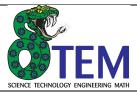
# **Unit: Creative Thinking – Heredity**



# **Science Unit 2 Plan**

Length: 4 Weeks

Teacher: Shannon Seigle Grade: 11th Course: Biology I

Unit Title: Creative Thinking - Heredity (Biology I: Standard 4)

## **LEARNING TARGETS**

- LT 8. I can identify the structure and function of DNA as well as its replication and role with RNA in synthesizing proteins. (TNSPI 4.1 & 4.2 & 4.3)
- LT 9. I can predict the genotype and phenotype of offspring based on mode of inheritance and parental data. (TNSPI 4.4 & 4.5)
- LT 10. I can describe how gametes are produced through meiosis and how genetic variation in a population is determined by sexual reproduction (genetic disorders/mutations). (TNSPI 4.6 & 4.7 & 4.8)
- LT 11. I can explain bioethical issues related to gene technologies (genetic engineering, cloning, transgenic organism production, stem cell research, DNA fingerprinting). (TNSPI 4.9)

# **UNIT OVERVIEW**

# Overall summary of the unit, activities, tasks, and/or content.

In this unit students will be exposed to heredity and genetics in a manner that tasks their creative thought process. Students will start the unit with an inquiry lab on DNA extraction using strawberries. Throughout the unit students will be asked to make a genetic Cooties game, decode and write secret messages of RNA and DNA, give an "expert" presentation of content including an originally-written song, design genetics word problems including pedigrees, complete dominance, incomplete dominance, codominance, multiple alleles, and sex-linked traits.

# **MOTIVATORS**

Hooks for the unit and supplemental activities. (PBL scenarios, video clips, websites, literature)

Introduction To Genetics (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B\_PQ8qYtUL0)

Week	Learning	Materials & Resources	Instructional Procedures	Differentiated	Assessment
	Targets			Instruction	
1	LT 8 - I can	<u>Technology</u> :	Essential Questions	Remediation	Exit Slips twice
_	identify the	* Apple TV	1. What makes up the structure of nucleic acids and what are their major	*Students will	a week
	structure and	* iPads	functions?	work	
	function of		2. How are DNA and RNA replicated in a cell?	collaboratively	Viewed videos
	DNA as well as	<u>Video Resources</u> :	3. What are the differences and similarities between DNA and RNA structures,	with peer tutors.	along with
	its replication	* DNA Structure and Function	functions, and replication?	Students will	probing &
	and role with	(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_P	4. What is transcription?	complete any	clarifying
	RNA in	OdWsii7AI)	5. What is translation?	Edmodo	questions are
	synthesizing	*DNA Replication: The Cell's Extreme	6. How are transcription and translation involved in protein synthesis in a cell?	homework	used as
	proteins.	Team Sport		assignments that	formative
	(TNSPI 4.1 &	(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5q	<u>Set</u>	were incomplete.	assessments
	4.2 & 4.3)	<u>SrmeiWsuc</u> )	Strawberries and Cheeks – Strawberries on display and to eat. Discussion of	Students will	
		*DNA Replication Process [3D	how strawberries and cheeks are related?	resubmit low -	Lab Report

Animation1

(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=27 TxKoFU2Nw)

\*Why RNA is Just as Cool as DNA (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0E lo-zX1k8M)

\*Protein Synthesis and the Lean, Mean Ribosome Machines

(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h5 mJbP23Buo)

\*DNA Song

(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ck ZEds5taX4&list=PL2ExA0ZRIBI5ZMMOP 7V4LYdFlhQyimSt9&index=3)

\*DNA, Fantastic! Mr. W's DNA Rap

(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wd hL-T6tQco)

\*Protein Synthesis!

