

Introduction and Physical Evidence Test - Answers

1. Describe a piece of evidence, which would be the responsibility of the Physical Science Unit.
Drugs, glass, paint, explosives, and soil.
2. Describe a piece of evidence, which would be the responsibility of the Biology Unit.
Wood and plants
3. Describe a piece of evidence, which would be the responsibility of the Firearms Unit.
Firearms, discharged bullets, cartridge cases, shotgun shells, ammunition and garments.
4. What kind of analysis should be performed with a suicide note found at a crime scene?
Comparison, Visual, Microscopic and Chemical
5. What type of information would you hope to get from drugs found at a crime scene?
Type and Strength of drug
6. Which forensic unit should blood be sent to?
Biological
7. If several grains of dirt were to be found on the floor of a crime scene, what type of information would you hope to get?
Origin and Composition
8. To which forensic unit should a green leafy plant that was to be found trampled at a crime scene be sent?
Physical and Biological
9. What type of information would you hope to gain from a paint chip found at a crime scene?
Origin and Compositions
10. If a pistol and some ammunition was to be found at a crime scene, what kind of analysis should be performed?
Comparison and Microscopic