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**Ethical Standards in Forensic Science Quiz**

***True or False***

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| 1) |  |  | Because science deals with natural phenomena, forensic scientists do not have to |
|  | comply with legal requirements. |
| 2) |  |  | One of the basic functions of a forensic scientist is to provide important evidence |
|  | for the prosecution. |

***Fill in the blanks***

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is the application of science to the criminal and civil laws that are enforced by police agencies in a criminal justice system.
2. The statement or declaration of a witness under oath or affirmation in court is a

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| 5) |  |  | is any object that can establish that a crime has been committed, or |
|  | can link a crime and its victim or its perpetrator. |

1. Processing physical evidence includes recognizing, preserving, and

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_that evidence.

***Short Answers***

1. List three main functions of a forensic scientist.
2. List three ethical guidelines for forensic scientists.
3. List one ethical guideline regarding professional courtesy among forensic scientists.

***Critical Thinking***

1. Why is it important for forensic scientists to report what they observe, whatever they find, no matter what they believe?