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# Life Science Workbook

## Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade 7 - \_\_\_\_

Academic Year:

### Part 1: Scientific Thinking

### Lesson1: Science and the Natural World

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions in the space provided.

- **1.** What are six skills scientists use to learn about the world?
- **2.** What are inferences based on?
- **3.** How do inferences and predictions differ?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

- 4. \_\_\_\_ observing
- **5.** \_\_\_\_ quantitative observations
- 6. \_\_\_\_ qualitative observations
- 7. \_\_\_\_ inferring
- 8. \_\_\_\_ predicting
- 9. \_\_\_\_ making models
- 10. \_\_\_\_ classifying
- 11. \_\_\_\_ science
- 12. \_\_\_\_ evaluating

- a. grouping items that are alike in some way
- **b.** making a statement or claim about what will happen in the future based on past experience or evidence
- c. creating representations of complex objects or processes
- d. comparing observations and data to reach a conclusion
- e. explaining or interpreting things you observe
- f. observations that deal with descriptions that cannot be expressed in numbers
- g. a way of learning about the natural world
- h. using one or more of your senses to gather information
- observations that deal with numbers or amounts i.

## **Science and the Natural World**

### I. Write the letter of the correct answer on the line at the left.

<ol> <li> Which skill involves creating representations of complex objects or processes?</li> <li>A. classifying</li> <li>B. predicting</li> <li>C. making models</li> <li>D. evaluating</li> <li>2 Which of the following do scientists use when observing?</li> <li>A. only their senses</li> <li>B. only tools</li> <li>C. their senses and tools</li> <li>D. their tools and observations</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>3 What kind of observation deals with numbers?</li> <li>A. qualitative</li> <li>B. quantitative</li> <li>C. sensory</li> <li>D. descriptive</li> <li>4 Which of the following is an example of a model?</li> <li>A. mathematical equation</li> <li>B. tool</li> <li>C. scientist</li> <li>D. observation</li> </ul>		
II. Fill in the blank to complete each statement.			

6. A person who does \_\_\_\_\_\_ learns about and explores the natural world.

7. When you state what you think will happen in the future, you are \_\_\_\_\_\_.

8. A(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_ observation deals with descriptions that cannot be expressed in numbers.

9. The skill of \_\_\_\_\_\_ involves comparing observations and data to reach a conclusion about them.

**10.** You make a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_ when you interpret something you observe.

### Name Date Class

### **Part 1: Scientific Thinking**

### Lesson: 2 Thinking Like a Scientist

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions in the spaces provided.

1. What important attitudes do successful scientists possess?

**2.**What is scientific reasoning?

3. How do the two kinds of scientific reasoning differ?

Building Vocabulary	
Write a definition for each of these terms.	
4. objective	
<b>5.</b> subjective	
6. ethics	
7.skepticism	
8. experimental bias	
9. cultural bias	
<b>10.</b> personal bias	

## Thinking like a Scientist

### Write the letter of the correct answer on the line at the left.

1.	What kind of bias is a mistake in the design of an experiment that makes a particular result more likely?	<ul> <li>2. Which attitude makes a scientist capable of accepting new and different ideas?</li> </ul>
	A. deductive	A. open-mindedness
	B. cultural	D. skepiicism
	C. personal	D creativity
	D. experimental	D. Cleativity
3.	What are you being when you let personal feelings enter into a decision or	<ol> <li>Which attitude helps scientists to come up with inventive ways to solve problems or produce new things?</li> </ol>
	conclusion?	A. curiosity
	A. inductive	B. creativity
	B. deductive	C. good ethics
	C. subjective	D. open-mindedness
	D. objective	

### If the statement is true, write true. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

5. \_\_\_\_\_\_ Deductive reasoning uses specific observations to make generalizations.

6. \_\_\_\_\_\_ A scientist's open-mindedness should always be balanced by bias.

- 7. \_\_\_\_\_ Good scientists use <u>honesty</u> when reporting their observations and results.
- 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_ Scientists must be careful not to use inductive reasoning, because it can lead to faulty conclusions.
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ Personal <u>ethics</u> comes from a person's likes and dislikes.
- **10.** \_\_\_\_\_\_ Scientific <u>reasoning</u> requires a logical way of thinking.

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Part 1: Scientific Think	ing	
Lesson 3: Scientific Ind	quiry	

### Understanding Main Ideas

Answer the following questions in the spaces provided.

- **1.** What is scientific inquiry?
- 2. What makes a hypothesis testable?

3. Why is it important to control variables in an experiment?

- 4. When you begin an experiment, why should you create a table to record your data?
- 5. How does a scientific law differ from a theory?

#### Building Vocabulary

Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

6. Facts, figures, and other evidence gathered through qualitative and quantitative observations are called

- **7.**A(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_ is a possible answer to a scientific question.
- **8.** In an experiment, the \_\_\_\_\_\_ variable is the factor that may change in response to the manipulated variable.
- **9.** A scientific \_\_\_\_\_\_ is a statement that describes what scientists expect to happen every time under a particular set of conditions.
- **10.** When only one variable is manipulated at a time, a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_ experiment is conducted
- **11.** The scientific \_\_\_\_\_\_ process includes the diverse ways in which scientists study the natural world.
- **12.** A factor that can change in an experiment is called a(n)\_\_\_\_\_

## **Scientific Inquiry**

### I. Write the letter of the correct answer on the line at the left.

- 1. \_\_\_\_ The statement, "All objects in the universe attract each other," is an example of which of the following?
  - A. scientific inquiry
  - B. scientific theory
  - C. scientific law
  - D. controlled experiment
- 2. \_\_\_\_ Which of these is purposely changed during an experiment?
  - A. hypothesis
  - B. dependent variable
  - C. responding variable
  - D. manipulated variable

- **3.** \_\_\_\_ Which of these is NOT an example of a way scientists communicate their results?
  - A. taking out advertisements in the newspapers
  - B. publishing articles in scientific journals
  - C. giving talks at scientific meetings
  - D. exchanging information on the internet
- **4.** \_\_\_\_ Which of these is a tool that can help you interpret data?
  - A. theory
  - B. variable
  - C. hypothesis
  - D. graph

### II. If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true

5.\_\_\_\_\_ Many trials are not needed before a hypothesis can be accepted as true.

- 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_ A conclusion is a summary of what is learned from an experiment.
- 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_ A factor that can change in an experiment is called a <u>variable</u>.
- 8. \_\_\_\_\_ A hypothesis is not the same as a fact.
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ Facts and figures are examples of <u>variables</u>.
- 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_ A well-tested explanation for a wide range of observations and experimental

results is known as a scientific inquiry.

## **Chapter 4: Introduction to Cells**

## Lesson 1: Discovering Cells

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

If the statement is true, write true. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

1	<u>Cells</u> are the basic unit of structure and function in living things.
2	<u>Telescopes</u> are instruments that can magnify very small objects.
3	Cells were first observed by <u>Robert Hooke</u> .
4	<u>Light microscopes use beams of electrons to produce magnified images.</u>
5	<u>Resolution</u> is the condition when objects appear larger than they really are.
6	<u>Magnification is the ability to distinguish details on an object.</u>
7its nosepiece, its tota	If a compound microscope has a 10× lens in its eyepiece and a 20× lens in I magnification is <u>100×</u> .

