Entomology Case Worksheet

Name:_________________________ Date________________

1. What task was Dr. Krinsky asked to help with in the 1986 murder case?

2. What types of evidence and information did Dr. Krinsky gather?

3. What kind of observations did Dr. Krinsky make about the collected insect evidence?

4. How did Dr. Krinsky process the blow fly puparia collected from the carpet on September 22, 1986? Why?

5. What are some factors (variables) that affect the insect life cycle?

6. Describe in your own words how insect life cycle is applied in estimating the time of death.