.

Please include the relevant information of any mentor(s) for your project. If the work is entirely your own (you had no mentor), please select "0"

#### **Safety Information**

Please read through and agree to the required safety requirements.

#### **Tour Selection**

Please select your top three tour preferences. We will try to accommodate your preferences.

#### **Double Check Your Name**

Please read this page <u>carefully!</u> Participants should review and confirm their name(s) as they will be printed exactly as shown on this page.

# **Signatures**

Student 1, please complete the "Student Signature" section.

→ Student 2 (if applicable) will receive an email signature form to complete once Student 1 submits their forms

In the final step of the permission forms, you must enter email addresses. The signature requests for 'Student 2 (if applicable),' 'Teacher,' and 'Parent/Guardian' will be sent to the emails you provide, so please ensure they are correct \*\*Please allow up to 2 hours to receive this email\*\*

- Emails will be from "AlgoLibre Inc" please check your spam/junk folder if you do not see it in your inbox.
- After submitting your permission forms, check with your teacher, parent/guardian, and partner (if applicable) to confirm they received them. Your application is NOT complete until all permission forms have been received.

Please go through the ethics questions and select "yes" or "no." Depending on your responses, you may need to complete additional ethics forms.

All projects that utilize humans and/or animals must contact our ethics committee at ethics@gvrsf.ca

Grade 11 and 12 students: please complete the "Senior Marks Validation Form" to be eligible for post-secondary scholarships. You will receive further communication on how to have your school official verify your self-reported marks.

#### **Special Awards**

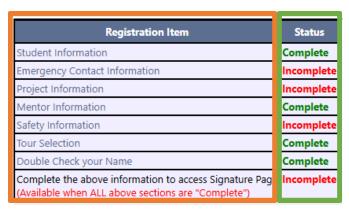
The awards you are eligible to self-nominate for will be listed. Please select up to three special awards that you would like to nominate your project for.

Upon completion, the homepage should display the awards you have selected



#### **Review Your Application**

Participants should review their submitted details to ensure accuracy before proceeding. The Status column shows whether a task has been completed or is still incomplete.



# 6) Registration Fees

To complete your registration, you must pay your \$60 (+ service fees) per student. Registration payment can be made <a href="HERE">HERE</a> (http://tinyurl.com/gvrsf2025)

If you are in a partner project, both registration fees must be paid to complete your registration.

You also have the option to buy this years science fair t-shirt for \$20 (+ service fees)



→ If your teacher has informed you that your registration and/or t-shirt fees are covered by your school, you do not need to complete this step.

Thank you for using GVRSF Science-ation!

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out via email at registration@gvrsf.ca