### **Building Vocabulary**

Write the definition of each of these terms in the spaces provided.

8. cell

9. microscope

10. cell theory

## **Discovering Cells**

#### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

1.	1. A cell's functions can include obtaining food and water and getting rid of		
2.	<ol> <li>Compound microscopes focus light through to produce a magnified image.</li> </ol>		
3.	A large organism is made up of many millions of		
4.	A(n) lens has a center that	is thicker than its edge.	
5.	The living things.	describes how cells are related to	
6.	The ability to distinguish between two nearby objects	is called	

#### Write the letter of the correct answer on the line at the left.

- 7. \_\_\_\_ The scientist who determined that all animals are made out of cells was
  - A. Hooke
  - B. Schleiden
  - C. Schwann
  - D. Virchow
- 9. Which of the following statements is **NOT** part of the cell theory?
  - A. All cells are produced from other cells.
  - B. Cells can absorb food and oxygen.
  - C. All living things are composed of cells.
  - D. Cells are the basic units of structure and function in living things.

- **8.** <u>A compound microscope with a</u> 10× eyepiece and a 40× objective has a magnification of
  - A. 10×
  - B. 40×
  - C. 50×
  - D. 400×
- **10.** The visible field of a microscope is 10 mm wide. How large is an object that takes up  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the field?
  - A. 1 mm
  - B. 2.5 mm
  - C. 4 mm
  - D. 5 mm

## **Chapter 4: Introduction to Cells**

## Lesson 2: Looking Inside Cells

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Identify each of the cell structures in the figure.





Simplified Animal Cell

### **Building Vocabulary**

Write a definition for each of these terms.

- 6. tissue
- 7. chloroplast\_\_\_\_\_
- 8. ribosome
- 9. nucleus
- **10.** mitochondria
- 11. organ
- 12. multicellular

## **Looking Inside Cells**

### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

- 1. The \_\_\_\_\_\_ controls the materials that enter and leave the cell.
- 2. Ribosomes make \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3. The \_\_\_\_\_\_ is a large structure that directs the cell's activities.
- 4. The storage area of a cell is called a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- **5.** A group of organs that work together to perform a major function is called a(n)
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_ are tiny cell structures that carry out specific functions in the cell.

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 7. \_\_\_\_\_ Plant cells have chloroplasts, but animal cells do not.
- 8. \_\_\_\_\_ The cell's nucleus is filled with a substance called protein.
- **9.** \_\_\_\_\_ The specialized cells in a <u>unicellular</u> organism perform specialized jobs.
- 10. \_\_\_\_\_ Ribosomes are made in a special region of the nucleus called the nucleolus.

### **Chapter 4: Introduction to Cells**

### Lesson 3: Chemical Compounds in Cells

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions in the spaces provided.

- **1.** Describe one way that cells use water.
- 2. Explain why living things store energy in lipids instead of in carbohydrates.
- **3.** Name two ways that living things use proteins.

#### Name the elements found in each of these compounds.

- 4. nucleic acid \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 5. lipid \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. protein \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. carbohydrate \_\_\_\_\_

### **Building Vocabulary**

Write a definition for each of these terms.

- 8. element\_\_\_\_\_
- 9. compound\_\_\_\_\_\_

**10**. enzyme

## **Chemical Compounds in Cells**

Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

1	_ carbohydrate	a. inorganic compound
2	_ carbon	<b>b.</b> element found in water
3	_water	c. energy-rich organic compound
4	_ oxygen	d. element that is part of most organic compounds

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 5. \_\_\_\_\_ Sugars and starches are examples of lipids.
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_ Proteins are part of cell membranes and store energy.
- 7. \_\_\_\_\_ A(n) <u>enzyme</u> helps speed a chemical reaction.
- 8. <u>Carbohydrates</u> direct cell functions.
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ Water makes up <u>one-third</u> of the human body.
- **10.** \_\_\_\_\_ Meat, dairy products, fish, nuts, and beans are all foods that are high in protein.

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Fill in the blank to identify the process illustrated in each of the following figures.

100 units



Water moves out of the cells of a saltwater fish and into the ocean.

1. \_\_\_\_\_

of oxygen

Oxygen moves from the lungs into the bloodstream.



Sodium is pumped out of a nerve cell.

3.

#### Answer the following questions.

1. How does active transport differ from passive transport?

2.

2. What makes the cell membrane selectively permeable?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

- 6. \_\_\_\_ osmosis
- 7. \_\_\_\_ exocytosis
- 8. \_\_\_\_ diffusion
- 9. endocytosis

- **a.** the process by which large molecules are engulfed by a cell
- **b.** the process by which molecules tend to move from an area of higher concentration to an area of lower concentration
- **c.** the process by which large molecules are expelled from a cell
- **d.** the process by which water moves across a selectively permeable membrane

## The Cell in Its Environment

### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

1.	<ol> <li>Water diffusing through a semipermeable membrane is called</li> </ol>		
2.	2occurs when a cell engulfs large food particles.		
3.	<b>3.</b> The cell membrane is built of a double layer of		
4.	4. Facilitated diffusion moves large molecules through		
5.	5. The controls the materials t and out of a cell.	hat move into	
6.	6. The use energy to pick up s molecules and carry them across the cell membrane.	pecific	

#### Write the letter that best describes the type of transport on the line at the left.

- 7. \_\_\_\_ Glucose enters a liver cell through a protein channel.
  - A diffusion
  - B facilitated diffusion
  - C osmosis
  - D active transport
- **9.** A nerve cell uses energy to pump sodium out of its cytoplasm into a sodium-rich environment.
  - A diffusion
  - B facilitated diffusion
  - C osmosis
  - D active transport

- 8. \_\_\_\_ Oxygen moves into a contracting heart muscle cell.
  - A diffusion
  - B facilitated diffusion
  - C osmosis
  - D active transport
- **10.** \_\_\_\_ Water moves out of the skin cells of a person swimming in a freshwater pond.
  - A diffusion
  - B facilitated diffusion
  - C osmosis
  - D active transport

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## Chapter 5: Cell processes and energy

### Lesson 1: Photosynthesis

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Fill in the blanks in the photosynthesis equation below with the names of the missing elements or compounds. Then answer the questions .

1		_ + 2	_ + light energy $\rightarrow$
3.	+ 4.		

- 5. What are the raw materials of photosynthesis?
- 6. What are the products of photosynthesis?
- 7. Why is *light energy* written on the left side of the equation?
- 8. Where does photosynthesis generally occur?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

9. The process by which a cell captures the energy of sunlight and uses it to make food is called \_\_.

10	are co	olored chemical	l compounds that	at absorb light.
			-	-

11. The main pigment found in the chloroplasts of plants is \_\_\_\_\_\_.

**12.** An organism that makes its own food is a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_.

- **13.** A(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_ is an organism that cannot make its own food.
- 14. One sugar produced by photosynthesis is \_\_\_\_\_.

