It's Genetic--Or Is It?
Student Worksheet
Genes vs. Environment

For each of the following traits, put an X in the column labeled 'Genes' if it is an inherited trait or an X in the column labeled 'Environment' if it is a learned or environmentally influenced trait. OR mark both if you can explain.

In WHY? column – defend your answers

Trait	Genes	Environment	WHY ?
1. natural blue eyes			
2. enjoys bungee jumping			
3. 6 feet tall like parents			
4. dyed red hair			
5. musical ability to play well			
6. musical performance in concert			
7. heart beat rhythm			
8. depression			
9. short hair			
10. gets cancer			