



# **Toshiba/NSTA ExploraVision K-3 Project Submission Template**

Updated August 1 for the 2025-2026 Toshiba/NSTA ExploraVision Competition for Grades K-3 student derived projects.

Please visit [www.exploravision.org](http://www.exploravision.org) for competition guidelines, rules and more information.

# How to use the Grades K-3 Storyboard Template

At the start of each section, you will find the following:

- detailed information and guidelines pertaining to that section.
- a flexible template (e.g. you can handwrite on paper, use slides, Google Slides/MS Powerpoint or coaches can insert images of hand-drawings that the students have created).
- Do not include a title page as you will submit a title online.
- Do not include identifying information - school/student/teacher names or images.

# How to submit projects

- Coaches are required to register teams and upload the PDF versions of the storyboards before the **February 3, 2026** deadline.
- All 21 project storyboard pages for each team should be scanned or saved as a PDF and uploaded online using the [link provided to the coach](#) after he/she registers.
  - The instruction pages should be removed.
  - Acceptable project pages are numbered Project Page 1-21 in this document.
  - **Blank pages should be marked with “N/A”** for pages intended to omit information. At least one page is required for all sections.

# Abstract Section

- The Abstract section summarizes (150 words or less) the proposed future technology and other relevant information, precedes other project components, and is included in the space provided on the template.
- All project work should be the students' original and handwritten work or photograph of their work.
- This section should not include any drawings.

# Grades K-3 Abstract Template

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# Present Technology

- Give overview of chosen technology's current form, including scientific principles involved in its functioning.
- Define a problem or limitation of this current technology that you will address in your ExploraVision project.
- Use of images and narrative will be required for this and all sections.

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# History

- Research and describe the history of the technology from its inception
- Use of images and narrative will be required for this and all sections.



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# Future Technology

- Describe the team's vision for what this technology will be in the future, including scientific principles involved in developing the technology.
- Include an image of the prototype.
- For this section up to 3 template pages may be used and are included. Labeled Grades K-3 Future Technology Template 1, 2, and 3.
- Use of images and narrative will be required for this and all sections.

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# Breakthroughs

- Research and describe breakthroughs that are necessary to make the future technology design a reality.
- Describe why this future technology doesn't exist today.
- Choose one of your required breakthroughs and describe an investigation that would have to be planned and carried out to test your ExploraVision project.
- If possible, include the kind of data or measurements that would be collected in the investigation.
- Up to 3 pages may be used for the section and are clearly labeled.
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# Grades K-3 Breakthroughs Template - 1

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# Design Process

- Describe three alternative ideas of features the team considered for their project. The ideas and features should be related to this project, not a list related to other projects submitted in previous years or by other participants.
- Describe why the team rejected each feature and idea in favor of the ones in the submitted technology.
- Describe how your future technology feature is better than the rejected design feature.
- Up to 3 pages may be used for this section and are clearly labeled.
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# Consequences

- Recognizing that all technologies have positive and negative consequences, describe the potential positive and negative consequences of the new technology on society.
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# Bibliography

- All sources used in researching the chosen technology should be referenced in the Bibliography.
- Sources must be clearly labeled and include title, author, publisher, and copyright date.
- Visit [www.exploravision.org](http://www.exploravision.org) for more information.



