Individual or Class Evidence? Answer yes or no and explain why. If the evidence could contain individual characteristics only under circumstances explain these. Complete and upload to Schoology.

1. Evidence: A torn red t-shirt was found at the scene…

\*Can a piece of red fabric found in the suspect’s car be individualized to the t-shirt?

2. Evidence: A random note found at the scene…

\*Can a note pad found at the suspect’s home of the same color and size of the note be considered the source of the ransom note?

3. Evidence: Small glass fragments found at the scene…

\*Can small glass fragments found in the suspect’s shoe be individualized to the glass found at the scene?

4. Evidence: A piece of broken coffee cup found at the scene…

\*Can large pieces of what looks like the coffee cup found in the suspect’s car be individualized to the cup found at the scene?

5. Evidence: A soda can with metal tabs on top was found next to the dead body…

\*Can tabs in the pocket of the suspect be individualized to the can found at the scene?

6. Evidence: White powder found in a crack pipe next to a dead body…

\*Can white powder at a dealer’s home be individualized to the white powder in the crack pipe?

7. Evidence: A casing from a 7.65mm bullet is found at a shooting…

\*Can a casing obtained from a suspect’s gun be individualized?

8. Evidence: Duct tape was found on the mouth of a murder victim…

\*Can a roll of duct tape found in the suspect’s trunk be individualized to the tape on the mouth of the victim?

9. Evidence: A tire track at the scene…

\*Can the tire print of the suspect’s truck be individualized to the track left at the scene?