

## **Biology Essentials- r and K Selection Guided Viewing**

1: What is “**r**” stand for?

2: What happens if we have a **positive “r”**?

3: What is “**N**”?

4: What is “**K**”?

5: Explain the **survivorship curve**. (*Give an example for each*)

**TYPE I:**

**TYPE II:**

**TYPE III:**

6: How does the environment affect the survivorship curve?

7: What are “**r**” **selected species**? *Explain characteristics of these species.*

8: What are “**K**” **selected species**? *Explain characteristics of these species.*