Punnett Square Practice Worksheet

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Use the following instructions for questions 1-3: In rabbits, fur color is determined by two alleles. • The dominant allele (B) codes for brown fur. • The recessive allele (b) codes for white fur.	
1) The female rabbit is heterozygous. The male rabbit is homozygous	2) The female rabbit has white fur (bb). The male rabbit has brown
Use a Punnett Square to predict the most likely phenotypic and genotypic ratio of the possible offspring.	fur (BB). Use a Punnett Square to predict the most likely phenotypic and genotypic ratio of the possible offspring.
 All offspring will have brown fur – 100% heterozygous. 	Phenotypic ratio: Genotypic ratio:
3) The female rabbit is heterozygous. The male rabbit is heterozygous. Use a Punnett Square to predict the most likely phenotypic and genotypic ratio of the possible offspring.	4) A female cat has a short tail (II), and the male cat is homozygous dominant for long tails (LL). Use a Punnett Square to predict the most likely phenotypic and genotypic ratio of the possible offspring.

• Phenotypes: 3:1 (brown to white)

• Genotypes: 1:2:1 (BB to Bb to bb)

• Phenotypes: 100% Long tails

• Genotypes: 100% Heterozygous (Ll)