



# BIOLOGY

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# **ORIGIN AND EVOLUTION OF LIFE**

Textbook Evaluation I Choose The Correct Answer

1. Biogenetic law states that

A. Ontogeny and phylogeny go together B. Ontogeny recapitulates phylogeny C. Phylogeny recapitulates ontogeny D. There is no relationship between phylogeny and ontogeny

Answer: B

2. The 'use and disuse theory' was proposed

by\_\_\_\_.

A. Charles Darwin

B. Ernst Haeckel

C. Jean Baptiste Lamarck

D. Gregor Mendel

Answer: C

**3.** Paleontologists deal with .....

A. Embryological evidences

**B.** Fossil evidences

C. Vestigial organ evidences

D. All the above

Answer: B

**4.** The best way of direct dating fossils of recent origin is by.....

A. Radio-carbon method

B. Uranium lead method

C. Potassium-argon method

D. Both (a) and (c)

Answer: A

5. The term Ethnobotany was coined by .....

## A. Khorana

B. J.W. Harshberger

C. Ronald Ross

D. Hugo de Vries

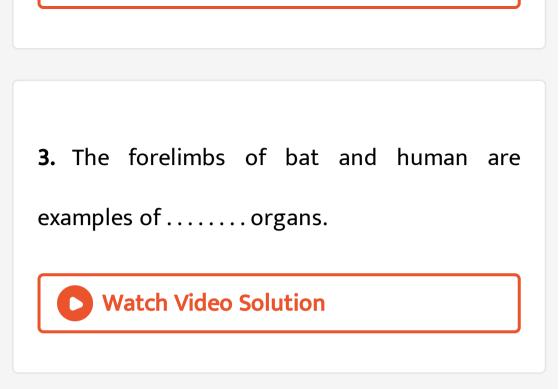
Answer: B

**1.** The characters developed by the animals during their life time, in response to the environmental changes are called .....

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**2.** The degenerated and non - functional organs found in an organism are called .....



4. The theory of natural selection for evolution

was proposed by\_\_\_\_\_.

1. The use and sisuse theory of organs' was

postulated by Charles Darwin

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2. The homologous organs look similar and perform similar functions but they have different origin and developmental pattern.

### 3. Birds have evolved from reptiles.

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### **Textbook Evaluation Iv Match The Following**

#### 1. Match the following columns

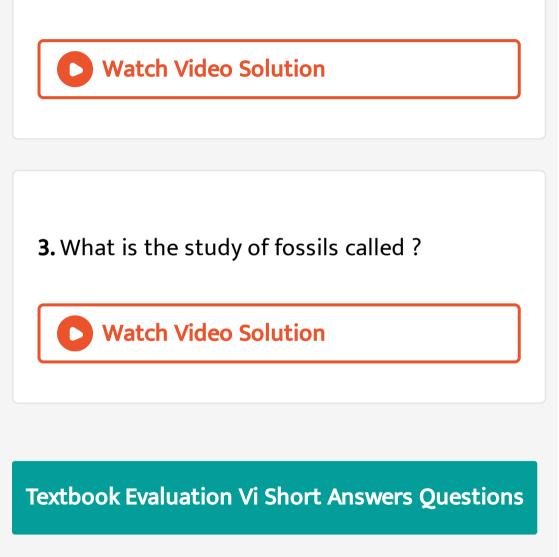
	Column 1		Column II	
A	Atavism	(i)	caudal vertebrae and vermiform appendix	
В	Vestigial organs	(ii)	a forelimb of a cat and a bat's wing	
С	Analogous organs	(iii)	rudimentary tail and thick hair on the body	
D	Homologous organs	(iv)	a wing of a bat and a wing of an insect	
Е	Wood park	(v)	radiocarbon dating	
F	W.F. Libby	(vi)	Thiruvakkarai	

# Textbook Evaluation V Answer In A Word Or Sentence

**1.** A human hand, a front leg of a cat, a front flipper of a whale and a bat's wing look dissimilar and adapted for different functions. What is the name given to these organs ?

2. Which organism is considered to be the

fossol bird ?