(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JTc 18Yh7bSU)

\*DNA Replication Rap

(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1L 8Xb6j7A4w)

- \* The Cell Online Textbook/As Reference (www.barrington.mysdhc.org)
- \* Crash Course Biology Videos/As Reference (https://www.youtube.com)

### Apps:

\* Good Notes and/or Pages

### Lab Equipment:

DNA Extraction Lab (strawberries & cheek cells):

- Apron, Goggles, Gloves
- Strawberries
- DNA Extraction Buffer (soapy, salty water- 100mL plain shampoo or 50mL dish detergent, 15 grams sodium chloride, 1 liter water)
- Ziploc bag
- 1 test tube
- Parafilm
- 1 funnel
- Paper towel or funnel filter
- Coffee stirrer or transfer pipet
- Isopropyl Alcohol
- Plastic cup
- Tweezers
- Spoon
- · Graduated cylinder

### Teaching Strategies

5E Inquiry – Predominate teaching strategy. Students explore, explain, and elaborate continuously throughout unit. Each subtopic is explored, explained and connected to previous topics.

### Engage

Strawberries and Cheeks – Strawberries on display and to eat. Discussion of how strawberries and cheeks are related?

Play DNA Song (pause and ask questions as necessary)

### Explore

DNA Extraction Lab: Is it possible to observe extracted DNA from a strawberry using simple lab procedures?

Students must write a detailed lab proposal, as they may not begin the lab without teacher approval (see the proposal online at www.argumentdriveninquiry.com)

- While waiting on their proposal approval students will work on the informational text homework listed below or review genetics with the Genetics 101.
- With an approved proposal in hand, students begin working on their inquiry lab.

### Explain

Students will discuss their finding with other lab groups in an informal, whole class "Incubator" Session.

### **Engage**

TV Display: A message that is in DNA Code

### Explore

Secret Messages: (http://www.mrsec.psu.edu/education/nano-activities/dna/dnas\_secret\_code/dnas\_secret\_code.pdf)

- Provide students with some Private Think Time to observe and investigate on their iPads
- Then, allow students to work with a neighbor to share what they have found out about the code
- Provide groups with other messages to decode
- Each group must write a secret message to another group in the class, who then must decode the message

### Explain

Once students/groups are done with their research, they will share their findings with the class via the Apple TV

Teacher will ask probing/clarifying questions during the share out in order to fill gaps in information. The questions will be asked in relation to student responses and share out.

- DNA Structure and Function Video and/or
- DNA Replication: The Cell's Extreme Team Sport Video

"Incubator" Session as necessary

### Engage

TV Display: A message that is in RNA Code (uracil instead of thymine)

quality work per teacher feedback.

\*Students will log onto their Khan Academy account and watch the appropriate biology video; then students will go to www.sciencegeek. net and take the appropriate quiz (zes): then students submit a "selfie" screen shot of their score to the proper Edmodo assignment tab

Enrichment
\*Students will
peer tutor
classmates that
are struggling to
master LTs at the
proficient and/or
advanced levels.

\*Students will lead lab groups in collaboratively designing investigations.

Learning Styles Kinesthetic Auditory Secretarial Visual Technologydriven the following sections:
\*Title
\*Statement of the problem
\*Hypothesis
\*Materials
\*Procedure
\*Results (Data)
\*Conclusions
(Biology Lab
Report
Template and
Rubric)

Writings with

Student-Led Lessons/Lab Investigations

Writings on Informational Text from homework

"Incubator"
Sessions after
major content
studies and/or
after finding
student
misconceptions
through
previous
formative
assessments.
(Student-led or
teacher-led
seminar)

# Electronic scale Glass stirring rod

# Explore

Say It with DNA:

(http://images.pcmac.org/SiSFiles/Schools/GA/GwinnettCounty/CentralGwinnett/Uploads/Forms/Say%20it%20with%20DNA.pdf)

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### **Explain**

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Teacher will ask probing/clarifying questions during the share out in order to fill gaps in information. The questions will be asked in relation to student responses and share out.

- Why RNA is Just as Cool as DNA and/or
- Protein Synthesis and the Lean, Mean Ribosome Machines

"Incubator" Session as necessary

### **Extend**

Students create songs, in teams, on one of the following topics (expert groups):

- DNA Structure and Function
- RNA Structure and Function
- DNA Replication
- RNA Replication
- Genetics
- Protein Synthesis

### Explain

Each team of students will act as "experts" on their topic. They will present their information to the class and post it to Edmodo. At the end or their presentation, teams will play their topic song.

