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For homework, please answer the questions on page 1 of this worksheet and upload the completed assignment to blackboard by XXXXXXX. You may also consider the discussion points on the next page prior to class, but this is not required.

Homework Questions:

1) In your own words, what is an evolutionary trait?

2) How is a trait different than an adaptation?

3) How do we categorize adaptations? What three types of adaptations are possible?

4) Are there traits that are uniquely human (i.e. no other species possess them)? If so, what are those traits that are uniquely human? If not, why do we not possess uniquely human traits?

In class review
- What is an evolutionary trait?
- How are traits different from adaptations?
- How do we categorize adaptations?

In class discussion
- Are there uniquely human traits?
- Does a trait or adaptation have to be heritable?
- Do non-humans have instrumental value?
- Do non-humans have intrinsic value?
- What kind of relationship do students have with non-humans?
- Do humans and non-humans ever both derive value from an interaction with one another?
- What are some examples of relational values?
- Are there relational values that you individually or collectively hold for other species already?