Quiz: Inherited Traits

Part I: True or False

Directions: Write **T** if the statement is True and **F** if the statement is False.

1. _____ Inherited traits are passed from parents to offspring through genes.
2. _____ Eye color is an example of an inherited trait.
3. _____ A scar is an inherited trait.
4. _____ Genes are located on chromosomes.
5. _____ All traits are inherited.
6. _____ Hair color can be an inherited trait.
7. _____ Learned behaviors are inherited traits.
8. _____ DNA contains genetic information.
9. _____ Inherited traits can vary among individuals.
10. _____ Freckles may be an inherited trait.

Part II: Matching

Directions: Match each term in Column A with its correct definition or example in Column B. Write the correct letter on the line.

Column A	Column B
11. Gene	A. Structure that carries genes
12. DNA	B. Characteristic passed from parent to offspring
13. Chromosome	C. Molecule that contains genetic information
14. Inherited Trait	D. Segment of DNA that helps determine a trait
15. Eye Color	E. Example of an inherited trait
16. Hair Color	F. Example of an inherited trait
17. Freckles	G. Small spots on the skin that may be inherited
18. Parent	H. An organism that passes traits to offspring
19. Offspring	I. The young of an organism
20. Heredity	J. The passing of traits from parents to offspring

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