Set up and work Punnett Squares to understand sex linked traits.

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What is a sex-linked trait?

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v= h2xufrHWG3E

Genetics Gender and Sex Linked Traits

- Is the science of heredity.
- Heredity is the transmission of genetic and physical traits from parent to offspring.

Sex Determination

- Female can contribute only an X chromosome towards the sex of their offspring.
- Male can contribute an X or a Y chromosome toward the sex of their offspring.
- So, what is the genotype of a FEMALE? MALE?

Medieval Days

King Henry the 8th

He killed some of his wives for not giving birth to a son.



They didn't know back then that it was the man's gamete that determined the gender of the child.

Sex Linked Genes:

• There are genes that are only linked on the X chromosome, which means if you are a male you inherited it from your mom (your dad gave you a Y)! Females can get it from both since dad gives them an X

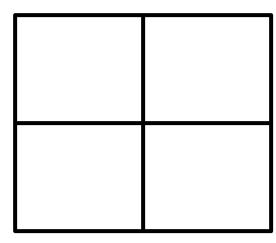
- Trait examples would be
 - Male Pattern Balding Yep! From your mom!
 - Colorblindness

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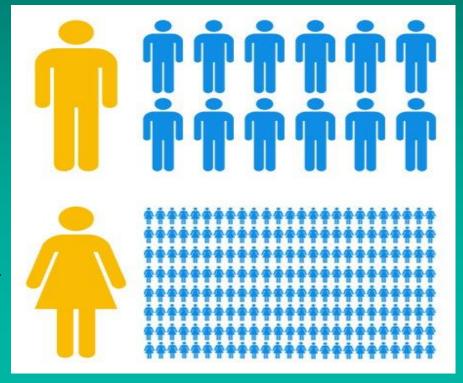
Chance of colorblind child?_____
Chance of colorblind daughter?_____

Colorblind Statistics:

 1 out of 4 people have colorblindness to some degree.

• 1 out of 12 men are colorblind.

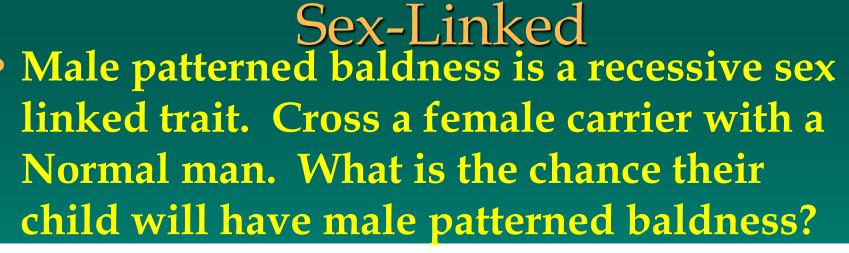
• 1 out of 100 women are colorblind.



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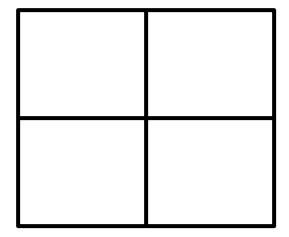
Male patterned baldness is a recessive sex linked trait. Cross a female carrier with a Normal man. What is the chance their child will have male patterned baldness?

Make a key – Your turn, do this on your own.



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Chance of child with baldness?_____

Chance of daughter with baldness?_____

Chance of son with baldness?

