

Fill in the blank section of the table by pasting the correct answer.

The Origin of Species	A book by Charles Darwin explaining his theory on Human Evolution.
Survival of the fittest	A phrase borrowed by Darwin from Sociologist Herbert Spencer. Darwin used this phrase to try to explain natural selection/ adaption in plants and animals.
Herbert Spencer	An Author and Sociologist who opposed any laws that helped workers, the poor, and those he deemed genetically weak. Such laws, he argued, would go against the evolution of the civilization by delaying the extinction of the “unfit”.
Thomas Malthus	An Economist who wrote about how societies struggle and evolve over time. His work around the “struggle for existence” influenced Darwin.
Eugenics	A movement that was influenced by Social Darwinism; those who followed this movement believed that the human race can be improved through selective reproduction aimed at producing desirable characteristics and discouraging undesirable characteristics.
Sir Frances Galton	The father of the Eugenics movement. He argues that social institutions such as welfare and mental asylums allowed inferior humans to survive and reproduce at a higher rate than Britain’s wealthy class.
Adolf Hitler	Designed Nazi Germanys’ racially based policies; adopting the social Darwinist take on Survival of the fittest, and drawing inspiration from the Eugenics movement in America.