### Extend

Socratic seminar about the informational text - Blocking a Fork In The Road To DNA Replication

- Student created article questions will be used to direct the seminar (homework); teacher questions optional
- Students will run the seminar with a designated monitor

### **Evaluate**

DNA (Strawberry) Lab Report - Resubmission after peer review (use a form based on the lab report rubric) and teacher feedback

Genetics Summative Test (LT 8-11) – multiple choice with justification for proficiency & open response for advanced (student must score proficient before they are eligible for advanced status

			Summarizing Strategy Students will submit digital scientific notebook journals at the end of the week in order to show their fluidity of thought as a scientist in regard to the essential questions and learning targets (Good Notes or Pages). Students must also answer each of the essential questions for the week and provide evidence for their rationale.		
			Homework Informational Text – Blocking a Fork In The Road To DNA Replication <a href="http://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2014/10/141030132959.htm">http://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2014/10/141030132959.htm</a> Students will read the article and create 5 critical thinking questions that connect the article to the study of genetics. The questions must be open-ended and the student must also provide an advanced answer to each question.  ===================================		
			Sharing of scientific note-booking with partner (making notes to each other and resubmitting to the original sender & teacher)		
			Finish the DNA (Strawberry) Lab Report (use Good Notes or Pages)		
			Review DNA/RNA Structure & Function (including protein synthesis)  PowerPoint and complete the accompanying review worksheet - worksheet and PowerPoint covers information studied in this unit and that will be assessed on the summative exam		
			Students should be reviewing on a continuous basis using the App and any other digital resource in order to prepare for class and the LT 8-11 Genetics summative exam		
2	LT 9 - I can predict the genotype and phenotype of offspring based on mode of inheritance and parental data. (TNSPI 4.4 & 4.5)	Technology:  * Apple TV  * iPads  Video Resources:  * Cooties  (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w6 ylxWcwkUM)  *Spongebob Squarepants Video (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Yr ezDgPJ71M)	Essential Questions  1. What is the relationship between chromosomes, genes, and alleles?  2. What is heredity and genetics?  3. What are the following genetics terms and how are they interrelated: trait, dominant, recessive, genotype, phenotype, ratio, probability, homozygous dominant, homozygous recessive, heterozygous, hybrid, and true or purebreeding.  4. How can an organisms genotypes and phenotypes be used to predict the traits of their offspring?  5. What is a monohybrid cross and how does it compare to a dihybrid cross?  6. How is a Punnett Square used in the study of genetics?	Remediation *Students will work collaboratively with peer tutors. Students will complete any Edmodo homework assignments that were incomplete. Students will	Exit Slips twice a week  Viewed videos along with probing & clarifying questions are used as formative assessments
	LT 11 - I can explain bioethical issues related to gene technologies	*Mr. Lee's – Genetics Rap (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_I OIxUJ5g&list=PL2ExA0ZRIBI5ZMMOP7 V4LYdFlhQyimSt9) * The Cell Online Textbook/As Reference (www.barrington.mysdhc.org)	* Research Paper - What is meant by a bioethical issue, and how does it relate to various gene technologies?  Set Displayed on classroom TV the question Do you have Cooties? Have Cootie games at stations throughout the classroom.	resubmit low – quality work per teacher feedback. *Students will log onto their Khan	Lab Report Writings with the following sections: *Title *Statement of
	(genetic engineering, cloning,	* Crash Course Biology Videos/As Reference (https://www.youtube.com)	Engage Show the Cooties Video	Academy account and watch the appropriate biology video;	the problem *Hypothesis *Materials *Procedure
	transgenic organism production, stem cell	Apps: * Cooties! * Genetics and Genetic Engineering App (Genetics 101)	Explore Students create genetic characteristic instructions to go with their Cootie game. Students must also write 10 genetics problems to be solved while	then students will go to www.sciencegeek.	*Results (Data) *Conclusions (Biology Lab
	research, DNA	* Gene Screen	playing the Cooties game. The students must include the following terms in	net and take the	Report

