VERMONT BIOLOGY · UNIT 3

Evolution and Diversity — Practice Test

Vermont Biology • 10 questions

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1 **Extinction occurs when the last member of a species**

- A Migrates
- B Dies
- C Mutates
- D Hibernates

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2 **The classification system groups organisms from broadest to most specific starting with**

A Species

B Genus

C Domain

D Family

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3 **In binomial nomenclature the first word names the**

A Species

B Family

C Kingdom

D Genus

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4 **Which domain includes organisms whose cells have a nucleus**

A Eukarya

B Bacteria

C Archaea

D Viruses

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5 **Genetic drift has the strongest effect in**

A Large populations

B Small populations

C Stable populations

D Cloned populations

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6 **A population in Hardy Weinberg equilibrium shows no**

A Reproduction

B Mutation

C Evolution

D Variation

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7 **Convergent evolution produces similar traits in unrelated species that live in**

A Identical genes

B Similar environments

C Same family

D Same island

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8 **The fossil record is incomplete mainly because most organisms**

- **A** Do not fossilize
- **B** Live too long
- **C** Have no bones
- **D** Are too large

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9 **After one half life what percent of a radioactive sample remains**

ANSWER _____

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10 **How many domains of life are recognized in the three domain system**

ANSWER _____

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ANSWER KEY

1.	B	**5.**	B	**9.**	50
2.	C	**6.**	C	**10.**	3
3.	D	**7.**	B		
4.	A	**8.**	A		

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