## Lesson Plan: Backwards Design

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## California Induction Program Standards

Check all that apply: $\square$ Standard 5: Pedagogy $\square$ Standard 6: Universal Access: Equity for All Students Teaching English Learners $\square$ Teaching Special Populations

Grade Level/Subject Area: 6 / Statistics, Data Analysis, and Probability Date: 03/14/09
Lesson Topic: Probability using the monohybrid cross $\qquad$ Content Standard: Statistics, Data Analysis, and Prob. (3.0, 3.1 and 3.3)

Adopted Text(s): none $\qquad$ Supplemental Materials/Technology: Virtual Online Lab

Note: Use the Essential Components of Differentiated Instruction in the FAS Resource section of your padfolio to help differentiate instructional strategies, content, products or assessments.

## Learning Outcomes <br> Students will be able to

 describe the meaning of dominanant vs. recessive and the 3:1 monohybrid ratio. -Students will be able to calculate the probability of different phenotypes using the punnet square.
## Evidence of Learning

 (Product or Assessment)Result and analysis of fly experiment and calculations of M\&M's. Also, based on the prediction of the fly experiment based on the M\&M's

Key Concepts \& Essential Questions -Represent probabilities as ratios, proportions, decimals between 0 and 1 and percentages between 0 and 10, - Represent all possible outcomes in an organized way (tables), - Know the meaning of the keys concepts such as dominant, recessive, and the 3:1monohybrid ratio.

## Teaching Strategies \& Sequence

Opening Start a conversation with students about family traits

Instruction 1. Introduce the key terms and definitions of dominant, recessive, probablity and monohybrid on the board or through the PowerPoint
2. Put students in small groups. Give each group two types of M\&M's, brown Peanut M\&M's representing dominant types, and blue regular M\&M's representing rece3ssive traits. representing the different traits. Pass out $2 \times 2$ Punnet's square.
3. Discuss the different results and the probablities associated with each.
4. Analyze these results and predict the results for the flies.

Guided Practice Perform virtual lab experiment with the flies, have the students try 2 or 3 different combinations

Closure Discuss why the relationships do not follow the ratios exactly the expected 3:1 ratio but are close.

Extension Activities or Independent Practice Extend to dominant vs recessive and the 9:3:3:1 dihybrid ratio


Connections to Students' Knowledge, Skills, Experience
-Teacher will ask students if they have any brother or sister that have different eyes, skin, or hair color.

## Ways to differentiate instruction

For more advanced students have them work on a dihybrid cross and have them try to explain why this is different than the monohybrid.
For EL have pictures available for the different vocabulary and add these things to the word wall
For the low performing students allow them fewer combinations on the monohybrid ratio, and provide them assistance during the lab.

Materials Computers, PUnnet square worksheet and overhead, M\&M's (peanut and regular)

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| First <br> Generation | B | B |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| b | Bb | Bb |
| b | bB | bB |


| Second <br> Generation | B | b |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| B | BB | Bb |
| b | bB | bb |


| Third <br> Generation | b | b |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| B | Bb | Bb |
| b | bb | bb |



Fly Phenotype of a Parent


Cross \#1 - Parents:
(Female: Dumpy wings)
x
(Male: Wild Type)

Phenotype
Male: Wild Type
Female: Wild Type

Observed Hypothesis Expected
Chi-Square
Term

|  | Observed | Hypothesis | Expected | Term |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | 602.50 |
|  | 611 | 1 | 0.1199 |  |
|  | 594 | 1 | 602.50 | 0.1199 |
| Total | 1205 | 2 | 1205.00 | 0.2398 |

## Chi-Square Analysis of Results



Chi-Squared Test Statistic: 1.5675 Degrees of Freedom: 3
Level of Significance: 0.6668

## Chi-Square Analysis of Results



## Offspring of Cross \#2

Female;Wild Type
Number with this phenotype: 448
Parents:
Female;Wild Type
X
Male;Wild Type

Fly Phenotype resulting from mating


## Offspring of Cross \#2 <br> Male;Dumpy wings

Number with this phenotype: 150
Parents:
Female;Wild Type


Fly Phenotype resulting from mating


## Offspring of Cross \#2 <br> Male;Wild Type

Number with this phenotype: 436
Parents:
Female;Wild Type
X
Male;Wild Type

Fly Phenotype resulting from mating


## Offspring of Cross \#2

Female;Dumpy wings
Number with this phenotype: 163
Parents:
Female;Wild Type
X
Male;Wild Type

Fly Phenotype resulting from mating


[^0]:    Adapted from the work of Wiggins and McTigue.

