THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM

Complete the text with the following words:

Blood blood vessels heart water oxygen nutrients waste products arteries veins capillaries Thorax lungs muscles heartbeat pumps blood contracts relaxes.

1. The circulatory system is made up of: , and .
2. Blood is a very important liquid in our body. It is mainly made up of It has other components, such as red blood cells. It transports , and .
3. Blood travels through long tubes called blood vessels. There are three types:
   3.1 carry blood from the heart to all the parts of the body. They transport nutrients and oxygen.
   3.2 carry blood back to the heart.
   3.3 connect arteries and veins. They are the smallest blood vessels.
4. The heart is the organ that around the body through the blood vessels. It has the size of a fist and it is located in the between the . It is made up of . It contracts and relaxes, producing the
5. When the heart , it pumps blood into the arteries.
6. When the heart , blood from the veins enters the heart.

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