## **Photosynthesis**

#### Write the letter of the correct answer on the line at the left.

- 1. \_\_\_\_ Another name for a heterotroph is a
  - A. producer
  - B. raw material
  - C. consumer
  - D. plant

- 2. \_\_\_\_ Which of the following is not true about the products of photosynthesis?
  - A. Some of the sugar is made into other compounds, such as cellulose.
  - B. Some of the sugar is stored in the plant's cells for later use.
  - C. The waste product carbon dioxide is given off through tiny openings on the underside of the leaves.
  - D. The products are used by both plants and animals for energy.
- **3.** \_\_\_\_ Which of the following represents the raw materials of photosynthesis?
  - A. carbon dioxide and oxygen
  - B. carbon dioxide and water
  - C. glucose and oxygen
  - D. water and glucose

- 4. \_\_\_\_ The main characteristic of the first stage of photosynthesis is
  - A. the production of hydrogen and energy
  - B. the production of hydrogen and glucose
  - C. the release of oxygen and carbon dioxide
  - D. the storage of glucose in the plant's cells

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 5. \_\_\_\_\_ <u>Autotrophs</u> are also known as producers.
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_ The ultimate source of energy for all living things is the <u>leaf</u>.
- 7. \_\_\_\_\_ Plants are able to carry out photosynthesis because they

contain the organelle known as a(n) mitochondrion.

- 8. \_\_\_\_\_ One important sugar that results from photosynthesis is <u>cellulose</u>.
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ Light energy is changed to cell energy in <u>Stage 1</u> of photosynthesis.
- 10. \_\_\_\_\_ The green pigment that absorbs light energy is chlorophyll.

### **Chapter 5: Cell processes and energy** Lesson 2: Cellular Respiration

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Fill in the blanks in the table below.

#### **Cellular Respiration**

Raw Materials	Products
Glucose	1.
2.	Water
	3.

#### Answer the following questions in the spaces provided.

- 4. Where in the cell does the first stage of cellular respiration take place?
- 5. Where in the cell does the second stage of cellular respiration take place?
- 6. Which type of fermentation occurs in yeast?
- 7. Which type of fermentation sometimes occurs in human muscle cells?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Answer the following questions.

- 9. Why are cellular respiration and photosynthesis opposite processes?
- 10. In what ways are cellular respiration and fermentation alike? In what ways are they different?

## **Cellular Respiration**

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_ Fermentation is the opposite process of cellular respiration.
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_ Fermentation in yeast produces lactic acid.
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_ In the first stage of respiration, <u>very little</u> energy is released.
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_ Oxygen is a product of cellular respiration.
- 5. \_\_\_\_\_ Glucose is a <u>product</u> of photosynthesis.

#### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

- 6. Pain and weakness in human muscles cells are often the result of the buildup of \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 7. Plant and animal cells release energy from food as a result of the process of

8. The energy-releasing process that does not require oxygen is \_\_\_\_\_\_.

- **9.** \_\_\_\_\_\_ are the powerhouses of the cell because they are the organelles in which the second stage of cellular respiration takes place.

# **Chapter 5: Cell processes and energy**

### Lesson 3: Cell Division

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Fill in the blanks in the table below.

#### Phases of Mitosis

Phase	Event
Prophase	1.
2.	Chromosomes attach to spindle fibers.
Anaphase	3.
4.	New nuclear envelope forms.

#### Answer the following questions.

- 4. Which stage of the cell cycle usually lasts the longest?
- 5. During which stage of the cell cycle does DNA replication occur?
- 6. During which stage of the cell cycle does the cell membrane pinch the cell into two?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

- 8. \_\_\_\_ interphase
- 9. \_\_\_\_ mitosis
- 10. \_\_\_\_ cell cycle
- **11.** \_\_\_\_ cytokinesis
- 12. \_\_\_\_ replication
- **13.** \_\_\_\_ chromosome

- a. regular sequence of growth and division that cells undergo
- **b.** first stage of the cell cycle
- c. process in which DNA is copied
- d. stage of the cell cycle during which the cell's nucleus divides
- e. doubled rod of condensed chromatin
- f. final stage of the cell cycle

## **Cell Division**

### Write the letter of the correct answer on the line at the left.

- 1. \_\_\_\_ The total number of cells in an organism increases as a result of which process?
  - A. respiration
  - B. photosynthesis
  - C. cell division
  - D. fermentation

- **2.** \_\_\_\_ The formation of a cell plate is a characteristic of
  - A. cytokinesis in plant cells
  - B. cytokinesis in animal cells
  - C. both A and B
  - D. neither A nor B
- **3.** \_\_\_\_ Chromatids are held together by a
  - A. spindle fiber
  - B. centromere
  - C. cell plate
  - D. centriole

- 4. \_\_\_\_ The correct order for the parts of mitosis are
  - A. prophase, interphase, metaphase, anaphase
  - B. telophase, anaphase, metaphase, prophase
  - C. interphase, prophase, metaphase, telophase
  - D. prophase, metaphase, anaphase, telophase

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- **5.** \_\_\_\_\_ Cell division allows organisms to grow, repair damaged structures, and produce energy.
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_ Mitosis results in the formation of two daughter cells.
- The process in which the cell makes an exact copy of the DNA in its nucleus is <u>replication</u>.
- Cell growth and production of new organelles and enzymes are characteristics of prophase.
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ It would take <u>five</u> cell divisions for one original cell to produce 128 new cells.
- **10.** \_\_\_\_\_ The two rod-like parts that make up a chromosome are called <u>chromatids</u>.

### **Chapter 6: Genetics: The Science of Heredity** Lesson 1: What is Heredity?

### Understanding Main Ideas

Study the diagram below. Then answer the questions below the diagram.



- 1. What trait in pea plants is being studied in the cross shown above?
- 2. What are the two alleles for this trait?\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Which allele is the dominant allele?
- 4. Which allele is the recessive allele?
- 5. What alleles do the F<sub>1</sub> offspring have?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

- 6.\_\_\_\_genetics
- 7. allele
- 8. trait
- 9. \_\_\_\_ dominant allele
- 10. \_\_\_\_ gene
- **11.** \_\_\_\_ hybrid
- 12. \_\_\_\_ heredity
- **13.** \_\_\_\_ recessive allele

- **a.** the passing of traits from parents to offspring
- b. an organism with two different alleles for a trait
- c. a factor that controls traits
- **d.** a physical characteristics of organisms
- e. an allele whose trait always shows up in the organism
- f. each different form of a gene
- g. the scientific study of heredity
- **h.** an allele whose trait is hidden in the presence of a dominant allele

## What Is Heredity?

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_ The scientific study of heredity is called <u>fertilization</u>.
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_ A <u>hybrid</u> organism is the offspring of many generations that have the same form of a trait.
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_ Capital letters are used to represent <u>recessive</u> alleles.
- **4.** \_\_\_\_\_\_ Mendel called an individual that has one dominant allele and one recessive allele for a trait a <u>purebred</u>.
- 5. \_\_\_\_\_ Mendel said that the factors that control a trait exist in pairs.
- Mendel's experiments showed that the traits of an offspring were not a <u>blend</u> of the characteristics of the parents.

#### Write the letter of the correct answer on the line at the left.

- 7. \_\_\_\_ What Mendel called factors are now called
  - A. heredity
  - B. genes
  - C. purebreds
  - D. traits

- 8. \_\_\_\_ When parent plants are crossed, scientists refer to the first generation of offspring as
  - Α. Ρ
  - B. F<sub>2</sub>
  - C. 1<sup>F</sup>
  - $D. F_1$
- **9.** A seed can be round or wrinkled. Seed shape is
  - A. a trait
  - B. an allele
  - C. a factor
  - D. a gene

- **10.** \_\_\_\_ The alleles for a hybrid tall pea plant are represented as
  - A. *TT*
  - B. Tt
  - C. TS
  - D. tt

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_ Name Chapter 6: Genetics: The Science of Heredity

### Lesson 2: Probability and Heredity

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Complete the Punnett squares. Then answer the questions that follow.



