Scientific theory

- Designing an experiment (good to use visuals/ pictures)
- Controls
- Independent vs. dependent variables
- Summary of procedure
- Data table / graph

Organic Compounds

- 4 different groups of organic compounds
- Examples of compounds
- How would you encounter these compounds in your everyday life?/ Why are these compounds important to you and/or your classmates?
- The location of the compounds inside/ on the cell



Cell Structure / Function

- Animal vs. plant cell
- Photosynthesis and Respiration
- Eukaryotes vs Prokaryotes
- Important organelles of the mammalian cell and their function



Plant Cell:



Cell Structure / Function

- Transport across the cell membrane
- Movement of water



Mitosis and Meiosis

- Mitosis:
 - What happens during the process?
 - The final outcome of this process
 - The purpose of the process?
 - Cancer
- Meiosis:
 - What happens during the process?
 - The final outcome of this process
 - The purpose of the process?



Transcription and translation

- The "central dogma" DNA ---- RNA ---- Protein
- What happens during these two processes?
- Where do these two processes occur in the cell?
- The benefits of these two processes—Why must these processes occur?



Genetics and Bioengineering

- Monohybrid cross (vocabulary: hybrid, heterozygous, pure, homozygous, carrier)
- Genotype vs. phenotype
- Sex linked traits
- Incomplete dominance
- Co-dominance
 - Blood type: AO, BO, <u>AB</u>, OO, AA, BB



Evolution

Concepts to cover when developing your questions:

- Homologous structures
- Vestigial structures
- Common Ancestry
- Theory of Evolution
- Natural Selection Process
- Why evolution matters now (bacterial evolution)