Request for Advice or Ruling Ethics Committee

Regional STEM Fair				Date	
Project Title					
	First Name	Last Name	Email		
Student 1					
Student 2					
Adult Supervisor					Phone:
Scientific Supervisor					Phone:
Chair Regional STEM Fair					
Chief Judge Regional STEM Fair					

Steps:

- Before starting, if your project idea involves the participation of humans or the use of animals, familiarize yourself with the safety and ethics information on <u>mySTEMspace.ca</u>, and read the applicable <u>YSC safety and ethics policies</u>.
- Complete this form to get advice from the Ethics Committee of your Regional STEM Fair. Email it to the Chair of the Ethics Committee or other fair official. You can find their information on the regional fair's website or look up the contact information on the <u>Regional Fair Locator</u>.

Questions to answer on the next page:

1. Projects involving the participation of Humans – Low and High Risk

- a. Describe your proposed project in a paragraph or two
- b. Describe any special precautions you will take
- c. Where will you carry out these experiments?
- d. Who will be your adult supervisor, and what are their qualifications?
- e. How many people will participate in your experiment?
- f. What are their age ranges?
- g. Attach your Informed Consent Letter and Permission Form in the email

2. Projects involving the use of Vertebrate Animals, Cephalopods

- a. Describe your proposed project in a paragraph or two
- b. Describe any special precautions you will take
- c. Where will you carry out these experiments?
- d. Who will be your adult supervisor, and what are their qualifications?
- e. Where will you obtain the animals?
- f. How will they be cared for during your project?
- g. What will happen to the animals after your project is finished?
- h. Attach your <u>Research Plan</u> & <u>Research Approval Form</u> in the email





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Advice or Ruling from the Ethics Committee¹

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Ethics Chair Regional STEM Fair	
Signature	
Date	

¹ You will be required to provide a copy of this ruling at the Regional STEM Fair and Canada-Wide Science Fair.