- 3. Punnett Square A shows a cross between two black guinea pigs. What is the probability that an offspring will be black? White?
- 4. What color are the parents shown in Punnett Square B?
- 5. Which guinea pig parent(s) in Punnett Square B is homozygous? Which is heterozygous?
- 6. What is the probability that an offspring will be black in the cross shown in Punnett Square B? What is the probability that an offspring will be white?

#### **Building Vocabulary**

Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

- 7. <u>heterozygous</u>
- 8. \_\_\_\_ genotype
- **9.** probability
- 10. \_\_\_\_ homozygous
- 11. \_\_\_\_ phenotype

- a. a number describing how likely an event is
- **b.** an organism that has two identical alleles for a trait
- c. an organism's physical appearance
- d. an organism's genetic makeup, or allele combinations
- e. an organism that has two different alleles for a trait

## **Probability and Heredity**

#### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

1.	The physical	l appearance of ar	n organism is its	
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- 2. A number that describes how likely it is that an event will occur is the \_\_\_\_\_\_ of the event.
- 3. An organism that is \_\_\_\_\_\_ has two identical alleles for a trait.
- **4.** A Punnett square shows the combination of \_\_\_\_\_\_ that parents can pass on to offspring.
- 5. The genetic makeup of an organism is its \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6. An organism that is \_\_\_\_\_ has two different alleles for a trait.

#### Write the letter of the correct answer on the line at the left.

- 7. \_\_\_\_ Which of these genotypes is heterozygous?
  - A. AA
  - B. *Bb*
  - C. Cd
  - D. ee
- **9.** In a cross between individuals that are *Aa* × *Aa*, how many boxes of the Punnett square will show an offspring that is *AA*?
  - A. 1
  - B. 2
  - C. 3
  - D. 4
- 8. \_\_\_\_ Which of these is **NOT** a phenotype?
  - A. tall
  - B. short
  - C. homozygous
  - D. round
- 10. \_\_\_\_ Which of these is **NOT** a way to express probability?
  - A. 1 in 4
  - B. 50 percent
  - C.  $\frac{3}{4}$
  - D. 25

## Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter 6: Genetics: The Science of Heredity Lesson 3: Patterns of Inheritance

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions.

- 1. Andalusian chickens show incomplete dominance for feather color. A cross between a white bird and a black bird produces offspring that have blue feathers. A cross between two F1 blue chickens produces mostly blue chickens, but also some white chickens and some black chickens. Are the blue chickens purebred? Explain.
- **2.** One pair of alleles controls eye color in fruit flies. More than ten different eye colors are possible, ranging from bright red to apricot to tan to white. What kind of inheritance is this? How do you know?
- **3.** Give an example of how the environment can influence the way genes are expressed in a plant.

### **Building Vocabulary**

Write a definition for each of these terms on the lines below.

#### **4.** codominance

5. incomplete dominance

#### 6. polygenic inheritance

## **Patterns of Inheritance**

### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

- **1.** A cow with a mix of red hairs and white hairs has the genotype  $H^R H^W$ . This is an example of
- 2. Having pierced ears is an example of a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_ trait.
- **3.** Four alleles determine if a rabbit is white, brown, or gray. This is an example of
- **4.** The pattern of inheritance in which more than one pair of genes affects a trait is
- If a plant with red flowers crossed with a plant with white flowers produces a plant with pink flowers, it is an example of \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 6. Only changes in \_\_\_\_\_ cells can be passed to offspring.

### Write the letter of the correct answer on the line at the left.

- 7. \_\_\_\_ Height in humans is an example of
  - A. incomplete dominance
  - B. codominance
  - C. polygenic inheritance
  - D. multiple alleles
- **9.** \_\_\_\_ The pattern of inheritance in which there are three or more possible alleles for a trait is A. incomplete dominance
  - B. codominance
  - C. polygenic inheritance
  - D. multiple alleles
- 8. \_\_\_\_ The pattern of inheritance in which one allele is only partially dominant is
  - A. incomplete dominance
  - B. codominance
  - C. polygenic inheritance
  - D. multiple alleles
- 10. \_\_\_\_ The pattern of inheritance in which both genes are expressed equally is
  - A. incomplete dominance
  - B. codominance
  - C. polygenic inheritance
  - D. multiple alleles

## **Ch: 6 L: 4 Chromosomes and Inheritance**

### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

1. Walter Sutton investigated the number of \_\_\_\_\_\_ in grasshoppers.

2. The process that produces sex cells is \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Each chromosome contains two identical \_\_\_\_\_\_.

4. In the \_\_\_\_\_\_ division of meiosis, chromosome pairs line up and then separate.

5. In the \_\_\_\_\_\_ division of meiosis, chromosomes split.

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- **6.** \_\_\_\_\_ Body cells of humans have <u>46</u> pairs of chromosomes.
- 7. \_\_\_\_\_ Sex cells have twice the number of chromosomes as body cells.
- 8. \_\_\_\_\_ Genes pass from parents to offspring on <u>chromosomes</u>.
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ The two chromosomes in a pair have the same genes lined up in <u>the same</u> order.
- **10.** \_\_\_\_\_ A fertilized egg has <u>twice the</u> number of chromosomes as the body cells of the parent.

## **Chromosomes and Inheritance**

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Complete the table below by filling in the spaces with the correct stage of meiosis—*Beginning, First Division, Second Division, or End.* Then answer the question below the table in the space provided.

	Event	Stage of Meiosis
1.	The double-stranded chromosomes move to the center of the cell. The centromeres separate.	
2.	Two cells form, each with half the number of chromosomes. Each chromosome still has two chromatids.	
3.	Four sex cells form with half the number of chromosomes as the body cells.	
4.	The chromosomes are copied.	

5. What is the chromosome theory of inheritance?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Write a definition for the term shown below.

### 6. Meiosis

## **Ch:7 L: 1 The Genetic Code**

### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

- 1. The sides of a DNA molecule are made up of sugar molecules alternating with \_\_\_\_\_ molecules.
- 2. Chromosomes are made up mostly of \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- **3.** In DNA, adenine always pairs with \_\_\_\_\_.
- Each \_\_\_\_\_\_ on a chromosome contains the information to code for one specific protein.
- 5. Each group of three DNA bases on a gene codes for a single\_\_\_\_\_

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 6. \_\_\_\_\_ Each gene is located at a specific place on a(n) protein.
- 7. \_\_\_\_\_ DNA synthesis is the process by which DNA copies itself.
- 8. \_\_\_\_\_ The process of DNA copying itself begins when the two sides of

the DNA molecule unwind and separate.

- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ The genetic code is determined by the <u>sizes</u> of the nitrogen bases.
- **10.** \_\_\_\_\_\_ Nitrogen bases are <u>molecules</u> that contain nitrogen and other elements.

## **The Genetic Code**

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions in the spaces provided.