			Informational Text – Fukushima's legacy: Biological effects of Fukushima radiation on plants, insects, and animals <a href="http://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2014/08/140814124535.htm">http://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2014/08/140814124535.htm</a> Students will read the article and create 5 critical thinking questions that connect the article to the study of genetics. The questions must be open-ended and the student must also provide an advanced answer to each question.  ===================================		
3	LT 9 - I can predict the genotype and phenotype of offspring based on mode of inheritance and parental data. (TNSPI 4.4 & 4.5)  LT 11 - I can explain bioethical issues related to gene technologies (genetic engineering, cloning, transgenic organism production, stem cell research, DNA fingerprinting ). (TNSPI 4.9)	Technology: * Apple TV * iPads  Video Resources: *GENEticS (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=00 nw0KiMVb8) *What are Pedigree Charts (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W uk0W10EveU) *Blood Type Groups (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NJ HgZhbn87Q) * The Cell Online Textbook/As Reference (www.barrington.mysdhc.org) * Crash Course Biology Videos/As Reference (https://www.youtube.com)  Apps: * Genetics and Genetic Engineering App (Genetics 101) * Gene Screen * Health * Good Notes and/or Pages	Essential Questions  1. What are different modes of inheritance including incomplete dominance, codominance, multiple alleles, and sex-linked traits.  2. What is a pedigree and how is this tool used to trace inheritance of traits through families?  Research Paper - What is meant by a bioethical issue, and how does it relate to various gene technologies?  Set Pictures of other types of inheritance – incomplete dominance, codominance, multiple alleles, and sex-linked traits.  Engage Students must figure out what the connection(s) between the various pictures in their envelope would be. There can be more than one right answer as long as the justification is appropriate.  Explore Students will complete the Bikini Bottom Genetics Incomplete Dominance: (http://sciencespot.net/Media/gen_spbobincdom.pdf)  Explain Students will share their work from the Bikini Bottom Genetics Problems in a Gallery Walk and Post-It Activity "Incubator" Session as necessary  Engage Blood Typing Video  Explore Students will answer the question: How are human blood types inherited?  • Students will research in collaborative groups.  • Students will develop a lab, using everyday materials, to demonstrate inheritance of blood types.  • Students will write and solve 5 difference blood type problems, one of	Remediation *Students will work collaboratively with peer tutors. Students will complete any Edmodo homework assignments that were incomplete. Students will resubmit low – quality work per teacher feedback.  *Students will log onto their Khan Academy account and watch the appropriate biology video; then students will go to www.sciencegeek. net and take the appropriate quiz (zes); then students submit a "selfie" screen shot of their score to the proper Edmodo assignment tab  Enrichment	Exit Slips twice a week  Viewed videos along with probing & clarifying questions are used as formative assessments  Lab Report Writings with the following sections: *Title *Statement of the problem *Hypothesis *Materials *Procedure *Results (Data) *Conclusions (Biology Lab Report Template and Rubric)  Student-Led Lessons/Lab Investigations  Writings on Informational Text from

which must be in a pedigree form.  Explain Students will share their work from the Bikini Bottom Genetics Problems in a Gallery Walk and Post-It Activity "Incubator" Session as necessary  Engage What are Pedigree Charts Video  Explore Student will answer the question: What are multiple alleles and sex-linked traits?  • Students will research in collaborative groups. • Students will write and solve 10 difference blood type problems, three of which must be in a pedigree form.  Extend Socratic seminar about the informational text - Protein pathway involved in brain tumor stem cell growth identified • Students will student extended the seminar (homework); teacher questions optional • Students will run the seminar with a designated monitor  Evaluate Genetics Summative Test (LT 8-11) – multiple choice with justification for proficiency & open response for advanced (student must score proficient before they are eligible for advanced status  Summarizing Strategy Students will submit digital scientific notebook journals at the end of the week in order to show their fluidity of thought as a scientist in regard to the essentia questions for the week and provide evidence for		homework  "Incubator" Sessions after major content studies and/or after finding student misconceptions through previous formative assessments. (Student-led or teacher-led seminar)
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Sharing of scientific note-booking with partner (making notes to each other and resubmitting to the original sender & teacher)		
Finish the Lab Report (use Good Notes or Pages)		
Review Genetics PowerPoint and complete the accompanying review worksheet - worksheet and PowerPoint covers information studied in this unit and that will be assessed on the summative exam	t	
Students should be reviewing on a continuous basis using the App and any		

