**All in the Family: Evolution Student Sheet– From PBS Learning**

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**Part 1: Wolf, Shark and Dolphin**

1. What type of organism gave rise to life 3.8 billion years ago? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. What is one of the elephant’s closest living relatives? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. Which 2 animals do you predict are most closely related?

(Dolphin, Shark, Wolf)

* 1. Go to Appearance:
     1. Which 2 are the most similar in appearance? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  2. Go to Anatomy:
     1. Which 2 have the most similar limbs? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
     2. Which 2 have the most similar Jaws? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
     3. Which 2 have the most similar Cranium? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. What is the common ancestor of Dolphins, Wolves and Sharks? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Part 2: Bear, Opossum and Raccoon**

1. Which 2 animals are most closely related? (Opossum, Bear, Raccoon)
   1. Go to Appearance
      1. Which 2 appear the most similar? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   2. Go to Anatomy
      1. Which has a pouch? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   3. Go to Development
      1. Which 2 have a placenta? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
      2. Which 2 are the most developed at birth? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   4. Go to Molecular
      1. Which 2 Pairs have the most similar DNA sequence?
         1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
         2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Part 3: Human, Sponge and Tunicate**

1. Which 2 species are most closely related? (Human, Sponge, Tunicate)
   1. Go to Appearance
      1. Which 2 appear the most similar? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   2. Go to Anatomy
      1. Which 2 have a brains? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   3. Go to Development
      1. Which 2 have a notochord? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
      2. Which 2 have gill arches? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   4. Go to Molecular
      1. Which 2 Pairs have the most similar DNA sequence?
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         2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Part 4: Research and Analysis** (no longer on the website)

1. What are some structures (other than appearance) that you can look at to determine how closely related different species are?
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2. Write down one of your favorite animals. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   1. What other species do you think might be it’s closest relatives? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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* 1. Do some research online, who are the closest relatives? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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1. Why do you think they call it the Tree of Life?

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**Part 1: Wolf, Shark and Dolphin**

1. What type of organism gave rise to life 3.8 billion years ago? 1 Celled organisms
2. What is one of the elephant’s closest living relatives? The hyrax
3. Which 2 animals do you think are most closely related?

(**Dolphin**, Shark, **Wolf**)

* 1. Go to Appearance:
     1. Which 2 are the most similar in appearance? Dolphin and Shark
  2. Go to Anatomy:
     1. Which 2 have the most similar limbs? Dolphin and Wolf
     2. Which 2 have the most similar Jaws? Dolphin and Wolf
     3. Which 2 have the most similar Cranium? Dolphin and Wolf

1. What is the common ancestor of Dolphins, Wolves and Sharks? Lamprey

**Part 2: Bear, Opossum and Raccoon**

1. Which 2 animals are most closely related? (Opossum, **Bear, Raccoon**)
   1. Go to Appearance
      1. Which 2 appear the most similar? Opossum and Raccoon
   2. Go to Anatomy
      1. Which has a pouch? Opossum
   3. Go to Development
      1. Which 2 have a placenta? Bear and Raccoon
      2. Which 2 are the most developed at birth? Bear and Raccoon
   4. Go to Molecular
      1. Which 2 Pairs have the most similar DNA sequence?
         1. Bear and Raccoon
         2. Opossum and Echidna

**Part 3: Human, Sponge and Tunicate**

1. Which 2 species are most closely related? (**Human**, Sponge, **Tunicate**)
   1. Go to Appearance
      1. Which 2 appear the most similar? Sponge and Tunicate
   2. Go to Anatomy
      1. Which has a brain? Human and Tunicate
   3. Go to Development
      1. Which 2 have a notochord? Humans and Tunicate
      2. Which 2 have gill arches? Humans and Tunicate
   4. Go to Molecular
      1. Which 2 Pairs have the most similar DNA sequence?
         1. Humans and Tunicates
         2. Sponges and Choanoflagellate

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1. What are some structures (other than appearance) that you can look at to determine how closely related different species are?
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