

## **OBJECTIVES**

- Investigate the possibility of isolating DNA from plant tissue
  - Understand how DNA is contained and can be extracted from cells
  - Isolate a unique sample of plant DNA by using biotechnology accepted methods.

## VOCABULARY

Isolate: to identify (something) and examine or deal with it separately.

purpose of breaking open cells for use in molecular biology experiments that analyze the compounds of the cell.

Layer: a sheet, quantity, or thickness of material, typically one of several, covering a surface or body

## How much DNA do humans share with a banana?

The genetic similarity between a **human** and a **banana** is...

60%



SOURCE: National Human Genome Research Institute

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## LABORATORY PROCEDURES

Read your student's guide (Formative assessment material)

Follow instructions from your teachers
FA guides must be turned in by the end of
the lesson

