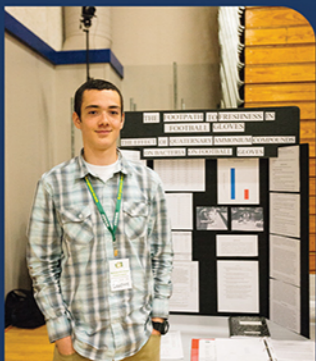
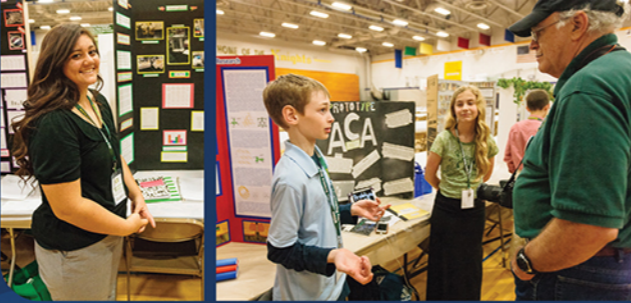


What Is WSSEF?

- Washington State Science & Engineering Fair.
- An annual venue for more than 60 years open to ALL students grades 1 thru 12 throughout the state of Washington.
- A stable, reputable, tax-deductible non-profit corporation "Promoting Future Scientists and Engineers".
- An educational outreach advocating support to local school fairs and ISEF affiliated Washington State Regional Fairs.
- The concept lead for "Team Washington" advancing our top students to national and international fairs, seminars, conferences and other competitions.
- Collaborating with educational universities, national and international corporations.
- Nurturing young minds to develop new ideas.



Why Should I Get Involved?

Because what YOU do makes a difference!

It all begins with school-age kids. You never know where that spark will come from that fires them up and blazes new pathways.

Civil leaders and innovators are born though the WSSEF – yes, there is that special mind that makes a world shaking difference, but we need intelligent and inquisitive minds in our everyday lives to build our infrastructure, to commit to discovering solutions, to solve community problems and to do it better than we could by learning and using the technology tools of today.

WSSEF is a prime place to showcase the kids' work and they receive professional feedback for their efforts. Every child at each grade level has the opportunity to earn stimulating prizes, awards and the upper grades earn scholarships!

By joining the WSSEF, YOU provide a venue for every child to learn, earn and be rewarded. WSSEF makes every volunteer hour and donated dollar count by providing more than \$1.8 million

There is no limit to what their inquisitive imaginations will develop into ... we only know they deserve the chance to let it radiate brilliance.

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Do Our Kids Benefit?

Kids with a scientific, technology, engineering and math (STEM) focus find out they are not alone – there is a community and scientific network of which they are already a member ... they just need to stand-up and get going! WSSEF gives them the opportunity to learn the principles they need to make the great discoveries of the world.

WSSEF gives kids a forum so everyone, whether from a downtown metropolis or rural Washington, has the chance to make big discoveries. Our school districts and communities vary in monetary resources, access to laboratories and mentors. WSSEF encourages kids and lets them know they are appreciated; they have value, and valuable ideas. They just need that extra boost to get them to understand what they can achieve, and YOU can help WSSEF be that boost.

The top senior level WSSEF students showcase their projects at the International Science and Engineering Fair (ISEF). Attending the WSSEF opens their minds to opportunities — ISEF opens their eyes to the world.

WSSEF and ISEF are cultures that inspire the kids to excel, to visualize, to dream, to succeed and to go beyond society's norm and their comfort zone into a great world of possibilities.

It's their dream, our future and it all begins with YOUR help!

What Can I Do For WSSEF?

YOU can promote the WSSEF in your school district, organize the kids to travel and participate in WSSEF, mentor students, bring fresh ideas, broadcast the Fair benefits and scholarships to the kids, parents and your schools.

YOU can help WSSEF organize public outreach in your area, cultivate media relations and share your ideas to inspire new concepts via teleconferenced WSSEF meetings.

YOU too can become a judge, volunteer to work with the kids, organize activities and help with site preparations. Judging is especially rewarding.

Who Else Benefits?

We all benefit! Our kids gain confidence to achieve higher career goals — our communities strengthen — our corporations thrive from their innovative ideas — ultimately enhancing our country and the world as a whole.

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New research and technologies are within their grasp. You never know what great discoveries and scientific breakthroughs are in these kids' minds waiting to be developed.

By judging, **YOU** are giving encouragement and opportunities to our future scientists and engineers to grow and succeed. An added bonus, is that judges experience first-hand the kids' interesting and innovative ideas giving you renewed faith in our future generation.

Can I Help? YES!

Everyone has something to contribute to WSSEF, and no matter where you live you are a positive influence.

- Mentor your local kids' WSSEF projects in the scientific and engineering fields
- Initiate a science club in your local school, which send kids to WSSEF
- Promote WSSEF at your local or regional school science fairs
- Ask your workplace to become a WSSEF sponsor, affiliation or endorsement
- Ask your family and friends to join YOU at the WSSEF.
- Spread the word so others can get involved, too!

VOLUNTEER!



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