

OUTSTANDING JUNIOR SCIENTIST NOMINATION FORM

Deadline: October 1, 2009 (received by)

Please type or print neatly

Name: _____ Birth Date: _____

Home Address: _____

City, State & Zip: _____

Home Phone#: _____

Email: _____

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____

School: _____ Grade: _____

Sponsoring Teacher: _____

Cooperating Scientists, if any: _____

Full Name

Institution

LIST ALL MATH AND SCIENCE COURSES FOR WHICH YOU HAVE RECEIVED HIGH SCHOOL OR COLLEGE CREDIT (YOU MAY GIVE YOURSELF A SEMESTER CREDIT {BUT NO GRADE CREDIT} FOR COURSES IN WHICH YOU ARE CURRENTLY ENROLLED):

Science			Math		
Courses	Number of semesters	Number of "A's"	Courses	Number of semesters	Number of "A's"
Biology			Algebra		
Chemistry			Geometry		
Physics			Trigonometry		
Earth Sciences			Calculus		
Other			Other		
(Total number of semester courses + total number of A's)/4 = _____pts (Round all decimal values to the nearest tenth)					

GRADE (12th = 5 pts, 11th = 4 pts, 10th = 1 pt, 9th = 0).

_____ pts.

GPA (converted to 4.0 scale) X 2 (maximum 8 pts.)

_____ pts.

CLASS RANK (1 = 5 pts, upper 10% = 3 pts, upper 25% = 1 pt)

_____ pts.

SAT (not PSAT) Scores: **MATH** _____ **VERBAL** _____ (MATH + VERBAL)/200

_____ pts.

ONE POINT for each year the nominee has been a member of a school science club since 9th grade. _____ pts.
(If you are a member of more than one science club at your school list clubs)

ONE POINT for each year the nominee has served as an elected officer of a school science club since _____ pts.
the 9th grade. (If you are a member of more than one science club at your school list clubs)

ONE POINT for each regional, state or national science fair in which the nominee participated in _____ pts.
grades 9-12. You **MUST LIST** by name of fair, date, project entered, and award received on page 3.

For each place awarded in a regional or state science fair use the following calculation: _____ pts.
POINTS = 2/PLACE (Award received **MUST** be listed on page 3)

For each place awarded in a national science fair use the following calculation: _____ pts.
POINTS = (2/PLACE) X 4 (Award received **MUST** be listed on page 3)

ONE POINT for each regional, state or national science olympiad the nominee competed in grades _____ pts.
9-12. You **MUST LIST** by place of tournament, date, events competed in and medals won on page 3.

For each medal won in a regional or state science olympiad use the following calculation: _____ pts.
POINTS = 2/PLACE. You **MUST LIST** by place of tournament, date, events competed in and
medals won on page 3.

For each medal won in a national science olympiad use the following calculation: _____ pts.
POINTS = (2/PLACE) X 4. You **MUST LIST** by place of tournament, date, events competed in
and medals won on page 3.

ONE POINT for each summer or continuing science institute the nominee has attended that was _____ pts.
sponsored by an accredited university. You **MUST LIST** by name of institute and dates attended
on page 4.

ONE POINT for each research grant the nominee has received from state or national organizations. _____ pts.
You **MUST LIST** by organization and date on page 4.

ONE POINT for each time the nominee attended the Jr. Science & Humanities Symposium (JSHS). _____ pts.
You **MUST LIST** on page 4 by date attended.

ONE POINT for each time the nominee has been a paper presenter at the JSHS. _____ pts.
You **MUST LIST** by page 4 date attended, name of paper presented and award received.

TWO POINTS for each time the nominee has won a trip at the JSHS. _____ pts.

THREE POINTS if the nominee was selected as a national presenter at JSHS. _____ pts.

ONE POINT if the student was selected as a presenter for the Indiana Science Talent Search (ISTS). _____ pts.

TWO POINTS if the presenter was selected as a finalist for the Indiana Science Talent Search (ISTS). _____ pts.

TWO POINTS if the presenter was selected as a winner for the Indiana Science Talent Search (ISTS). _____ pts.

THREE POINTS if the presenter won one of the two trips for the Indiana Science Talent Search (ISTS). _____ pts.

TWO POINTS if the nominee was selected as a winner at the ISTS. _____ pts.

ONE POINT if the nominee has presented at the IJAS (OJS or Research) _____ pts.
You **MUST LIST** by year, name of paper presented and award on page 4.

For each place awarded in an IJAS competition use the following calculation: _____ pts.
POINTS = (2/PLACE) You **MUST LIST** by year, name of paper presented and award on page 4.

SCIENCE FAIRS

Name of Fair	Date/Year	Project Title	Award

SCIENCE OLYMPIAD TOURNAMENTS

Location & Level (Regional, State, National)	Date/Year	Event(s)	Award(s)

JUNIOR SCIENCE AND HUMANITIES SYMPOSIUM

Research Paper Presented	Date/Year	Award

RESEARCH GRANTS

Organization	Date Awarded

SUMMER SCIENCE INSTITUTES

Name of University and Program/Institute	Dates Attended

INDIANA JUNIOR ACADEMY OF SCIENCE

Research Paper Presented	Date/Year	Award

The nominee MUST also send via email to Tina Gilliland at mgillila@indiana.edu their extended abstract and the AJAS abstract. Your abstract may be an attachment in your email in either Microsoft WORD or WordPerfect or it may be in part of the email message.

TITLE, exactly how it appears on the abstract:

If selected, the nominee will then be interviewed by the Indiana Junior Academy of Science selection committee at the IJAS annual meeting. The interview will be worth a possible 50 points.

The following questions are for scheduling purposes only, and have no bearing on the student's selection:

1. Will this student also serve as an:
exam delegate? _____ issues presenter? _____ Olympiad delegate? _____
2. Will this student also enter a research paper in the research paper competition? _____

Your signature certifies that the nominee has read and understands the nomination guidelines, and that the work described in the abstract is that of the students. It also certifies that you have checked and verified the correctness of the information above.

Sponsor Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Building Principal: _____ Date: _____

IMPORTANT: Please email a copy of your extended and AJAS version of your abstracts to Tina Gilliland at mgillila@indiana.edu. Return all forms to:

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Nominations **MUST BE RECEIVED BY OCTOBER 1, 2009.**
Confirmation of all nominations received will be sent via email by October 8, 2009.
Outstanding Junior Scientists finalists will be notified by October 16, 2009.