<u>Year 13 – A level Biology</u>

Keywords

- Acetyl coenzyme A: A two-carbon molecule formed in oxidative decarboxylation when an acetyl group is bound by coenzyme A. It is oxidised in the Krebs cycle.
- Adenosine triphosphate (ATP): The universal energy carrier found in all living cells.
- Aerobic respiration: A form of cellular respiration that takes place in the presence of oxygen and produces carbon dioxide, water and ATP. Overall: C6H12O6 + 6O2 → 6CO2 + 6H2O
- Alcoholic fermentation: A type of fermentation that takes place in plant root cells and yeast cells and produces ethanol and carbon dioxide.
- Anaerobic respiration: A form of cellular respiration that takes place in the absence of oxygen. It produces less ATP than in aerobic respiration.
- ATP synthase: An enzyme found embedded in cellular membranes that phosphorylates ADP to form ATP as protons flow through it.
- Artificial twinning: The artificial production of monozygotic twins from the manual splitting of the early embryo.
- Aseptic techniques: A range of techniques used to culture microorganisms under sterile conditions in order to minimise contamination.
- Batch fermentation: An industrial method of fermentation that runs for a set period of time. The culture broth is not removed until the fermentation is complete.
- Bioremediation: The use of microorganisms to remove soil and water pollution.
- **Biotechnology:** The field of biology involving the use of living systems to produce or transform materials. Applications include agriculture, medicine and food science.
- **Brewing:** The production of beer from the steeping of barley in water, and the fermentation of the resulting product with yeast.
- Clones: The genetically identical offspring produced because of cloning.
- Cloning: A method of producing genetically identical offspring by asexual reproduction.
- Continuous fermentation: An industrial method of fermentation in which culture broth is continuously removed and extra nutrient medium is added. The fermentation conditions remain relatively constant.
- Culture: The growth of living matter in vitro in suitable conditions.
- Hardy-Weinberg principle: A model that predicts that the ratio of dominant and recessive alleles in a population will remain constant between generations if the following five conditions are met: no new mutations; no natural selection; no migration; large population; and random mating. It provides a formula for calculating the frequencies of alleles: p 2 + 2pq + q2 = 1.0 where p is the frequency of the dominant allele, and q is the frequency of the recessive allele.
- **Heterozygous:** When someone has two different alleles of a gene e.g. Ff. High-throughput sequencing: More recent, large-scale approaches to DNA sequencing that use a flow cell. They enable many clusters of DNA fragments to be sequenced simultaneously, giving efficient and rapid sequencing. This has allowed whole-genome sequencing.
- Homeobox genes: A group of regulatory genes that contain a homeobox, a DNA sequence that is highly conserved in animals, plants and fungi. Homeobox genes are responsible for the development of body plans in different organisms.
- Homozygous: When someone has two identical alleles of a gene e.g. ff. Hox gene: A type of homeobox gene that is present in animals only. The terms "Hox gene" and "homeobox gene" can be used interchangeably.

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