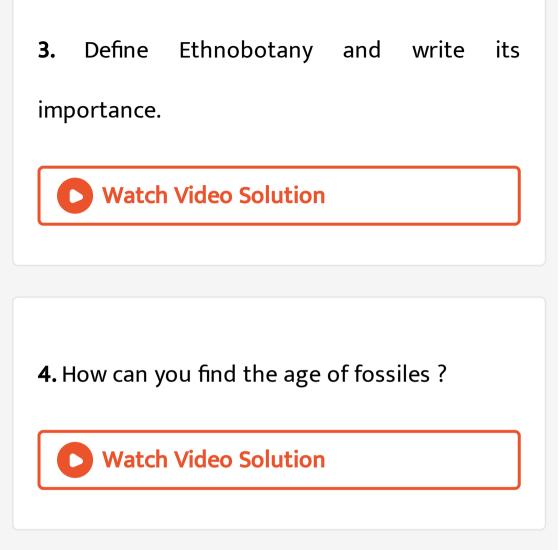
**1.** The degenerated wing of a Kiwi is an acquired character. Why is it an acquired character?



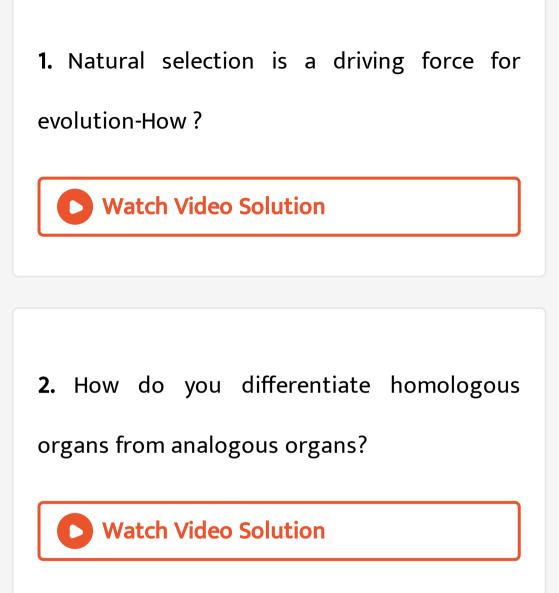
2. Why is Archaeopteryx considered to be a

connecting link?





### **Textbook Evaluation Vii Long Answer Questions**



**3.** How does fossilization occurs in plants?

## Textbook Evaluation Viii Higher Order Thinking Skills Hots

**1.** Arun was playing in the garden. Suddenly he saw a dragon fly sitting on a plant. He observed the wings of it. He thought in looked similar to a wing of a crow. Is he correcct? Give reason for your answer.



2. Imprints of fossils tell us about evolution-

How?

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**3.** Octopus, cockroach and frog all have eyes. Can we group these animals together to establish a common evolutionary origin. Justify

your answer.



- **1.** Life originated in:
  - A. Air
  - B. Earth
  - C. Water
  - D. Nitrogen

### Answer:



**2.** Believers of spontaneous generation theory believed that:

- A. Life originated from similar organism
- B. Life originated from air
- C. Life originated only spontaneously
- D. Life originated from pre-existing life

#### Answer:



**3.** Which of the following organ in man is not vestigial?

A. Vermiform appendix

B. Nictitating membrane

C. Ear muscles

D. Epiglottis

Answer:

4. What are analogous organs?

A. similar in origin

B. similar in structure

C. non functional

D. similar in function

Answer:

5. Wings of locust, pigeon and bat are example

of:

A. Vestigial organs

B. Analogous organs

C. Homologous organs

D. Evolution

Answer:

6. Book 'Philosophic Zoologique' published in

the year 1809 was written by:

A. Darwin

B. Lamarck

C. Wallace

D. Mendal

Answer:

**7.** Fossils are dated by:

### A. Amount of calcium residue

B. Amount of radio active carbon

compound

- C. Association with other mammals
- D. Structure of bones

#### **Answer:**

**8.** A basket of vegetables contains carrot, potato and tomato. Which of them represent the correct homologous structures?

A. Carrot and potato

B. Carrot and tomato

C. Radish and carrot

D. Radish and potato

#### **Answer:**

9. Most fossil have been found in:

A. Black soil

B. Lava flows

C. Granite

D. Sedimentary rocks

**Answer:** 

**10.** Birbal sahni was a:

A. Zoologist

B. Founder of Central Drug Research

Institute

C. Ornithologist

D. Palaeobotanist

#### Answer:

**11.** Darwin in his 'Natural Selection Theory' did not believe in any role of which one of the following in organic evolution.

