# L'Anse Creuse Public Schools

#### ATWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Mr. Fred V. Pankow Superintendent

Dear Mr. Pankow:

We would like to extend an invitation to you to attend the Atwood Science Fair on May 21. You will find attached materials explaining the Fair.

Sincerely,

James Hollingsworth

Principal

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#### ATWOOD SCIENCE FAIR

This year Atwood School will be having a science fair on May 21, 1970. The fair will include children from Primary through Grade 5.

The basic idea of the fair is for each child to select a project, work on the project independently, then display this work at the fair. There he will have the opportunity to share his ideas with a team of judges.

The science project can be presented in one of the following three ways:

## 1. Experiment Category

This is planned to answer a question by means of experiment using homemade equipment preferable.

## 2. Collection Category

These should be labeled properly, should have good organization, and should have a definite purpose.

#### 3. Graphic Portrayal Category

This can include charts, models (homemade), a diorana, etc. Along with the above, a written report should be included to explain their meaning and purpose.

In order to provide the needed space for the projects we are asking that each child pre-register his project using the pre-registration form. The child's teacher will callect this form and will send it to the office.

Every interested child is urged to enter a project. A certificate of merit will be presented to every child. Outstanding projects will receive special recognition.

## PRE-REGISTRATION CARD

NAME:	TEACHER:
TITLE OF PROJECT:	
GENERAL SUBJECT AREAS: (Please check one)	
Animals	
Conservation	
Earth Science	
Flight and Space Travel	
Heavenly Bodies	
Human Body	
Light	
Magnetism and Electricity	
Microscope and Microscopic Worlds	
Plants	
Simple Machines and Engines	
Sound	
Weather	

## Cateogories With Suggested Projects

#### ANIMALS

Keeping a pet
Animal groups
Insect collections
Animal Homes
Life in an aquarium
Insects that live in colonies (ants, bees)
Life cycles of animals

#### CONSERVATION

Air pollution
Erosion
Forest fires and fire prevention
Plant and animal preservation
Natural resources

#### EARTH SCIENCE

Rock or mineral collection
Rock formation
Soil types
Forces that change the Earth's surface
Volcanoes
Earthquakes
Mountain formation
Water cycle

## FLIGHT AND SPACE TRAVEL

Rockets Airplanes

## HEAVENLY BODIES

Planets Stars Constellations Comets Asteroids Meteors and Meteorites

#### HUMAN BODY

Food and nutrition Body Parts Smoking and Drugs

#### LIGHT

Light and color Light and the eye Light and the camera Light Waves

## MAGNETISM AND ELECTRICITY

Compass
Magnetic fields
Electromagnet
Telegraph
Telephone
Door Bell
Electric motor
Dry cell battery
Static Electricity
Current Electricity

#### MICROSCOPE AND MICROSCOPIC WORLDS

How a Microscope works
Bacteria
Molds
Study of a leaf, one celled animals, etc.
Using a microscope

## PLANTS

Terrarium
Plant Parts
Pollination
What is inside a seed
Trees
Flowers
Plant groups

## SIMPLE MACHINES AND ENGINES

Levers Pulley Wheel and axle

## SOUND

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Sound waves
Sound and music
Sound and the human voice
Sound and the ear
Characteristics of sound
For example:
Pitch
Viberation
Volume
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## WEATHER

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Make weather instruments
Causes of weather
Weather forecasting
Extreme weather (tornadoes, hurricanes)
Cloud types
Winds
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