

Your Personal Genome

Biology & Behavior

Name

Date

Period

1. If you could have access to your own personal genome*, would you want the information about yourself that it could reveal? Why or why not?

2. Is it a good thing that this information could be easily available someday? Explain your answer.

* Your *genome* contains all of your hereditary/genetic information. It includes information such as whether you carry the gene(s) for developing diseases, or whether you have genetic traits that could be passed on to your offspring.