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1. The state, when living processes are limited to the minimum, is called:

- a) phagocytosis
- b) anabiosis
- c) pinocytosis
- d) activation
- e) depression
- f) reduction
- g) amitosis
- h) conjugation

2. Water in the organism is important because:

- a) it acts as a solvent for many substances
- b) it participates in the transport of substances in the body
- c) it influences temperature control
- d) it allows for the dissociation of molecules of the compounds into ions
- e) it is a source of nitrogen for amino acid formation
- f) it concentrates hypotonic solutions
- g) it prevents the entry of associated substances into the cell
- h) it directly participates in many reactions

3. What specificity of enzymes we recognize:

- a) absolute
- b) cell
- c) paralytic
- d) stereochemical
- e) analytical
- f) catabolic
- g) anabolic
- h) reproductive

4. Which of the following statements is characteristic for vegetative reproduction:

- a) all offspring are identical as parental organisms
- b) the offspring are not always identical to the parent organism
- c) it leads to an increase in hereditary diversity among offspring
- d) the offspring are identical to the parent organism only in certain cases
- e) it allows the reproduction of organisms so that their advantageous properties are maintained
- f) it allows the reproduction of organisms so that new beneficial properties appear
- g) it allows the generation of a large number of genetically identical offspring from one parent organism
- h) it does not lead to hereditary diversity among offspring

5. Gonochorism is:

- a) differentiation of male and female individuals
- b) development of sexual organs
- c) differentiated gender
- d) the similarity of male and female individuals
- e) phenomenon when an organism produces one type of gamete
- f) phenomenon when the organism produces both types of gametes
- g) phenomenon when the organism produces macrogametes or microgametes
- h) phenomenon when the organism produces macrogametes and microgametes

6. The ability of the organism to adapt to the external environment is called:

- a) anabiosis
- b) autotrophy
- c) adaptability
- d) homeostasis
- e) autolysis
- f) heterotrophy
- g) replication
- h) mutation

7. Enzyme inhibitors:

- a) are substances found in the cell that inactivate the active enzyme
- b) are substances found in a cell responsible for activation of the enzyme
- c) are substances that change the concentration of the substrate
- d) may change the structure of the active centre
- e) are substances found only in the nucleus that inactivate the active enzyme
- f) are substances entering cells responsible for activation of the substrate
- g) are substances in the cell that activate the inactive substrate
- h) are substances in the cell that inactivate the active substrate

8. What is the substrate specificity of enzymes:

- a) an enzyme can catalyze a chemical reaction with any substrate
- b) an enzyme can catalyze a chemical reaction with only a particular substrate
- c) the blocking of specific chemical reactions
- d) the enzyme can catalyze, e.g. reaction with glucose as a substrate, but not with glycerol
- e) each enzyme can catalyze a particular chemical reaction with each substrate
- f) one enzyme can catalyze a particular chemical reaction with each substrate
- g) if the reaction is catalyzed by two enzymes, both of them are substrates
- h) the specificity of the enzyme is provided by the substrate which forms its active centre

9. What is the name of the covalent bond in ATP that contains a large amount of energy and is easily cleaved:

- a) high-energy phosphate bond
- b) hydrogen bridge
- c) low-energy phosphate bond
- d) peptide bond
- e) accumulation bond
- f) accumulation phosphate bond
- g) phosphate bridge
- h) ionic bond

10. Osmotic lysis of cells occurs in the environment:

- a) hypotonic
- b) hypertonic
- c) in an environment in which the osmotic pressure is lower than in the cell
- d) in an atonic environment
- e) isotonic
- f) in an environment in which the osmotic pressure is the same as in the cell
- g) in an environment in which the osmotic pressure is higher than in the cell
- h) hyperosmotic

11. What is the basis for sexual reproduction of all multicellular organisms:

- a) presence of somatic cells

- b) differentiation of cells into gametes
- c) the presence of sex chromosomes
- d) presence of external genital organs
- e) the presence of sex cells
- f) differentiation of cells into zygotes
- g) differentiation of cells into blastomeres
- h) presence of coupling

12. Embryos of all multicellular animals pass in their individual development:

- a) the morula stage
- b) the blastula stage
- c) ectoderm, endoderm and mesoderm stages
- d) the gastrula stage
- e) the endoderm stage
- f) the mesoderm stage
- g) the mesoglea stage
- h) the ectoderm stage

13. Amino acids in the protein molecule are linked by bond:

- a) complementary
- b) ester
- c) peptide
- d) high-energy bond
- e) hydrogen
- f) glycosidic
- g) low-energy bond
- h) covalent

14. Conjugation occurs in:

- a) viruses
- b) bacteria
- c) ciliata
- d) plasmodia
- e) plasmids
- f) sponge
- g) human
- h) placentalia

15. Sexual dimorphism is:

- a) differentiation of the method of sexual reproduction
- b) differentiation of individuals by primary and secondary sexual characteristics
- c) the existence of the same male and female sex cells
- d) differentiation of individuals by gonads, morphological and functional properties
- e) differentiation of male and female individuals by primary and secondary sexual characteristics
- f) separation of external and internal fertilization
- g) phenomenon present in seminal monoecious plants
- h) phenomenon present in dioecious plants

16. Model organisms used in biological experiments include:

- a) viruses
- b) bacteria
- c) Drosophila

- d) amphibians
- e) Guinea pigs
- f) eobionts
- g) chimpanzees
- h) ribosomes

17. Inbreeding is:

- a) reproduction, in which the heterozygotes increase in the population
- b) interspecific crossing
- c) mating of relatives
- d) crossing of heterozygotes
- e) the method used in selective breeding
- f) crossing individuals with very similar genotypes
- g) opposite of panmixia
- h) reproduction which results in homozygosity

18. Anaerobic glycolysis is a chemical process that takes place:

- a) only in anaerobic organisms
- b) without receiving molecular oxygen from the environment
- c) when cleaving high-energy bonds
- d) only in the presence of oxygen
- e) in the absence of diapedesis
- f) without the presence of sugars
- g) in anaerobic organisms
- h) in aerobic organisms

19. What are the enzymes:

- a) a certain type of hormones
- b) specific macromolecules that catalyze chemical transformations during metabolism
- c) products of glands with internal excretion
- d) "tools" of cellular metabolism
- e) a specific type of pituitary hormones
- f) "tools" for the transfer of substances in body fluids
- g) specific substances for dissociation of NaCl
- h) cell products for protection against osmotic effects

20. Catabolism is:

- a) the set of metabolic pathways that construct molecules from smaller units
- b) the part of the metabolism responsible for breaking complex molecules down into smaller molecules
- c) a set of cellular processes in proteosynthesis
- d) metabolic processes in cell reproduction
- e) a set of processes in which substances are decomposed, e.g. glucose is oxidized to CO₂ and H₂O
- f) a set of cellular processes that are the basis of proteosynthesis
- g) usually synonymous with biosynthesis.
- h) a set of cellular processes that underlie photosynthesis

21. The various tissues are grouped into higher units that are called:

- a) specialized tissues
- b) organs
- c) cell cultures
- d) organisms

BIOLOGY - Multiple Choice Questions - ANSWERS

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