A. Parasites and Predators as natural

enemies

B. Survival of the fittest

C. Struggle for existence

D. Discontinuous Variation

Answer:

- **12.** Fossilization can occur in:
  - A. Animals are burried and preserved by

natural process

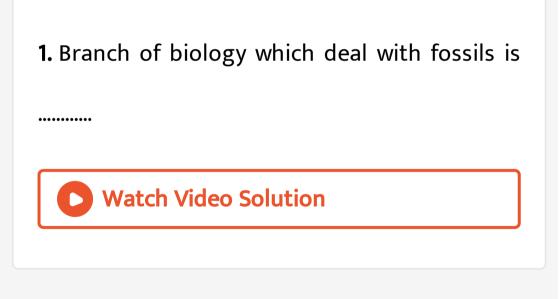
- B. Animals are destroyed by scavangers
- C. Animals are eaten by predators
- D. Animals are destroyed by environmental

conditions

#### Answer:

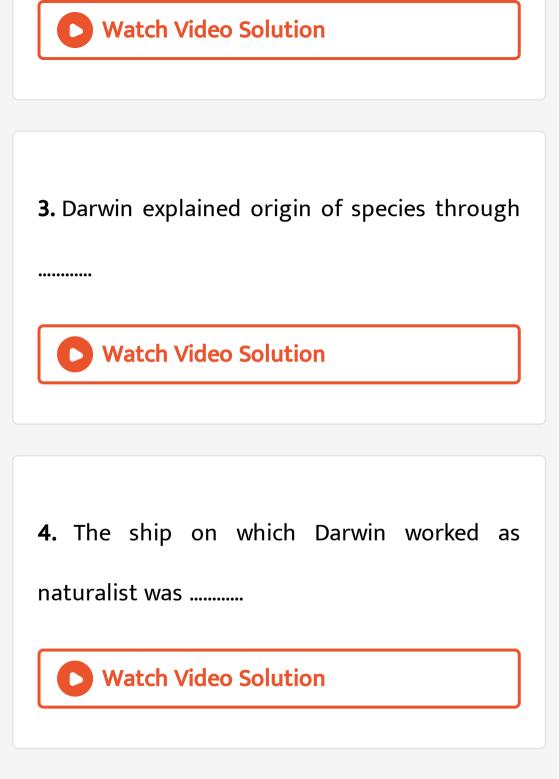
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## Other Important Questions Answers Ii Fill In The Blanks



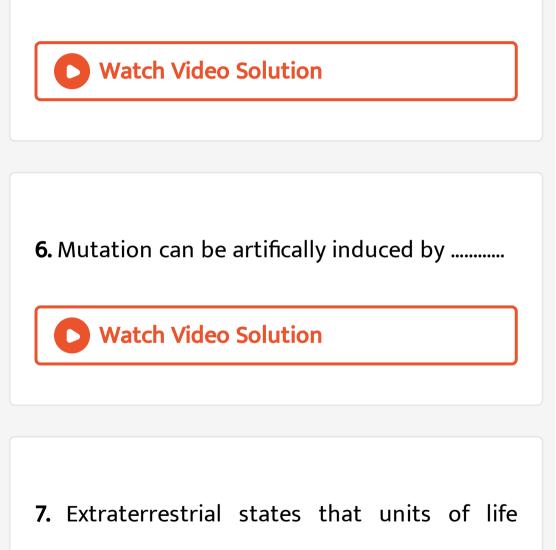
2. Archaeopteryx is the connecting link

between



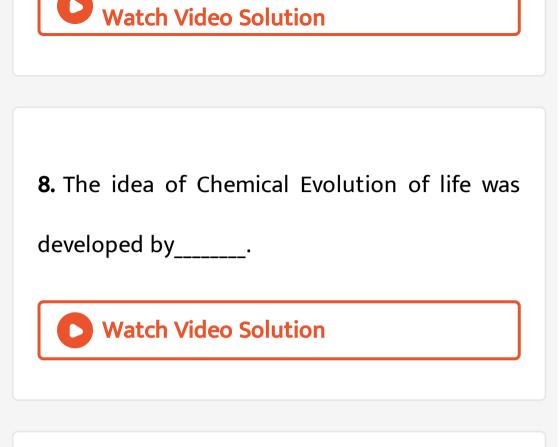
5. The book Origin of Species was published in

the year .....



called .....





**9.** Living being able to reproduce more individuals and form the own progeny is called



.....

10. ..... is the raw material which plays an

important role in evolution.

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# Other Important Questions Answers Iii Match The Following

## 1. Match the following columns

Column I		Column II	
A	Biogenetic law	(i)	Lamarckism
В	Archaeopteryx	<i>(ii)</i>	Recapitulation theory
C	Use and Disuse theory	(iii)	Traditional knowledge
D	H.M.S Beagle	<i>(iv)</i>	Fossil bird
Е	Ethanobotany	(v)	Darwin



Other Important Questions Answers Iv State Whether True Or False If False Write The Correct Statement

 De Vries is called as the Father of Palaeontology.



