

Nova's Amazing Body Science

Learning objective: To identify and name parts of the human digestive system and understand how we eat.

Read each question carefully. Use the word bank to help you spell the names of the body parts. Write your answers clearly in the boxes provided.

Word bank: mouth · stomach · teeth · tongue · oesophagus

1. Nova wants to know what you use to chew your food into smaller pieces. Write your answer here: (1 mark)

2. Look at the list of words. Which part is a long tube that carries food from your mouth to your stomach? (1 mark)

3. After we swallow our food, it travels to a bag-like organ where it is broken down further. What is this organ called? (1 mark)

4. Why is it important to chew your food well before you swallow it? (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a simple outline of a human body and label the mouth, the oesophagus, and the stomach.



Extension challenge: Think about your favourite healthy meal. Can you write two sentences about why your body needs that food to stay strong?