- 1. What is the full name of DNA?
- 2. What molecules make up the sides of a DNA molecule?
- 3. What are the pairs of nitrogen bases in DNA?
- 4. How are DNA, genes, and chromosomes related?
- 5. Why is DNA replication important?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Write a definition for each of these terms on the lines below.

6. Nitrogen base

#### 7. DNA replication

## L:2 How Cells Make Proteins

### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

1. The process of making proteins is called protein \_\_\_\_\_\_.

2. Proteins are made of smaller molecules called \_\_\_\_\_

**3.** In RNA, adenine pairs with \_\_\_\_\_.

4. The sides of RNA and DNA molecules are made up of different \_\_\_\_\_\_.

5. The genetic code in DNA is copied and carried to the ribosomes by

If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

6. \_\_\_\_\_\_ After an amino acid is added to a protein, the <u>transfer</u> RNA picks up another

amino acid.

- 7. \_\_\_\_\_ RNA is a(n) <u>double</u> strand.
- 8. \_\_\_\_\_ Changes to the type or <u>order</u> of amino acids can result in a different protein.
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ Amino acids are carried to a ribosome by messenger RNA.
- 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_ A transfer RNA with the bases CGA will line up with a section of messenger

RNA with the bases CGU.

## **How Cells Make Proteins**

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions in the spaces provided.

**1.** Why are there so many different kinds of proteins when there are only 20 different amino acids?

**2.** How are DNA and RNA different?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Write a definition for each of these terms on the lines below.

3. Messenger RNA

4. Transfer RNA

## L: 3 Mutations

### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

- 1. The use of drugs to treat disease is called \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 2. A mutation can be passed to offspring only if it takes place in a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_ cell.
- **3.** A mutation is any change in the \_\_\_\_\_\_ of a gene or chromosome.
- 4. Cancer is treated with surgery, \_\_\_\_\_\_, and drugs that destroy the cancer cells.
- 5. A mutation can occur if a base pair is \_\_\_\_\_\_, deleted, or substituted for another.

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 6. \_\_\_\_\_ Mutations are <u>sometimes</u> helpful to the organism.
- 7. \_\_\_\_\_ Cancer is a disease in which cells divide slowly.
- If chromosomes do not <u>separate</u> correctly during the formation of sex cells, the organism that forms can end up with too many or too few chromosomes.
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ Cancer causes the growth of <u>tumors</u>.
- 10. \_\_\_\_\_ Scientists think that cancer begins when something damages a

cell's proteins.

## **Mutations**

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Fill in the blanks to complete the concept map below.



#### Answer the following questions.

6. How do mutations lead to cancer?

7. What are two ways the risk of some types of cancer can be reduced?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Write a definition for each of these terms.

- 8. cancer\_\_\_\_\_
- 9. mutation\_\_\_\_\_
- **10.** tumor\_\_\_\_\_
- 11. chemotherapy\_\_\_\_\_

## L: 4 Human Inheritance

If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_ The body cells of humans contain <u>46</u> pairs of chromosomes.
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_ A widow's peak is a trait controlled by many genes.
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_ In the case of sex-linked traits, only <u>females</u> can be carriers.
- **4.** \_\_\_\_\_ In <u>females</u>, a recessive allele on the X chromosome often has no matching allele on the Y chromosome.
- 5. <u>The only</u> thing determined by the genes carried on a sex chromosome is a person's gender.
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_ Colorblindness is a trait controlled by a <u>dominant</u> allele on the X chromosome.

- 7. The sex chromosome carried by a human egg will always be a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_ chromosome.
- 8. A person who has one recessive and one dominant allele for a trait is called a(n)
- 9. The only pair of human chromosomes that do not always match are the

## Human Inheritance

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Complete Punnett square **A** to show inheritance of dimples, a trait controlled by a dominant allele. Complete Punnett square **B** to show inheritance of colorblindness, a trait controlled by a recessive sex-linked allele. Then answer the questions that follow on a separate sheet of paper. (Note: the father's alleles are written across the top of each Punnett square. The mother's alleles are written on the left side.)



- 1. Does either the mother or the father in A have dimples?
- 2. What percentage of children are likely to have dimples?\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Is either the mother or father in B colorblind?
- 4. What percentage of female children is likely to be colorblind?
- 5. What percentage of male children is likely to be colorblind?

### **Building Vocabulary**

- 6. A person who has one recessive allele for a trait and one dominant allele is called a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- One of the 23 pairs of chromosomes in each body cell that carry genes that determine a person's gender are called \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 8. Genes found on the X and Y chromosomes are often called \_\_\_\_\_\_.

## L: 5 Advances in Genetics

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_ In the process of <u>cloning</u>, breeders cross two genetically different individuals.
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_ Crossing two individuals that have similar desirable characteristics is called genetic engineering.
- **3.** \_\_\_\_\_ In <u>selective breeding</u>, organisms with desired traits are chosen to be parents of the next generation.
- **4.** \_\_\_\_\_ The process by which genes from one organism are transferred into the DNA of another organism is called inbreeding.
- **5.** \_\_\_\_\_ Through <u>gene therapy</u>, a genetic disorder may be corrected by inserting copies of a gene directly into a person's cells.
- 6. <u>Hybridization</u> results in an organism that has exactly the same genes as the organism from which it was produced.

- 7. Small rings of DNA called \_\_\_\_\_\_ are found in some bacterial cells.
- Some people are concerned that \_\_\_\_\_\_ of crops may cause harm to the environment or health problems in humans.
- 9. By using a stem cutting from an African violet, it is easy to produce a new plant, which is a(n) \_\_\_\_.
- **10.** A hybrid organism has two different \_\_\_\_\_\_ for a trait.

## **Advances in Genetics**

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper.

1. What are two types of selective breeding?

#### 2. What is cloning?

3. How are bacteria used in genetic engineering?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

- 5. \_\_\_\_ inbreeding
- 6. \_\_\_\_ clone
- 7. \_\_\_\_ gene therapy
- 8. \_\_\_\_ selective breeding
- 9. \_\_\_\_ hybridization
- **10.** \_\_\_\_\_ genetic engineering

- **a.** the process of selecting organisms with desired traits to be parents of the next generation
- **b.** crossing two individuals that have similar desirable characteristics
- c. crossing two genetically different individuals
- **d.** organism that has exactly the same genes as the organism from which it was produced
- e. process by which genes from one organism are transferred into the DNA of another organism
- **f.** process of inserting copies of a gene directly into the cells of a person with a genetic disorder

## Ch: 8 L:1 Body Organization

### Write the letter of the correct answer on the line at the left.

- 1. \_\_\_\_ The control center of a cell is the
  - A. cytoplasm
  - B. cell membrane
  - C. nucleus
  - D. chromosome
- 3. \_\_\_\_ Which of the following is not true about connective tissue?
  - A. It provides support for the body.
  - B. It connects all of the body's parts.
  - C. Bone tissue and fat tissue are examples of connective tissue.
  - D. It makes parts of the body move.
- 2. \_\_\_\_ Skin, ears, and kidneys are examples of
  - A. organs
  - B. tissues
  - C. organ systems
  - D. cells
- 4. \_\_\_\_ A tissue that has the ability to contract is
  - A. nerve tissue
  - B. epithelial tissue
  - C. muscle tissue
  - D. connective tissue

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 5. \_\_\_\_\_ The skin is made up of <u>nervous</u> tissue.
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_ The <u>endocrine</u> system removes waste products from the body.
- 7. \_\_\_\_\_ The least complex level of organization of the human body in a(n) <u>cell</u>.
- 8. \_\_\_\_\_ A group of similar cells performing the same function is a(n) <u>organ</u>.
- **9.** Each organ in the body is part of a(n) <u>organ system</u> performing a major function.
- **10.** \_\_\_\_\_ As one moves from tissues to organs, the levels become <u>less</u> complex.