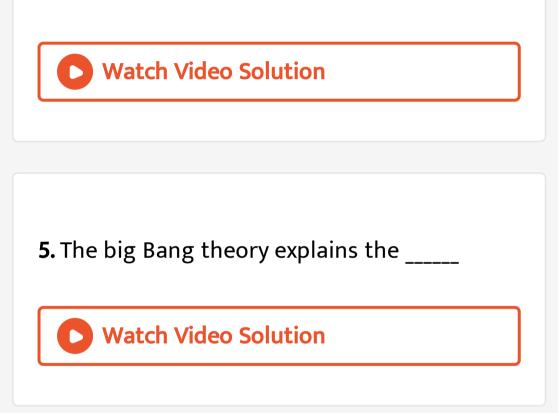
## 3. Competition among the individual of same

species is Interspecific struggle.

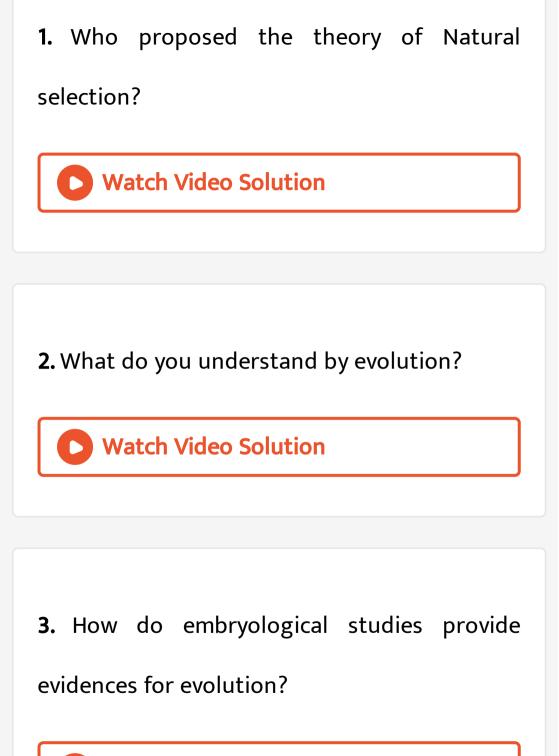


4. Abiogenesis theory states that life

originates from pre-existing life.



Other Important Questions Answers V Answer In A Word Or Sentence







4. Mention three important features of fossils.

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5. Who is the Father of Indian Paleobotany?

What is his contribution in this field.

6. Which is the most common methods of fossilization? Explain how it occurs. Watch Video Solution 7. What are extremophiles? Watch Video Solution

**8.** What is Goldilock zone for life. Name the planet in the Goldilock zone.



**9.** What are the three types of struggle for existence?

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10. Write about Atavism.

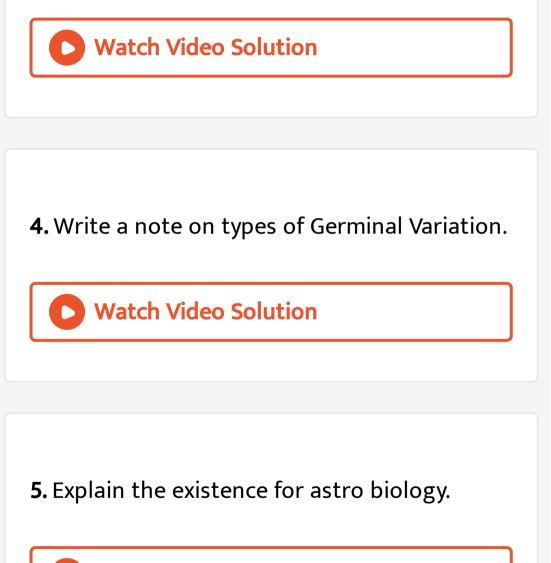
1. Distinguish between acquired and inherited

trait with example.

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## 2. What are the aspects of ethnobotany?

**3.** What is Geologic time scale.



**1.** Explain the various methods of Fossilization.



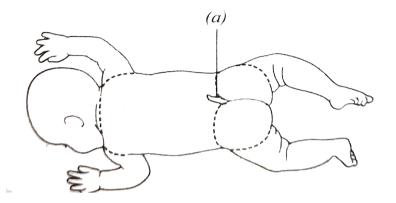
## **2.** Explain the principles of Lamarckian theory.



**1.** What is the reason for long neck of giraffe.

Name the theory based on this

**2.** Picture of the new born baby to be given.



(i) Name the phenomenon responsible for the structure marked (a) in the Figure.Give the definition of the phenomenon responsible for the development for the strucutre marked.

