

Respiratory system

Worksheet 1

MATCH THE WORDS WITH THEIR DEFINITIONS

WORD	DEFINITION
1. windpipe	A. the long tube in your body that processes food and carries waste out of your body
2. trachea	B. the large muscle between your lungs and your stomach that helps you breathe
3. airway	C. a long thin part inside your body that is shaped like a tube
4. vein	D. one of the two main tubes coming from your trachea that carry air into your lungs. It has many smaller tubes called bronchioles connected to it.
5. sneeze	E. - the plural of alveolus. The alveoli are tiny air sacs within the lungs where the exchange of oxygen and carbon dioxide takes place
6. cell	F. to open your mouth wide and take a big breath, usually because you are tired or bored
7. vein	G. a short repeated sound that you make in your throat without intending to, usually because you have been eating or drinking too quickly
8. hiccup	H. to loudly blow air out of your nose in a sudden uncontrolled way
9. yawn	I. the smallest part of a living structure that can operate as an independent unit
10. tube	J. one of the tubes in your body that carry blood to your heart. A tube that carries blood away from your heart is an artery
11. bronchus	K. the tube in your body that carries air into your lungs from your nose or mouth
12. diaphragm	L. the tube at the back of your throat that air travels down. A less technical word is windpipe
13. intestine	M. a tube in your body that carries air into your lungs from your nose or mouth