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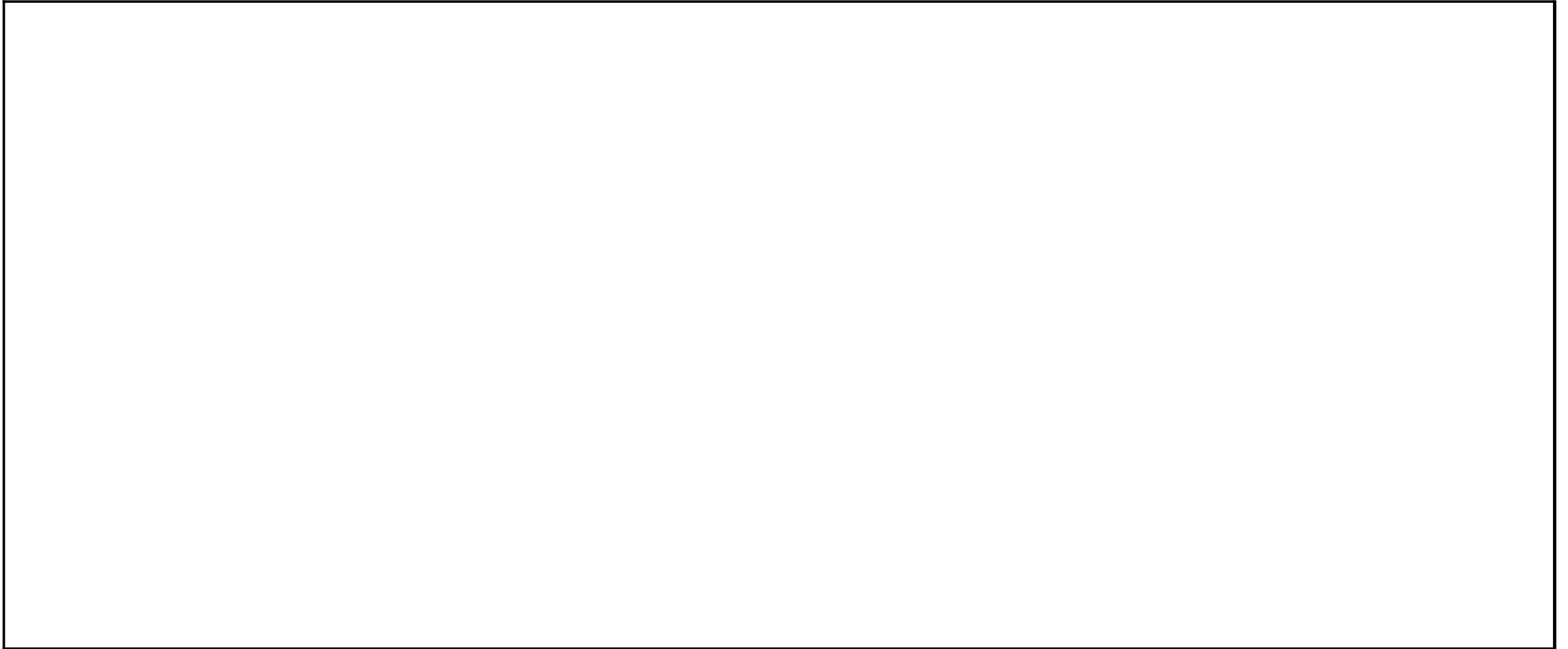
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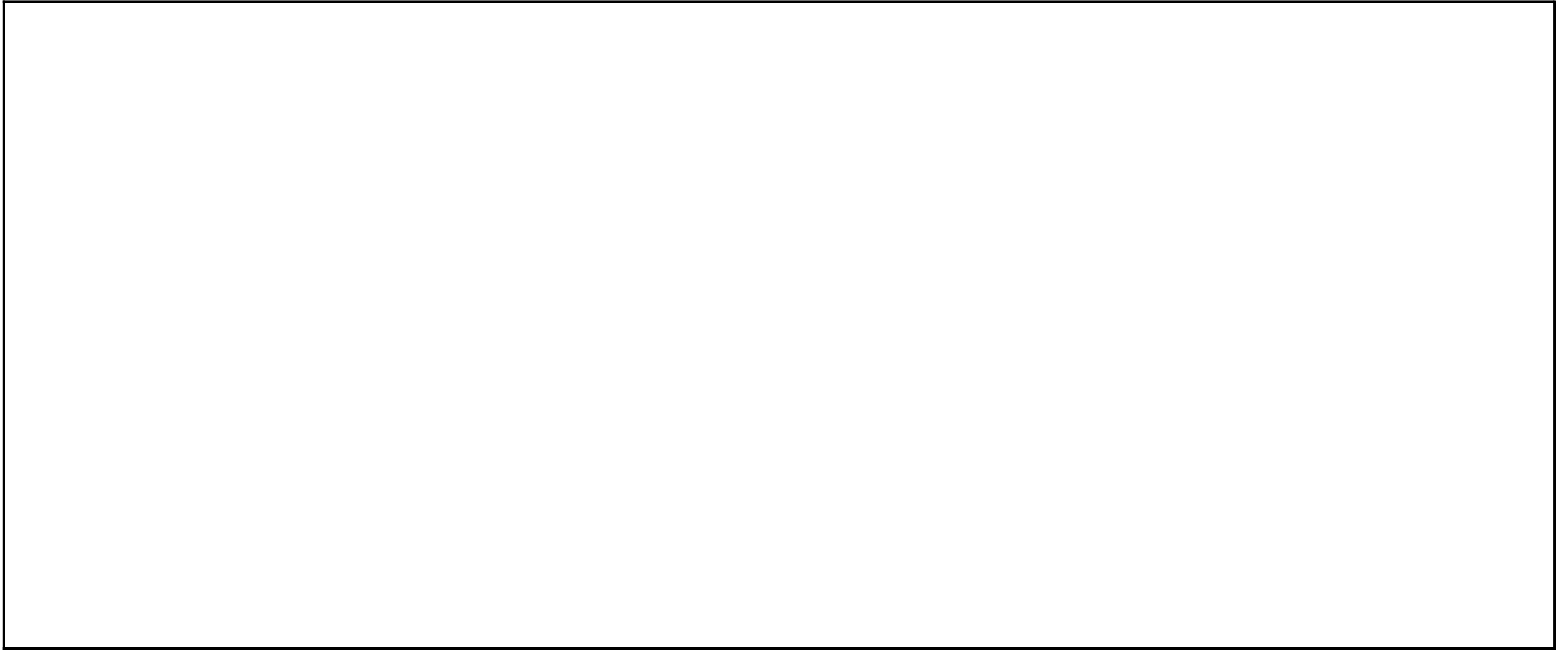
# Sample Web Page - 1

