

Descent with modification, fitness as a result of adaptation, and Struggle for existence

1. What is descent with modification defined as?
2. Give an example of descent with modification.
3. How is descent with modification different from natural selection?
4. What is selective pressure? Give an example.
5. Define fitness and adaptation.
6. If Braeden P. consistently had more offspring's than Michael Roy because of Braedens neat handwriting, who would have a higher fitness? Why?
7. What factor can affect fitness? Is it always the same? Or can it be relative?
8. In your own words, tell me what the phrase "Fitness as a result of adaptation" means?

9. Why is there a struggle for existence?

10. How many ways can an organism struggle for existence? Describe each way.