

The Human Body (vocabulary)

1) Match these parts of the body with the correct section of the picture.

ankle / back / calf / chest / cheek / chin / elbow / eyelash / foot / forehead / heel / hip / instep / knee / navel / nostril / palm / scalp / shin / sole / stomach / thigh / throat / thumb / toenail / tongue / waist / wrist

I _____

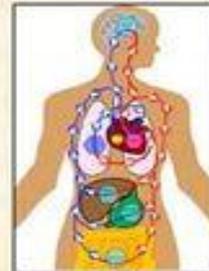
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2) INSIDE THE BODY. Match the sentence halves.

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| 1. The brain | A. cleans your blood and produces bile. |
| 2. The stomach | B. runs down your back. |
| 3. The ribs | C. controls your thoughts, feelings and movements. |
| 4. The heart | D. is the large bone which protects your brain. |
| 5. The skull | E. are bones which go round your chest. |
| 6. The lungs | F. is where the food which you eat gets broken down. |
| 7. The spine | G. are used for breathing. |
| 8. The liver | H. carry the blood around your body. |
| 9. Veins | I. pumps blood around your body. |



3) Complete the idioms with the parts of the body given in the box (one word you do not need). Then choose the correct meaning for the idiom. (a-c).

- He is very tactless and is always stepping on other people's _____.
He usually a) offends people. b) helps people. c) makes people happy.
- Tom didn't bat an _____ when Ann said she was leaving.
Tom wasn't a) awake. b) crying. c) surprised.
- How did you keep your _____ in such a difficult situation?
You need to a) work hard. b) be silent. c) stay calm.
- Sam twisted Jane's _____ and she lent him the money.
He a) upset her. b) persuaded her. c) told her everything.
- John was pulling your _____.
He was a) joking. b) angry with you. c) embarrassed.
- Can you give me a _____ clearing the table?
Can you a) lie to me? b) make me happy? c) help me?
- Ignore Mark: don't let him get under your _____.
Mark makes you a) very happy b) very annoyed c) very tired
- I'll stick my _____ out.
I'll a) think about it. b) take a risk. c) look.
- Mary sometimes speaks straight from her _____ and sometimes in puzzles.
She speaks a) slowly b) loudly c) honestly and frankly

- arm
- eyelid
- hand
- head
- leg
- knee
- neck
- shoulder
- skin
- toes

