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Subject: Calling all young inventors, dreamers, coders and problem-solvers. Google Science Fair is open!

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Hello,

A few months ago, Google <u>announced</u> that the 2018 - 2019 <u>Google Science Fair</u> is open for submissions! Now until December 12th, students ages 13-18 can submit projects individually or in a group.

This year, students will be competing for a \$50,000 grand prize scholarship. Runners-up and regional winners will be in the running for academic scholarships and experiential prizes from long-standing sponsoring organizations: National Geographic, Lego Education, Scientific American, and Virgin Galactic, who will also be participating in the judging process.

Teachers and mentors play a huge role in Google Science Fair. That's why we've created a <u>full library</u> of teaching materials and exercises focused on the problem-solving process. Flexible enough to apply to virtually any subject or teaching style! Help your students get excited and get started!

We hope to show teens that every idea has the power to shape our world; and science, technology, engineering and math can be used to make a real impact on the issues they care about.

We hope you and your students enjoy the process and good luck!

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