

LENScience Senior Biology Seminar Series Student Update Number 8 – May 9th 2011

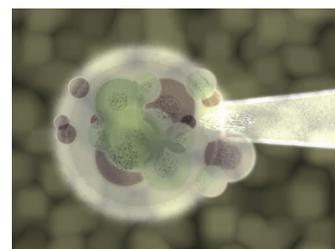
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Seminar 3: Aneuploidy and Related Biotechnologies Thursday May 12th, 3:45pm.

Seminar 3 is on this Thursday at 3:45pm. It will look at how reproductive technologies such as In Vitro Fertilisation (IVF) and Preimplantation Genetic Diagnosis (PGD) are used to meet human needs around fertility issues.

Dr Richard Fisher, one of the founding directors of Fertility Associates will be joined by Dr Bert Stewart, Fertility Associates Scientific Director and members of the genetic counselling team to present this seminar.



Seminar 2 Challenge Questions



Well done to all the students who have posted answers to the challenge questions from Seminar 2. The quality of the answers is really improving as we move through the year.

Congratulations to students from the following schools for their contributions. It's well worth checking out their answers. As you read them think about what you would have written and what you can learn from the feedback.

Whakatane High School	First time posting on the wiki and first school to post an answer to the challenge questions for Seminar 2
Sacred Heart College (Auckland)	One of our most consistent contributing schools onto the wiki, as they were last year.
Onehunga High School	Good team answer to challenge question 1.
Onslow College	First time posting on the wiki and also a very good answer to challenge question 1.
Onehunga High School	One of our top schools in the seminar chat and a regular contributor.
Horowhenua College	Last year Horowhenua College students produced some excellent contributions to the challenge questions. It's great to see this continuing this year.

Remember there is a prize at the end of the seminar series for the best overall school contribution to questions and the wiki discussions. So if your school hasn't yet been mentioned in one of these updates, why not do something about it? You can ask a question in the seminar this week or post an answer to the challenge questions.

