DNA The molecular Basis of Inheritance Biologist: _

Block:

I) DNA Structure

A) Discovery

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		1)	James and Francis won the Nobel Prize for determining the
			of in
		2)	Rosalind was not given credit until after her death.
			(a) She DNA using; the pattern
			indicated DNA was shaped like a
	B)	DN	A is a of
	C)	Ead	h is composed of 3 subunits
		1)	(phosphate)
		2)	A (deoxyribose)
		3)	A base/
	D)	Fou	r Possible Bases
		1)	(A) – a
		2)	(G) – a
		3)	(T) – a
		4)	(C) – a
	E)	Co	nplimentary Base Pairing
		1)	Adenine () always pairs with Thymine () using
		2)	Guanine () always pairs with Cytosine () using
	F)	The	of these bases determines an organism's
	G)	DN	A is composed of 2 long of nucleotides
		1)	The strands are joined together like a ladder
		2)	The strands twist to form a
		3)	The of and provide
			the rungs with a width (what Franklin saw!)
		4)	The molecules make up the sides of the ladder,
			while the make up the rungs
II)	Re	plio	ation of DNA
	A)		replication
		1)	Each molecule consists of of nucleotides and
			one from the molecule
		2)	The two to the parent molecules will be to the parent molecule

B) Process of Replication



Inquiry: Read 5.3 page 84 Answer these Questions

- 1. What two types of molecules are chromosomes made of?
- 2. What two roles do proteins play in chromosomes?
- 3. What is the function of histones in chromosomes?

Inquiry: Read page 503 Answer these questions;

- 1. What did Watson and Crick know from the work of others that helped them to build their model of DNA?
- 2. What is the significance of their statement, 'It has not escaped our notice that the specific pairing we have postulated immediately suggests a possible copying mechanism for the genetic material'?

Inquiry: Read p503-505 Answer p505 Check Your Progress #1-3