Note: No Need to Create a Website! Hand drawn pages are acceptable. The team's future innovation/prototype must be included. (delete these notes after you draft a sample web page.)

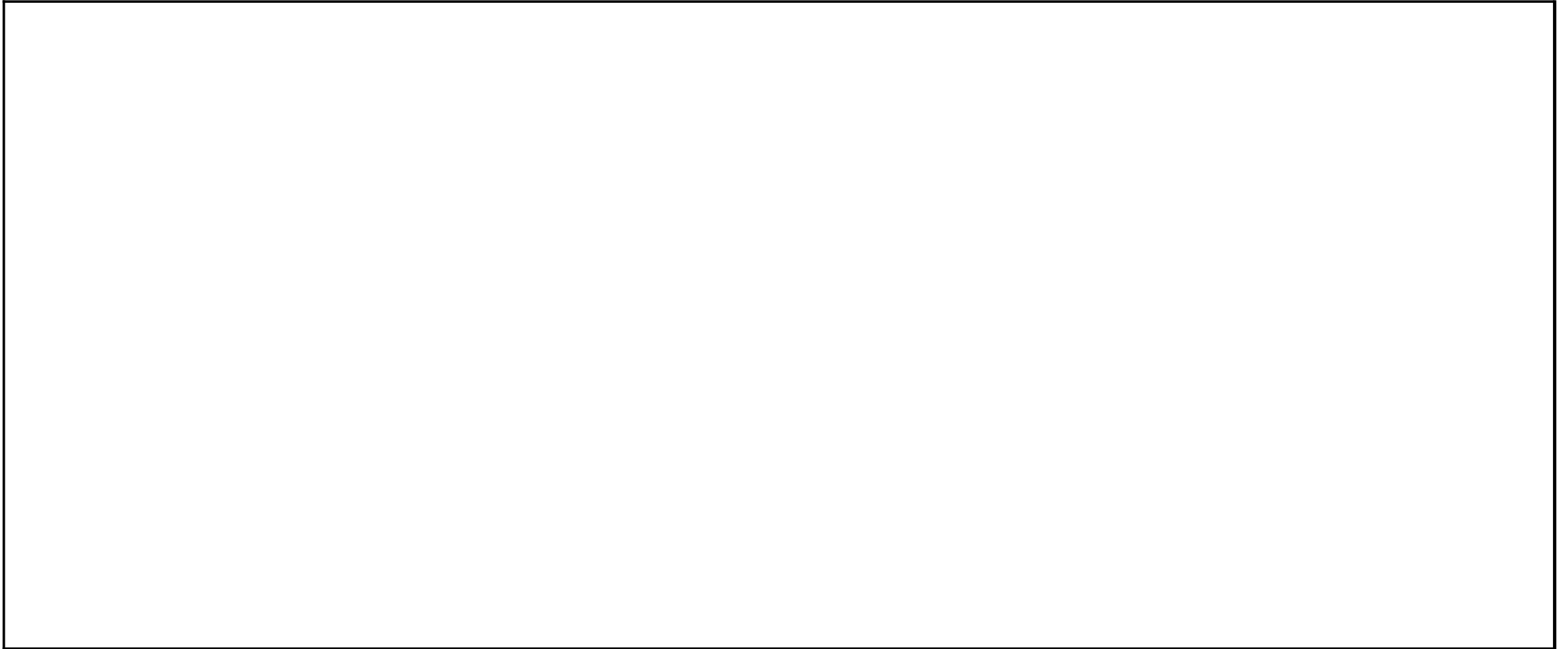
# Sample Web Page - 2



# Sample Web Page - 3



# Sample Web Page - 4



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