

**Forensic Science  
Unit 1 Quiz**

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**Part A: Choose the BEST answer for each question.**

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| _____ 1. The original location of a crime or accident  | A. Accomplice            |
| _____ 2. An alternate location where additional evidence of a crime may be found   | B. Alibi                 |
| _____ 3. Person thought to be capable of committing a crime  | C. Arson                 |
| _____ 4. Any evidence found at a crime scene in the form of a physical object.   | D. CODIS                 |
| _____ 5. Evidence that includes eyewitness accounts of an accident or crime scene.   | E. DNA                   |
| _____ 6. Statement of where a suspect was at the time of the crime   | F. Fingerprints          |
| _____ 7. Physical evidence that is found at a crime scene in small but measurable amounts.   | G. Physical              |
| _____ 8. A second person associated with committing a crime  | H. Primary Crime Scene   |
| _____ 9. Type of evidence found in blood, body fluid, and tissues that contains genetic information and can be used to link a suspect to a crime | I. Secondary Crime Scene |
| _____ 10. Combined DNA Index System used by law enforcement agencies to compare DNA samples to known suspects                                    | J. Suspect               |
| _____ 11. Intentionally setting a fire to cause damage or destroy evidence of another crime  | K. Testimonial           |
| _____ 12. Can be classified as arches, loops, or whorls  | L. Trace                 |

**Part B: Answer the questions below.**

13. What are the four steps used to analyze a crime scene? Use the word list to help you.

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14. What type of evidence does the FBI consider to be the most valuable? \_\_\_\_\_

15. Match each job with its best description by writing the correct letter on each blank.

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| A. POLICE OFFICERS   | _____ Interviews witnesses and works with the CSI unit to investigate the crime  |
| B. CSI UNIT          | _____ Documents the crime scene in detail and collects any physical evidence   |
| C. DISTRICT ATTORNEY | _____ Usually the first to arrive at a crime scene; responsible for securing the scene and detaining persons of interest |
| D. MEDICAL EXAMINER  | _____ Helps to determine if any search warrants are required to proceed and obtains those warrants from a judge          |
| E. SPECIALISTS       | _____ Determines the preliminary cause of death at the crime scene and conducts the autopsy                              |
| F. DETECTIVES        | _____ May be called in if an expert is needed to analyze insect evidence or skeletal remains                             |

