



# EVENT SCHEDULE

## PARTICIPANTS

**THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 2026**

<b>9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.</b>	<b>ELEMENTARY &amp; JUNIOR PARTICIPANT/PROJECT CHECK IN &amp; SET UP</b>	West Tunnel/Arena Floor
<b>9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.</b>	<b>ELEMENTARY &amp; JUNIOR DIVISION SAFETY CHECKS</b>	Arena Floor/Inner Concourse
<b>12:00 p.m.</b>	<b>ELEMENTARY &amp; JUNIOR PARTICIPANT LUNCH BREAK - ALL STUDENTS EXIT</b>	Concession & Exhibitor Concourse
<b>1:00 p.m.</b>	<b>ELEMENTARY &amp; JUNIOR PARTICIPANTS RETURN TO PROJECTS</b>	Arena Floor/Inner Concourse
<b>1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>ELEMENTARY &amp; JUNIOR DIVISION JUDGING</b>	Arena Floor/Inner Concourse
<b>1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>SENIOR DIVISION PARTICIPANT/PROJECT CHECK IN. ONGOING SRC AND DISPLAY AND SAFETY CHECKS</b>	West Tunnel/Arena Floor and West Entrance Concourse; Projects stored in room 35 of Arena Floor Level
<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>JUDGING CONCLUDES STUDENTS MAY LEAVE AND TAKE THEIR PROJECTS HOME</b>	Arena Floor/Inner Concourse
<b>10:00 p.m.</b>	<b>ELEMENTARY &amp; JUNIOR WINNERS ANNOUNCED ON THE AZSEF HOMEPAGE ON THE ARIZONA SCIENCE CENTER WEBSITE</b>	<a href="http://www.azsef.org">www.azsef.org</a>

## FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 2026

<b>7:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>(FINAL) SENIOR DIVISION PROJECT CHECK IN; FINAL SRC AND DISPLAY AND SAFETY CHECKS</b>	West Tunnel/ Arena Floor
<b>7:30 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.</b>	<b>PROJECT CHECK OUT &amp; SET UP</b>	Project Check Out- Room 35 Arena Floor Level; Project Set Up- Arena Floor/ Inner Concourse
<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>SENIOR DIVISION PARTICIPANTS ALLOWED INTO JUDGING AREA</b>	Arena Floor/ Inner Concourse
<b>9:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>SENIOR DIVISION INTERVIEWS</b>	Arena Floor/ Inner Concourse
<b>11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.</b>	<b>LUNCH - STUDENTS LEAVE JUDGING AREA</b>	Concession & Exhibitor Concourse
<b>11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.</b>	<b>JUDGE WORKING LUNCH</b>	South Entrance Concourse
<b>12:00 p.m.</b>	<b>SENIOR DIVISION PARTICIPANTS RETURN TO JUDGING AREA</b>	Arena Floor/ Inner Concourse
<b>12:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.</b>	<b>SENIOR INTERVIEWS CONTINUE</b>	Arena Floor/ Inner Concourse
<b>2:30 p.m.</b>	<b>SENIOR DIVISION PARTICIPANTS EXIT JUDGING AREA</b>	Concession & Exhibitor Concourse
<b>2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.</b>	<b>JUDGING TEAMS CAUCUS TO DETERMINE CATEGORY PLACES &amp; SPECIAL AWARDS</b>	Arena Floor/ Inner Concourse; South Entrance Concourse

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**3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.**

**TEAM LEADERS ONLY CAUCUS  
TO DETERMINE BEST IN FAIR  
AND PROJECTS FOR ISEF  
CONSIDERATION**

Arena Floor/ Inner Concourse;  
South Entrance Concourse

**5:00 p.m.**

**ALL SENIOR DIVISION  
PROJECTS REMOVED**

Arena Floor/Inner Concourse

**5:30 p.m.**

**ALL SENIOR PROJECTS  
NOT PICKED UP WILL BE  
DISPOSED OF**

**7:00 p.m.**

**SENIOR WINNERS  
ANNOUNCED  
ON THE AZSEF HOMEPAGE ON THE  
ARIZONA SCIENCE CENTER WEBSITE**

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