

Mitosis song

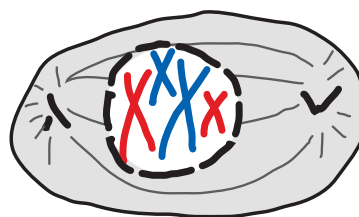
Sung to the tune of the "Addams Family" theme

*Mitosis, oh mitosis, let's sing it loud and clear,
As cells divide and multiply, the stages do appear.
Da da da dum (snap snap)
Da da da dum (snap snap)
Da da da dum, da da da dum, da da da dum (snap snap)*

*Interphase, prophase, metaphase, anaphase,
Telophase, cytokinesis, mitosis we embrace!
Da da da dum (snap snap)
Da da da dum (snap snap)
Da da da dum, da da da dum, da da da dum (snap snap)*

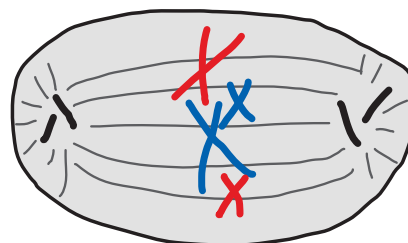
*Interphase, the cell's preparing, DNA is duplicated,
Chromosomes are copied, energy's allocated.
Da da da dum (snap snap)
Da da da dum (snap snap)
Da da da dum, da da da dum, da da da dum (snap snap)*

*Prophase comes with condensation,
chromosomes now visible,
Nuclear membrane dissolves,
the cell's becoming divisible.*



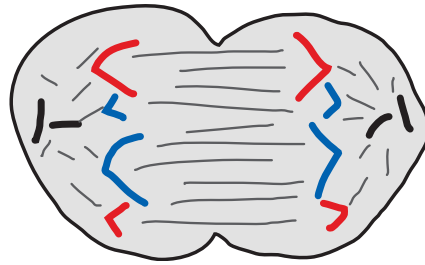
*Da da da dum (snap snap)
Da da da dum (snap snap)
Da da da dum, da da da dum, da da da dum (snap snap)*

*Metaphase, they line up neatly,
in the cell's equator zone,
Spindle fibers hold them steady,
in a line they're shown.*

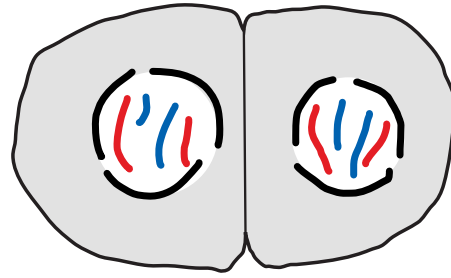


*Da da da dum (snap snap)
Da da da dum (snap snap)
Da da da dum, da da da dum,
da da da dum (snap snap)*

Anaphase, they start to separate,
 pulled to opposite poles,
 Chromatids moving toward each side,
 as the tension takes its toll.
 Da da da dum (snap snap)
 Da da da dum (snap snap)
 Da da da dum, da da da dum,
 da da da dum (snap snap)



Telophase sees the chromosomes,
 at poles they do reside,
 New nuclei form around them,
 in this final stride.
 Da da da dum (snap snap)
 Da da da dum (snap snap)
 Da da da dum, da da da dum,
 da da da dum (snap snap)



Cytokinesis, the last to come, as the cell begins to part,
 Two new cells emerge triumphant, mitosis, let's restart!
 Da da da dum (snap snap)
 Da da da dum (snap snap)
 Da da da dum, da da da dum, da da da dum (snap snap)

Interphase, prophase, metaphase, anaphase,
 Telophase, cytokinesis, mitosis we embrace! (snap snap)