

## Cell Organelles (p. 62 – 66)

### I. The Nucleus

*p. 62* 1. Which of the following is not a characteristic of the nucleus?

- City Hall*
- a. Most functions of a eukaryotic cell are controlled by the cell's nucleus.
  - b. The nucleus is surrounded by lipid bilayer known as the nuclear envelope.
  - c. The nuclear envelope is covered in small channels called nuclear pores.
  - d. DNA is stored in the nucleus.

2. What is the function of the nucleolus?

- Small region of the nucleus that produces rRNA subunits (partial ribosome assembly)

3. Every organism has the same number of chromosomes in the nucleus.

Circle One :      True

*False*

Humans = 46 chromosomes

### II. Ribosomes & The Endoplasmic Reticulum

*p. 36* 1. Define the terms protein and amino acid. (p. 36)

Protein – large molecule formed by linked smaller molecules called amino acids

Amino Acid – building blocks of proteins (20 different A.A.)

2. List three functions of proteins. (p. 36)

1. Enzymes – chemical reactions    2. Structural – skin, muscles, bones    3. Immune – anti-bodies

3. Where are proteins made in cells?

*Factories*

Ribosomes ("free ribosomes" suspended in the cytosol)

*p. 63* 4. Define the term endoplasmic reticulum.

Endoplasmic Reticulum – system of internal membranes that move proteins + other substances through the cell

5. What is the difference between rough and smooth endoplasmic reticulum?

*Semi-Trucks*

Rough : (Attached ribosomes) – Transports proteins that are made by its attached ribosomes

Smooth : (Lacks ribosomes) – Makes lipids + carbohydrates, + breaks down toxic substances

**Centrioles**  
↳ Add!!

Cytoplasm → volatile

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Like a Spaceship!

6. Define the term vesicle.

Vesicle - small, membrane-bound sac that transports substances in cells (enclose and transport proteins from rough ER)

7. What are the functions of the following cell structures?

(P. 64)  
Distribution Center

Golgi Apparatus : set of flattened, membrane-bound sacs that modifies, packages, and distributes proteins

The Dump

Lysosomes : small, spherical organelles that contain the cell's digestive enzymes

### III. Mitochondria

1. Define the term mitochondria.

(About same size as a bacterial cell)

Mitochondria - organelle that harvests energy from organic compounds to make cellular energy

2. What is ATP? main energy currency of cells (Adenosine Triphosphate)

3. Describe the internal structure of a mitochondrion.

Smooth outer membrane / Greatly-folded inner membrane

4. Mitochondria are capable of manufacturing circular rings of DNA.

Circle One :

True

False

### IV. Structure Of Plant Cells

1. What is the function of a plant cell wall?

(Composed of cellulose)

Tough for humans to digest

- ① Supports + maintains cell shape
- ② Protects the cell
- ③ Connects it with adjacent cells

2. Define the term chloroplasts.

1 or more present

Chloroplasts - organelles that use light energy to make carbohydrates from carbon dioxide + water

Surrounded by two membranes too!

3. Like mitochondria, chloroplasts are capable of producing ATP.

Circle One :

True

False

4. What is chlorophyll? (Not in the book.)

Green pigment found in chloroplasts

Algae - vary in color

5. Define the term central vacuole.

Water +  
Food Storage

Central Vacuole - large, membrane-bound space that stores water, ions, nutrients, + wastes