	<u> </u>	T	other digital resource in order to prepare for class and the LT 8-11 Genetics		
			summative exam		
			Summative exam		
1	LT 10 - I can	Technology:	Essential Questions	Remediation	Exit Slips twice
4	describe how	* Apple TV	1. What are the phases of meiosis?	*Students will	a week
	gametes are	* iPads	2. How does meiosis compare and contrast to mitosis?	work	u week
	produced	ii dds	3. What are gametes?	collaboratively	Viewed videos
	through	Video Resources:	4. Why is it important for the phases of meiosis to precisely occur without	with peer tutors.	along with
	meiosis and	*Mutations: The Potential Power of a	interruption?	Students will	probing &
	how genetic	Small Change	5. If meiosis is interrupted in any way, what are the possible implications?	complete any	clarifying
	variation in a	(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Gi	6. What are some of the major genetic disorders that occur due to improper	Edmodo	questions are
	population is	eZ3pk9YVo)	meiosis?	homework	used as
	determined by	*Human Genetic Engineering		assignments that	formative
	sexual	(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dK	Research Paper - What is meant by a bioethical issue and how does it relate to	were incomplete.	assessments
	reproduction	BfxoPnT7g)	various gene technologies?	Students will	
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	disorders/mu	(www.barrington.mysdhc.org)		quality work per	Writings with
	tations).	* Crash Course Biology Videos/As		teacher feedback.	the following
	(TNSPI 4.6 &	Reference (https://www.youtube.com)	Set No. 10 Color N	*0. 1	sections:
	4.7 & 4.8)		Have cut out of chromosomes on each table (the table is acting as the cell.	*Students will log	*Title
	I T 11 I	Apps:	Each table needs to represent a different phase of meiosis.	onto their Khan	*Statement of
	LT 11 - I can	* Genetics and Genetic Engineering App	France	Academy account	the problem
	explain bioethical	(Genetics 101)  * Gene Screen	Engage Gamete Formation Video	and watch the appropriate	*Hypothesis *Materials
	issues related	* Health	Gamete Formation video	biology video;	*Procedure
	to gene	* Good Notes and/or Pages	Explore	then students will	*Results (Data)
	technologies	dood Notes and of Tages	Student collaborative groups must figure out what their table represents and	go to	*Conclusions
	(genetic		how it relates to the other tables in the classroom.	www.sciencegeek.	(Biology Lab
	engineering,		Students must include a drawing of each table in the correct order	net and take the	Report
	cloning,		All drawings must be labeled	appropriate quiz	Template and
	transgenic		All parts within the drawings must be labeled	(zes); then	Rubric)
	organism		All functions that are represented in the drawings must be labeled	students submit a	,
	production,			"selfie" screen	Student-Led
	stem cell		Explain	shot of their score	Lessons/Lab
	research, DNA		Student groups will defend their results from the Explore section	to the proper	Investigations
	fingerprinting		"Incubator" Session as necessary	Edmodo	
	). (TNSPI 4.9)		·	assignment tab	Writings on
			Engage		Informational
			Mutations Video Clip	Enrichment	Text from
				*Students will	homework
			<u>Explore</u>	peer tutor	## 1 . P
			Students will create a children's book describing the process of meiosis. The	classmates that	"Incubator"
			book must include visuals, descriptions, and the occurrence of mutations.	are struggling to	Sessions after
				master LTs at the proficient and/or	major content
			Explain	advanced levels.	studies and/or
			"Incubator" Session as necessary	auvanceu ieveis.	after finding student
			Estand	*Students will	misconceptions
			Extend Socratic seminar about the informational text - Meiotic cell division 'the other	lead lab groups in	through
				collaboratively	previous
			way round'  Student created article questions will be used to direct the cominer	designing	formative
			<ul> <li>Student created article questions will be used to direct the seminar (homework); teacher questions optional</li> </ul>	investigations.	assessments.
			Students will run the seminar with a designated monitor		(Student-led or
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