

# Scientific Method

1. Question, Research, Hypothesis, Experiment, Data, Conclusion
2. variable- factor that can change  
control- factor that stays the same
3. Control group is what is constant (not being changed) while the variable may change
4. Researchers repeat to verify results, allow others to evaluate and replicate, compare conclusions, raise new questions
5. At a minimum 2 times, to make sure the data is accurate.
6. One at a time so that nothing else is influencing your result.

# Metrics

1. meter, liter, gram

2. Centi=  $1/100$

Milli=  $1/1000$

Kilo= 1000

3. m, kg, L

# Microscope section

1. left

2. right

3. Objective lens X eyepiece

4. 40x

20x

10x

100x

5. high- see details

low- see the overall organism

# Lab safety

1. goggles
2. Never mess with fire without goggles, never heat anything you aren't supposed to, don't reach across a flame, don't touch the flame, never heat a closed container, pull hair back
3. Read all directions, ask partner, ask teacher

# Characteristics of living things

1. made up of cells

reproduce

universal genetic code (DNA)

grow and develop

maintain stable environment (homeostasis)

respond to stimulus

change over time

2. Signal to which an organism responds, anything that elicits a response

3. Maintaining a stable environment

shivering, goose bumps, sweat

# Chemistry of living things

1. Contain carbon
2. Measures acidity
3. carbohydrates
4. carbohydrates, lipids, nucleic acids, proteins
5. carbohydrates/lipids= energy  
nucleic acids= genetic information  
proteins= structural, chemical reactions
6.  $C_6H_{12}O_6$
7. Speed up chemical reactions, proteins
8. A substance that speeds up rate of a chemical reaction; it brings two things together to react, but don't get used up in the reaction
9. adenine, thymine, cytosine, guanine (A-T and C-G)
10. Double helix
11. fats, oils and waxes
13. cellulose/plant starch
14. cellulose