## **COMMONLY USED LAB EQUIPMENT**

**BEAKER** (used to hold liquids)

**FLASK** (holds liquids)

**GRADUATED CYLINDER** (measuring liquids)

**FUNNEL** (easier pouring of liquids into containers)

**PETRI DISH** (cultures and a covered container)

**CULTURE DISH** (cultures and a nice container)

**DISSECTING NEEDLE** (probe dissection specimen)

**FORCEPS** (used to pick up objects)

**SCALPEL** (cuts in dissection...also use scissors)

**T-PINS** (a pin shaped in a T; hold specimens down)

**DISSECTION PAN** (used to hold whatever is being dissected)

**HAND LENS** (magnifies small objects)

**MICROSCOPE** (used to see microscopic objects)

**COVER SLIP** (covers objects on slide, protects lenses)

**MICROSCOPE SLIDE** (used with microscope; holds items to view)

**DEPRESSION SLIDE** (used with microscope; will not squish items)

**PIPETTE** (transfers liquids)

**DROPPER BOTTLE** (holds liquids to transfer with pipette)

**TEST TUBE** (cultures, heating materials, etc.)

**TEST TUBE RACK** (place to hold/support test tubes)

**TEST TUBE BRUSH** (used to clean glassware)

**TEST TUBE CLAMP** (clamp to hold test tube)

**RUBBER STOPPER** (plugs flasks, test tubes, etc.)

**GOGGLES** (protects eyes from damage)

**LAB COAT/APRON** (protects clothes)

**TONGS** (holds larger materials than forceps)

**HOT PLATE** (used to heat materials without using flame)

**THERMOMETER** (measures temperature)

**BALANCE** (measures mass)

**COMMON SENSE** (critical for lab safety)