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Digestive system worksheet

1. Define digestion (include mechanical and chemical)

2. Name 3 enzymes and how do they affect digestion?

3. Name 3 functions of the digestive system
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.

4. How many permanent teeth do you have?

5. What is the role of the tongue in the breaking down of food?

6. What is the uvula and what is it's purpose?

7. What is the epiglottis and what is it's purpose?

8. What is commonly called the food tube?

9. What is peristalsis?

10. What is reverse peristalsis?
11. Name 3 jobs of the stomach.
12. What 2 things enter the bloodstream directly from the stomach?
1 _____ 2 _____
13. Name 2 functions of the small intestine?
14. The large intestine absorbs _____, and eliminates
_____.
15. List 4 functions of the liver.
 1. _____
 2. _____
 3. _____
 4. _____
16. What does bile do?
17. What does the gall bladder do?
18. What does the pancreas do?
19. What does insulin do?
20. What is the first section of the small intestine called?

21. What enzyme acts on fat?
22. This separates the stomach and the esophagus>
23. What are villi? What do they do?
24. What is the simplest form of sugar?
25. Name a disease that affects the liver? What causes it?