

**SCIENCE PUZZLERS, TWISTERS & TEASERS**

*The Evolution of Living Things*

**Double Trouble**

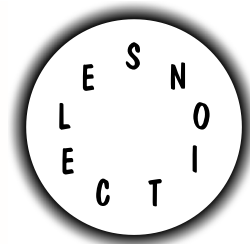
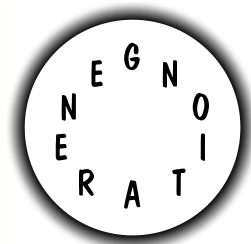
1. Unscramble each of the words below and write it in the blanks. Then rearrange the boxed letters to solve the puzzle.

- a. Charlie's canine ship      ABEEGL      \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Breeds only with its own kind      CEEISSP      \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Left over from a former life      AEGILSTV       \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Distinguishing quality      AIRTT      \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_
- e. Dead, gone, and turned to stone      FILOSS      \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_
- f. The cells' messenger      ADN      \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_
- g. An unexpected change      AIMNOTTU      \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_
- h. Selection done by nature      AALNRTU      \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_
- i. Response to change      AAADINOPTT      \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Hint: the theory that holds modern biology together)

**Word Circles**

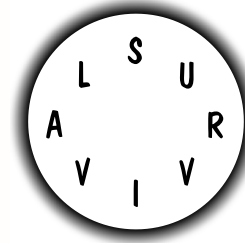
2. What is the word coiled inside each of these circles? Words can be spelled clockwise or counterclockwise.



a. \_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_

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c. \_\_\_\_\_

d. \_\_\_\_\_

**Wordy Numbers**

3. Vanity phone numbers are numbers that can be spelled out in easy-to-remember words using the letters on a telephone keypad. For example, 878-6738 can spell TRUMPET. Use the keypad and the company mottoes below to decide which word from the chapter each company uses for its phone number.



a. (837) 844-4251 "A home for unneeded organs"

\_\_\_\_\_

b. 346-2437 "Your one stop shop for beaks of all kinds"

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c. (735) 328-4661 "We'll clean out your gene pool"

\_\_\_\_\_

d. (773) 242-8466 "Home of the independent response to separation"

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