# 🔆 Elements & Macromolecules in Organisms

Elements of life: *Color* each of the elements on the next page according to the color listed next to the element's symbol.



*Carbohydrates: Use the diagram of glucose* to tell how many carbons, hydrogens, and oxygens are in a single molecule.

#C\_\_\_\_\_ #H\_\_\_\_\_ #O\_\_\_\_\_

Color code the glucose molecule (carbon-black, hydrogen-yellow, and oxygen-red).



## Glucose Molecule

## Questions:

1. Macromolecules are also known as \_\_\_\_\_

2. If all the macromolecules are made mainly of the elements C + O, how are they different?

- 3. Name 1 way your body uses carbohydrates.
- 4. What are the monomers called that make up carbohydrates?
- 5. What is the ratio of C, H, and O in monosaccharides?

**Proteins:** Color code the amino acid (carbon-black, hydrogen-yellow, nitrogen-blue, and oxygen-red).



### Basic Structure of Amino acid

#### Questions:

6. What monomers that make up proteins?

7. Proteins also act as \_\_\_\_\_\_ in cells to control reactions.

8. Chains of amino acids make \_\_\_\_\_\_ which can join together to make a \_\_\_\_\_\_.

*Lipids: Color* the glycerol molecule using the same colors for carbon, hydrogen, and oxygen as you did before. The fatty acid chains may be **saturated** (only single bonds between carbons) or **unsaturated** (contain at least one double bond). *Color* the fatty acid chains the same colors for carbon, hydrogen, and oxygen as you did before.



Glycerol

Saturated fatty Acid



Unsaturated Fatty Acid - Double Bond



## Questions:

9. Lipids are nonpolar. What does this mean?

10. Lipids have more \_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ atoms than they do oxygen atoms.

11. If there are all SINGLE bonds between \_\_\_\_\_\_ in the fatty acid chain, then it is said to be \_\_\_\_\_\_.

12. If there is a DOUBLE bond between \_\_\_\_\_ in the fatty acid chain, then it is said to be \_\_\_\_\_.

13. \_\_\_\_\_ layers of \_\_\_\_\_\_ make up the cell membrane.

14. Name the monomer that makes up lipids.

**Nucleic acids:** COLOR AND LABEL the parts of a nucleotide --- sugar (5-sided)green, phosphate group (round)-yellow, and nitrogen base (6-sided)-blue. ATP used for cellular energy is a high energy nucleotide with three phosphate groups. Color code the ATP and LABEL THE PHOSPHATES.



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## Questions:

15. Nucleic acids carry \_\_\_\_\_\_ information in a molecule called \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_ acid.

16. \_\_\_\_\_ are the monomers that make up a nucleic acid.

17. The 3 parts of a nucleotide are a 5 carbon \_\_\_\_\_, a phosphate, and a nitrogen

18. \_\_\_\_\_ is a high energy molecule made with \_\_\_\_\_ phosphates.

## Final Questions:

19. Give the symbols for the elements that make up each of the following:

\_\_\_\_\_carbohydrates \_\_\_\_\_lipids \_\_\_\_\_DNA \_\_\_\_\_proteins

20. How are monomers related to polymers?

21. Name the 4 types of macromolecules & list the functions for each.

22. Name the monomers and polymers that make up each of the macromolecules.