## **Body Organization**

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

The illustration below shows the levels of organization in a reptile. The levels are numbered 1–4, with 4 being the highest level and 1 being the lowest level. Match the items below the illustration with the number that represents the lowest appropriate level of organization in the illustration.



- 1. tissue
- 2. an object consisting of several different tissues \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. the smallest unit of the body \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. group of organs that operate as a system \_\_\_\_\_

### **Building Vocabulary**

- **5.** The \_\_\_\_\_\_ is the structure in a cell that contains information that controls a cell's function.
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_tissue makes up organs that are able to contract, or shorten.
- 7. The inside of the digestive system is lined with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_tissue.
- 8. A(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_ is the basic unit of structure and function in a living thing.
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_\_tissue makes up the organs that send messages to control the body.
- **10.** \_\_\_\_\_\_tissue provides support for the body and connects all its parts.

## L: 2 System Interactions

#### Write the letter of the correct answer on the line at the left.

- 1. \_\_\_\_ The two systems that control body functions are the
  - A. digestive and circulatory systems
  - B. excretory and nervous systems
  - C. nervous and endocrine systems
  - D. endocrine and respiratory systems
- 3. \_\_\_\_ The gas cells need in order to release energy from sugar molecules is
  - A. carbon dioxide
  - B. water vapor
  - C. nitrogen
  - D. oxygen
- 2. \_\_\_\_ Which of the following is not a stimulus?
  - A. hearing a loud noise
  - B. sneezing
  - C. touching a hot object
  - D. tasting a lemon
- 4. \_\_\_\_ The muscles attached to bones that provide the force to move the bones are
  - A. striated muscles
  - B. skeletal muscles
  - C. smooth muscles
  - D. connective muscles

#### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

- 5. The circulatory system works with the \_\_\_\_\_\_ system to get nutrients to all body cells.
- 6. Chemical substances produced by glands that affect many body processes are called \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_ is the process by which nutrients move from the digestive system into the bloodstream.
- 8. Chemical substances needed by body cells that result from the process of digestion are

called \_\_\_\_\_.

**9.** Another name for the circulatory system is the \_\_\_\_\_\_ system.

**10.** The elbow and shoulder are examples of \_\_\_\_\_\_.

### **System Interactions**

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions in the spaces provided. Use a separate sheet of paper if you need more room.

- 1. How do muscles move bones?
- 2. What is a joint? What are three examples of joints?
- **3.** How do the respiratory, circulatory, digestive, and nervous systems work together to get essential materials to the cells of the body?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

- 4.\_\_\_\_ skeleton
  - · · · · ·
- 5. \_\_\_\_ absorption
- 6. \_\_\_\_ stimulus
- 7. \_\_\_\_ joint
- 8. \_\_\_\_ gland
- 9. \_\_\_\_ nutrient
- 10. \_\_\_\_ hormone
- 11. \_\_\_\_ responds

- **a.** the place where two bones meet
- **b.** chemical produced by glands of the endocrine system
- c. the body's reaction to a signal in the environment
- **d.** all the bones in the body
- e. substance gotten from food that is needed by body cells
- f. signal in the environment that causes the body to react
- **g.** endocrine system structure that produces chemicals that affect body processes
- h. process by which nutrients move into the blood stream

### L:3 Homeostasis

#### Write the letter of the correct answer on the line at the left.

- 1. \_\_\_\_ The condition in which the body's internal environment is kept stable is called
  - A. homeopathy
  - B. homeostasis
  - C. metabolism
  - D. equilibrium
- 3. \_\_\_\_ What is the body's response to the stimulus of getting overheated?
  - A. sweating and thirst
  - B. shivering and hunger
  - C. sweating and shivering
  - D. shivering and thirst
- 2. \_\_\_\_ Which of the following is NOT a good way to manage stress?
  - A. Get enough sleep.
  - B. Eat a healthful diet.
  - C. Spend most of the time alone.
  - D. Get plenty of exercise.
- 4. \_\_\_\_ Which of the following statements about homeostasis is NOT true?
  - A. Maintaining homeostasis requires that all of the body systems work together.
  - B. Long periods of stress can disrupt homeostasis.
  - C. Body temperature is a factor of homeostasis.
  - D. Only the nervous and endocrine systems are involved in maintaining homeostasis.

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 5. \_\_\_\_\_ The nose helps the body keep its balance.
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_ The <u>endocrine</u> system includes specialized cells that help fight bacteria and viruses.
- 7. \_\_\_\_\_ High levels and long periods of stress can <u>increase</u> a person's risk for many diseases.
- 8. \_\_\_\_\_<u>Thirst</u> is the body's response to the need for energy.
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ Regardless of external conditions or activities, the body's internal temperature is almost exactly <u>37°C</u>.
- **10.** \_\_\_\_\_ The <u>condensation</u> of sweat from body surfaces cools the body.

### Homeostasis

#### Answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper.

- **1.** Explain the following statement. "The cell membrane is the part of the cell that makes homeostasis possible."
- 2. Why is some stress normal and healthy?
- 4. What four conditions in the body are related to maintaining homeostasis?

**Building Vocabulary** Write a definition for each of these terms on the lines below.

6. homeostasis

7. stress

## L: 4 The Skeletal System

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_Your <u>skeleton</u> enables you to move.
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_<u>Muscles</u> give your body shape and support.
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_ Without joints, bones would not be able to move in different ways..
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_ Bones are made up of <u>bone tissue</u>, <u>blood vessels</u>, <u>and nerves</u>.
- 5. <u>Cartilage</u> is responsible for producing most of your blood cells and for storing fat.

- 6. One important function of bones is to produce \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. Twenty-six small bones make up the \_\_\_\_\_.
- 8. A(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_ is a place where two bones come together.
- 9. The bones in movable joints are held together by strong connective tissue called \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- **10.** \_\_\_\_\_\_ is a condition in which bones become weak and break easily because they have lost some minerals.

### **The Skeletal System**

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper.

- **1.** Name the five functions of the skeleton.
- 2. What can people do to help keep their bones healthy and strong?
- **3.** What do movable joints enable to the body to do? What are the four types of movable joints?
- **4.** What are three characteristics that show that bones are living structures?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

- 5. \_\_\_\_ skeleton
- 6. \_\_\_\_ vertebrae
- 7. \_\_\_\_ joint
- 8. \_\_\_\_ ligaments
- 9. \_\_\_\_ compact bone
- **10.** spongy bone
- 11. \_\_\_\_ marrow
- 12. \_\_\_\_ cartilage
- 13. \_\_\_\_ osteoporosis

- a. a thick layer of hard, dense material that contains minerals
- **b.** a place where two bones come together
- c. a condition in which bones become weak and break easily
- d. the 26 bones that make up the backbone
- e. soft connective tissue that produces blood cells or stores fat
- f. the framework of all of the bones in the body
- g. strong connective tissue that holds movable joints together
- h. a strong connective tissue that is more flexible than bone
- i. a layer of bone with small spaces within it

## L: 5 The Muscular System

### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_ muscles allow you to move parts of your body in different ways when you want to.
- 2. Your body has skeletal, \_\_\_\_\_, and cardiac muscle tissue.
- A strong connective tissue called a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_ attaches skeletal muscles to a bone.
- A(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_ occurs when muscles are overworked or overstretched.
- 5. Regular \_\_\_\_\_\_ is important for maintaining the strength and flexibility of muscles.

