## Sawaal-Jawaab Conversations on Science

## Clone Wars: the Science behind the Stem Cell Debate

What is cloning? And what are stem cells? Come and learn about new technologies for producing genetically identical individuals and cells. In addition to their enormous therapeutic potential, these technologies also bring a host of new social and ethical questions as they challenge our notions of regeneration and reproduction.





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