

Forensics 30 – Impression Evidence

Unit Review

1. What is impression evidence?
2. Name two ways of collecting footprint evidence?
3. Define: Dactyloscopy, Friction Ridges, and Minutia
4. What are the three different types of fingerprint pattern looked at in class? How are they different?
5. What is the most common fingerprint pattern? What is the least?
6. Describe the process of dusting and lifting latent prints.
7. What are the different types of fingerprint that can be found at a scene?
8. In addition to fingerprints what are two other body parts that can leave prints at crime scenes? (we watched a video that talked about this)
9. What is Dentition?
10. What is forensic odontology?
11. What are the four types of teeth, and how are they shaped and used?
12. A dental formula of $\frac{2143}{2133}$ means what to all of the different types of teeth?
13. What is the difference between the teeth for herbivores, carnivores, and omnivores? Which are we?
14. What is the difference between an Individual Characteristic and a Class characteristic with respect to a toolmark, or a tire tread?
15. Define the four different types of toolmark that can be found on an object?
16. What do the 9 letters and numbers on a tire tell you?
17. How can direction of travel be discovered when only tire tracks have been left at a scene?
18. How is track width measured?
19. What are the two differences in tracks left by cars when parking?

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- 20.** Who was Ted Bundy? What were his crimes and how was impression evidence used to convict him?

- 21.** Who is Danny Rosenthal? What were his crimes and how was impression evidence used to convict him?