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Anthropology Hall

1. Look at the Barrier Canyon Mural reproduction.

What do you think the figures represent? _____

Can you see more than one story being told? What title would you give to one of the stories? _____

2. Find the Hogup Cave diorama.

There are four different foods being hunted and gathered. What are they?

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3. Name the two cultures that lived in Utah until AD 1300.

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4. Find and name three tools that were used to prepare food for eating.

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5. Look in the Fremont and Anasazi cases labeled "Beyond Utility," and name three objects you could find in your home today.

Mineral Hall

6. Find the minerals that glow in the dark.

What is this property of glowing in the dark called? _____

7. What are some of the *Physical Properties* that help us to identify minerals? _____

8. Find and name a blue mineral _____

9. Find and name a black mineral _____

10. Find and name a mineral that looks glassy _____

11. Find and name a mineral that looks like metal _____

12. Find and name a *Cubic* shaped mineral



13. Find and name a *botryoidal* shaped mineral



14. Draw a crystal shape that you liked

Name a mineral that has this shape

Biology Hall

Animals have special adaptations that help them survive.

15. Find and name a bird that has a beak that is used for stabbing its prey _____

16. Find and name an animal that has feet that act like snowshoes _____

17. Why do you think Mule deer have big ears? _____

18. Name a **PREDATOR** (*an animal that hunts another animal for food*) _____

19. Name an Animal that is **PREY** _____

(Prey are *animals that often just eat plants and are hunted by another animal*.)

Write down a complete **FOOD CHAIN** that
you have seen in this hall

A plant...

An animal that eats that plant...

An animal that eats the first animal...

20. What is our state animal?

21. What is our State grass?

22. What is our state bird?

Earth Science Hall

23. What is the instrument that measures earthquakes called?

24. Look at the plate tectonic exhibits. What can happen to the earth's crust when the plates move?

25. Look at the four maps of Utah in the Henry Mountains exhibit (Island in the Desert). How has the terrain (land) in Utah changed from the first map to the last map?

Find the Trilobite display.

26. How many kinds of Trilobites have been found in Utah? _____

27. Name an **herbivore mammal** (*plant eater*) and a **carnivore mammal** (*meat eater*) that used to live in North America and is now extinct.

Herbivore

Carnivore

28. What is our state
fossil?