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 6. <u>Voluntary</u> muscles perform essential activities in your body, such as keeping your heart beating and moving food through your digestive system.
- 7. \_\_\_\_\_ Skeletal muscle and cardiac muscle are sometimes referred to as <u>smooth</u> muscle, because of their banded appearance.
- 8. \_\_\_\_\_ Skeletal muscles work in pairs.
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ The tissue called <u>cardiac</u> muscle is found only in the heart.
- 10. \_\_\_\_\_ Both smooth muscle and cardiac muscle are voluntary.

### **The Muscular System**

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions in the spaces provided.

- 1. Which types of muscle tissue are voluntary, and which are involuntary?
- 2. Which muscles react quickly, and which tire quickly?
- 3. Why do skeletal muscles have to work in pairs?
- 4. How can you keep your muscles healthy?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

- 5. \_\_\_\_ involuntary muscles a. muscles that control movements inside your body
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_voluntary muscles b. muscles that provide force to move your bones
- 7. \_\_\_\_ skeletal muscles

8. \_\_\_\_\_tendon

- **c.** tissue in the heart
- d. strong connective tissue that attaches muscle to bone
- 9. \_\_\_\_ smooth muscle
- **10.** \_\_\_\_ cardiac muscle
  - f. muscles that appear banded

e. muscles that you cannot control

11. \_\_\_\_ striated muscle g. muscles under your conscious control

## L:6 The Skin

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_ Skin helps eliminate wastes and produce vitamin D.
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_ The <u>dermis</u> is the outer layer of the skin, which helps protect your skin.
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_ Together an outer layer and an inner layer perform <u>all</u> the skin's functions.
- **4.** \_\_\_\_\_ The <u>epidermis</u> is the inner layer of the skin, which includes nerves, blood vessels, sweat glands, hairs, and oil glands.
- 5. \_\_\_\_\_ Having healthy skin involves <u>diet</u>, cleanliness, and limiting time in the sun.

- 6. Skin helps the body maintain a steady \_\_\_\_\_\_ through perspiration and the enlarging of blood vessels.
- **7.** \_\_\_\_\_\_ in the skin gather information from the environment about pressure, temperature, and pain.
- 8. Some cells deep in the epidermis produce \_\_\_\_\_\_, a pigment that colors the skin.
- **9.** Eating a balanced diet provides the energy and raw materials needed for the growth and replacement of \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- **10.** \_\_\_\_\_ produced in glands around the follicles keeps the surface of the skin moist and the hairs flexible.

### The Skin

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions in the spaces provided.

**1.** List the functions of the skin.

2. How do the dead cells of the epidermis help the body?

3. What structures does the dermis contain?

4. How can you help to keep your skin healthy?

#### **Building Vocabulary**

Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

- 5. \_\_\_\_ epidermis
- 6. \_\_\_\_ melanin
- 7. \_\_\_\_ dermis
- 8. \_\_\_\_ pores
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_follicles
- 10. \_\_\_\_ cancer

- a. the inner layer of the skin
- **b.** openings that allow sweat to reach the surface of the skin
  - c. a pigment that colors the skin
  - d. a disease in which some cells divide uncontrollably
  - e. the outer layer of the skin
  - f. a structure out of which strands of hair grow

## Ch:9 L: 1 The Nervous System

## If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

1 \_\_\_\_\_\_ The <u>nervous system</u> receives information about what is happening both inside and outside your body.

- 2. \_\_\_\_\_The nervous system helps maintain blood pressure.
- **3.**\_\_\_\_\_A(n) <u>motor neuron</u> picks up a stimulus and converts it into a nerve impulse.
- **4.**\_\_\_\_\_A(n) <u>sensory neuron</u> sends an impulse to a muscle or gland, enabling it to respond.
- 5. \_\_\_\_\_At the axon tips, electrical signals change to a(n) chemical form, allowing the

message to cross the gap in the synapse

- 6. A(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_is any change or signal in the environment that an organism can recognize and react to.
- 7. Cells that carry information through your nervous system are called nerve cells, or\_\_\_\_\_
- 8. An interneuron carries a nerve impulse to a motor neuron or to\_\_\_\_\_
- 9. A(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is the place where a neuron transfers an impulse to another structure.
- 10. The message that a neuron carries is called a(n)\_\_\_\_\_

### **The Nervous System**

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions in the spaces provided.

1. What are three main functions of the nervous system? Give an example of each.

2. What are the three kinds of neurons? How do they work together to produce a response to an environmental stimulus?

3. How does a message travel across the gap at a synapse?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

- 4 \_\_stimulus a. cells that carry information through your nervous system
  - b. the message that a neuron carries
- 6. neurons c. a bundle of nerve fibers
- 7. nerve impulse

5.\_\_ response

11. synapse

- d. a branchlike structure that picks up nerve impulses
- 8 \_\_ dendritee. any change or signal in the environment that an organism can recognize and9 \_\_ axonreact to
- 10. nerve f. the long structure leading away from the cell body of a neuron
  - g. the place where a neuron transfers an impulse to another structure
    - h. a reaction to a stimulus

## L: 2 The Endocrine System

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_ The <u>nervous</u> system regulates short-term and long-term activities by sending chemicals throughout the body.
- <u>Hormones</u> turn on, turn off, speed up, or slow down the activities of organs and tissues.
- **3.** \_\_\_\_\_ The chemical product of an endocrine gland is called a(n) gland.
- **4.** \_\_\_\_\_ The nervous system and the endocrine system are linked by a part of the brain called the <u>pituitary</u> gland.
- **5.** \_\_\_\_\_ When the amount of a hormone in the blood reaches a certain level, the endocrine system sends signals that <u>stop</u> the release of that hormone.

### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

- 6. The endocrine glands produce and release \_\_\_\_\_\_ directly into the bloodstream.
- Long-term changes controlled by the endocrine system include \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   and development.
- cells are cells that are specialized in a way that enables them to recognize the hormone's chemical structure.
- 9. The \_\_\_\_\_\_ works with the hypothalamus to control many body activities.

**10.** \_\_\_\_\_\_ levels are controlled by a process called negative feedback.

## **The Endocrine System**

### Understanding Main Ideas

Answer the following questions.

