

Human Genetics

Plan of the Week #6 Continue to check your progress on PowerSchool, Schoology and Wardisiani.com



9/27 Monday:

• In-Class Review: Genetics Mini-Quiz

9/28 Tuesday:

- Quiz
- Q/A Session



9/29 Wednesday:

• You Tube Video: "The Voyage of the Beagle"



9/30 Thursday:

- Take Your Parent to School Day
- Genetics Today: Q/A Session

10/1 Friday:

- In-Class Work Day
- Experimental Wrap-Up





Objectives for Week #6

- Pedigrees and Punnett squares are tools that apply Mendel's first law to predict the recurrence risks of inherited disorders or traits
- A cell contains many mitochondria, which have many copies of the mitochondrial genome; mitochondrial genes are maternally inherited and mutate rapidly
- Mendel's first law can be used to solve problems involving X-linked genes
- Genes and environmental factors frame most traits
- Heritability measures the genetic contribution to a multifactorial trait; it is specific to a particular population at a particular time
- Population that suddenly become sedentary and switch to fatty diet reflect environmental influence on the body
- The genes products responsible for variation in behaviors
- Most behavioral traits and disorders are common, polygenic and multifactorial



