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## DNA

1. What are the components of a nucleotide? (pg. 291)

- 2. What are the four nitrogen bases in DNA? (pg. 291)
- 3. What holds the base pairs together? (pg. 294)
- 4. How does the <u>chemical structure</u> of cytosine and thymine differ from that of adenine and guanine? (pg. 291)
- 5. What is the nature of the chemical bond that joins the sugar of one nucleotide to the phosphate group of the next nucleotide? (Hint: Chapter 2, pg. 47)
- 6. Describe the shape of a DNA molecule. (pg. 294)
- 7. What distinguishes one species from another on the genetic level? (pg. 291)
- 8. What is the Human Genome Project? (pgs. 293, 357)