HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW ABOUT *the human body?*

1 What is the most common blood type?
a AB-
b B-
c O+

2 How much do fingernails grow per month?
a 0.75 mm
b 1.5 mm
c 3 mm

3 Where exactly is your heart?
a On the left of your chest.
b In the middle of your chest.
c In the middle of your chest, a bit to the left.

4 How long are the human intestines?
a 3.5 m
b 8.5 m
c 13.5 m

5 How many bones do you have when you are born?
a 206
b 300
c 426

6 How many hairs are there on the human scalp?
a 90,000–150,000
b 150,000–190,000
c 190,000–250,000

7 What is the human body's biggest organ?
a liver **b** brain **c** skin

8 What is the average thickness of human skin?
a 1–2 mm **b** 2–3 mm **c** 3–4 mm

9 Where is the largest muscle in your body?
a in your bottom
b in your thigh
c in your jaw

5 SPEAKING Work in pairs or small groups. Do the body quiz above.

6 1.26 Listen and check your answers to the quiz.

7 1.27 **VOCABULARY** Listen to four dialogues between doctors and their patients. Complete the table using the words below to complete the treatments.

Treatments antibiotics bandage cream dressing medicine painkillers X-ray

Patient	1	2	3	4
Part of the body injured				
When				
Treatment				

RECYCLE! Present perfect and past simple

a We use the present perfect for:
1 giving news, when we do not say exactly when the event happened.
2 talking about experiences.

b When we ask for or give specific information about the news or experience, we use the past simple.
'I've broken my wrist. I fell off my bike.'
'Have you ever broken your leg?' 'Yes, I broke my left leg last year.'

8 1.27 **Read the Recycle! box. Complete the extracts from the dialogues with the verbs in brackets. Use the present perfect or past simple. Listen again and check your answers.**

Dialogue 1
a My ankle really hurts. I think I _____ (twist) it.
b Yes, it's a bit swollen. You _____ (sprain) it.

Dialogue 2
c I _____ (have) an accident. I _____ (bang) my head.
d I _____ (trip) over the cat and _____ (hit) my head on the corner of a table.

Dialogue 3
e I _____ (hurt) my thumb. I _____ (trap) it in the car door.
f You _____ certainly _____ (bruise) it.
g It's really painful. Do you think I _____ (break) it?

Dialogue 4
h I _____ (burn) my hand. I _____ (pick up) a very hot saucepan.
i When _____ it _____ (happen)?

9 SPEAKING **Work in pairs. Ask and answer about experiences using the present perfect and the phrases below. If the answer is 'yes', give more information.**

Accidents and injuries bang your head break a bone bruise yourself badly burn yourself cut yourself badly have a bad nosebleed have a black eye sprain your wrist twist your ankle

Have you ever broken a bone?

No, I haven't. / Yes, I have. I broke my arm when I was ten. I was climbing a tree and I fell to the ground.

LIVEWORKSHEETS