1. What is the function of the endocrine system?

2. What are the endocrine system's messengers and how are they carried through the body?

3. What are the two ways the hypothalamus sends messages to the pituitary gland?

4. What is the general function of the pituitary gland?

5. How does a negative feedback system work to regulate the amount of thyroxine in the blood?

Building Vocabulary	
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Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

6	_ endocrine glands	a.	the chemical product of an endocrine gland
7	_ hormone	b.	an endocrine gland that works with the hypothalamus to control many body activities
8	_ target cells	c.	a part of the brain that links the nervous system and the endocrine system
9	_ hypothalamus	d.	organs that produce and release chemicals directly into the bloodstream
10	_ pituitary gland	e.	cells that are specialized in a way that enables them to recognize the hormone's chemical structure
11	_ negative feedback	f.	a process in which the endocrine system is turned off by the condition it produces

# L:3 The Male and Female Reproductive Systems

#### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

- 1. The joining of an egg cell and a sperm cell is a process called \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 2. The structures of the \_\_\_\_\_\_ include the testes, scrotum, and penis.
- **3.** The mixture of sperm cells and fluids is called \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 5. During the menstrual cycle, the lining of the uterus thickens in preparation for
  - a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_.

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

- **6.** \_\_\_\_\_ The male reproductive system is specialized to produce sperm cells and the hormone <u>estrogen</u>.
- Sexual reproduction involves the production of eggs by the female and sperm by the male.
- **8.** \_\_\_\_\_ The organs of the <u>female</u> reproductive system include the ovaries, Fallopian tubes, uterus, and vagina.
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ During the menstrual cycle, an egg develops in the <u>uterus</u>.
- **10.** \_\_\_\_\_\_ An egg develops and is released <u>about once a month</u> in a mature woman.

### The Male and Female Reproductive Systems

#### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper.

- **1.** What is the function of the male reproductive system?
- 2. What is the function of the female reproductive system?
- 3. What happens during the menstrual cycle?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

sperm
 zygote

6. \_\_\_\_ testes

8. \_\_\_\_ penis

7. \_\_\_\_ scrotum

9. \_\_\_\_ estrogen

**10.** Fallopian tube

- a. male sex cell
- **b.** organs in which sperm are produced
- c. fertilized egg
- d. triggers development of female sex characteristics
- e. hollow muscular organ in which developing baby grows
- f. organ through which semen leaves the male body
- g. a pouch of skin containing the testes
- h. muscular passageway leading to the outside of the female body
- i. a passageway for an egg from the ovary to the uterus

**12.** \_\_\_\_\_ vagina

11. \_\_\_\_ uterus

### Part 2: Using Mathematics in Science Lesson 1: Measurement—A Common Language

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions in the space provided.

1. Why do scientists use a standard measurement system?

- 2. What are the basic SI units of measure for length, mass, volume, density, time, and temperature?
- 3. What are the common tools scientists use to measure length and mass?
- 4. Explain why the weight of an object is different on Earth and the moon even though the object's mass is the same in both places.
- 5. What formula do you use to determine the volume of a rectangular solid?
- 6. Why is an object's density expressed as a relationship between two units?
- 7. What are two scales scientists use to measure temperature, and what is the official SI unit for temperature?

### **Building Vocabulary**

Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

- 8. Modern scientists use a system of measurement called the International System of Units, abbreviated as
- 9. The measure of the force of gravity acting on an object is called \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- system is a system of measurement based on the number 10 and developed by 10. The scientists in the 1790s.

**11.** The amount of space an object takes up is its

- **12.** is the measure of how much mass is contained in a given volume.
- 13. When you measure liquid volume, you measure at the bottom of the \_\_\_\_\_\_, the curve along the top of the liquid's surface.
- 14. \_\_\_\_\_ is a measure of the amount of matter in an object.

### Lesson 1: Measurement—A Common Language

### If the statement is true, write *true*. If the statement is false, change the underlined word or words to make the statement true.

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_ Weight is a measure of how much mass is contained in a given volume.

- 2. \_\_\_\_\_ On the <u>Kelvin</u> scale, water freezes at 0°C and boils at 100°C.
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_ An object will float if it is less dense than the surrounding liquid.
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_ The <u>balance</u> is the tool used to measure mass.
- 5. \_\_\_\_\_ The basic unit for measuring <u>volume</u> is the kilogram.
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_ An object's temperature is the amount of space it takes up.

#### Write the letter of the correct answer on the line at the left.

- 7. \_\_\_\_ What would you be most likely to measure by immersing an object in water and seeing how much the water level rises?
  - A. the mass of a rectangular solid
  - B. the volume of a rectangular solid
  - C. the mass of an irregular solid
  - D. the volume of an irregular solid
- 9. \_\_\_\_ Which is a common unit of density?
  - A.g
  - B. g/mL
  - C. cm<sup>3</sup>
  - D. g/s

8. \_\_\_\_ Which of these is NOT an official SI unit of measure?

- A. Kelvin
- B. degree Celsius
- C. second
- D. liter
- **10.** On what number is the metric system based?
  - A. 0
  - B. 1
  - C. 10
  - D. 100

### Part 2: Using Mathematics in Science Lesson 2: Mathematics and Science

### **Understanding Main Ideas**

Answer the following questions.

3. When do scientists rely on estimates?

4. Why are both accuracy and precision important in making a measurement?

5. What do the significant figures in a measurement include?

6. What is percent error calculation used to determine?

#### **Building Vocabulary**

Match each term with its definition by writing the letter of the correct definition in the right column on the line beside the term in the left column.

- 5. \_\_\_\_ estimate
- 6. \_\_\_\_ accuracy
- 7. \_\_\_\_ precision
- 8. \_\_\_\_ significant figures
- 9. \_\_\_\_ percent error
- 10. \_\_\_\_ mean
- 11. \_\_\_\_ median
- 12. \_\_\_\_ mode
- 13. \_\_\_\_ range
- 14. \_\_\_\_ anomalous data

- a. how close a group of measurements are to each other
- **b.** the number that appears most often in a list of numbers
- c. the digits in a measurement include all digits measured exactly, plus one estimated digit
- d. the numerical average of a set of data
- e. how close a measurement is to the true or accepted value
- f. an approximation of a number based on reasonable assumptions
- g. a calculation used to determine how accurate an experimental value is
- h. the middle number in a set of data
- data that do not fit with the rest of a data set i. –
- the difference between the greatest value and the j. least value in a data set

## **Mathematics and Science**

### Write the letter of the correct answer on the line at the left.

- 1. \_\_\_\_ A low percent error indicates that the result you obtained is
  - A. accurate
  - B. inaccurate
  - C. an estimate
  - D. anomalous data
- **3.** \_\_\_\_ Which term refers to how close a group of measurements are to each other?
  - A. estimate
  - B. percent error
  - C. accuracy
  - D. precision

- 2. \_\_\_\_ Which of the following is the middle number in a set of data?
  - A. mean
  - B. median
  - C. mode
  - D. range
- 4. \_\_\_\_ If you add up the values in a data set and then divide the sum by the total number of values, the result will be the
  - A. mean
  - B. median
  - C. mode
  - D. range

#### Fill in the blank to complete each statement.

5. Scientists often rely on a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_ when they cannot obtain an exact number.

6. When you \_\_\_\_\_\_ measurements, the answer should only have the same number of significant

figures as the measurement with the fewest significant figures.

- 7. A reliable measurement is \_\_\_\_\_ both and precise.
- Calculating percent error and checking the reasonableness of data are two of the math tools scientists use to analyze \_\_\_\_\_\_.

9. \_\_\_\_\_ data are data that do not fit with the rest of a data set.

10. The significant figures in a measurement include all digits measured exactly, plus one

\_\_\_\_\_ digit.