## **Evolution Unit Study Guide**

Reminder - Our "test" for this will be a lab on Evolution. You will need to complete the lab and fill out a lab report/questions relating to the lab you do and evolution

## Terms:

Evolution	Natural Selection	Variation	Mutation
Charles Darwin	Gene	DNA	Genotype
Camouflage	Heritable	Theory	Traits
Adaptation	Homologous Structures	Mimicry	Concealing Coloration
Disruptive Coloration	Fossil	Fitness	Survival of the Fittest

## You will need to know the following:

- 1. Understand Charles Darwin's theory of evolution.
- 2. The difference between mutations and adaptations.
- 3. Explain the concept of natural selection as discovered by Charles Darwin.
- 4. Understand how DNA and genes relate to evolution.
- 5. Understand how certain traits in animals (longer necks, colour, etc) can allow for them to have a better chance at survival.
- 6. Know examples of mutations, adaptations, and variation in nature.
- Know all organisms need space, food, water, and access to resources to survive.
- 8. Know that as organisms evolve over time there are changes in the traits of the population.