# Lab: Cloning HONORS BIOLOGY: UNIT 7

DIRECTIONS: Log onto Learn.Genetics at http://learn.genetics.utah.edu/ (Under the "Cell Biology" Menu, Click on "Cloning")

Browse the articles at the site to find the answers to the following questions.

# What is Cloning?

1. Define Cloning:

2. What is the difference between natural twinning and artificial twinning?

3. What is SCNT?

4. To make Dolly the clone, they first isolated a cell from where?

5. They transferred the nucleus of this cell to where?

## **Click and Clone**

6. List all the materials needed to clone a mouse.

7. Place the following steps in the correct order.	
Stimulate cell division	
Deliver baby	
Remove and discard the nucleus from the egg cell	
Isolate donor cells from egg donor and germ cell donor	
Transfer the somatic cell nucleus into the egg cell	
Implant embryo into a surrogate mother	
8. Explain how the nucleus is removed from the donor egg:	
9. What color with the cloned mouse be?	. What is the name of this
mouse?	

### The History of Cloning

10. What was the first organism ever cloned using artificial embryo twinning?

11. How did Hans Sermann separate cells from a salamander embryo?

12. What happened to the tadpoles that were cloned from more advanced embryos?

16. Where did John Gurdon obtain cells for his cloned frogs?

17. What was the first mammal embryo cloned?

18. What were the names of the two cloned calves?

19. Cultured sheeps cells were used to create two lambs named \_\_\_\_\_\_

and \_\_\_\_\_\_.

20. What as the first mammal created using somatic cell nuclear transfer?

Where did the DNA come from for this clone?

21. Out of 29 primate clones attempted, how many were born? \_\_\_\_\_

22. How was the clone "Polly" different from the first sheep clone named "Dolly?"

23. What was the first extinct animal cloned?

### Why Clone?

24. List four reasons given on the page for justifying cloning:

25. What is a stem cell?

26. Why did CC look different from Rainbow even though they were both clones?

27. What two things would you need to clone a dinosaur?

29. What are two reasons a person might want to clone a human?

#### Is it Cloning or Not?

30. For each of the following scenarios, indicate YES (it is cloning) or NO (it is not cloning)

\_\_\_\_\_Sperm taken from a mole goat is combined with a female's egg in a petri dish. The resulting embryo is implanted into the female's uterus to develop

\_\_\_\_\_A sheep embryo, composed of 16 cells, is removed from the mother's uterus and separated into individual cells. Each cell is allowed to multiply, creating 16 separate embryos, which are then implanted in different female sheep to develop to maturity.

\_\_\_\_\_A cow with many desirable traits is stimulated with hormones to produce a

number of egg cells. Each of these eggs is fertilized and implanted into a surrogate mother.

\_\_\_\_\_ In vitro fertilization

\_\_\_\_\_ Cell nuclei from an extinct wolly mammoth are placed into enucleated cow cells.

### **Cloning Myths**

31. Why is it impossible to make instant clones?

32. Why would Frankie #2 be different from Frankie #1?

33. Give an example of a natural clone:

34. Humans have been cloning \_\_\_\_\_\_ for thousands of years.

35. Why does cloning have such a high failure rate?