

# Our senses and our brain

## Listen and complete

brain - texture - smell - Food - together - organs – sense- see – taste - mouth

Each \_\_\_\_\_ organ gives **one** sense, but we usually use them \_\_\_\_\_. Very often, the sense organs work together to send information to the \_\_\_\_\_. Our brains combine all these different messages and use them to identify things.

\_\_\_\_\_ is a good example of this combined work of the sense \_\_\_\_\_.

We \_\_\_\_\_ food, we \_\_\_\_\_ food, we \_\_\_\_\_ food, we hear the sounds of food when we eat and we feel the \_\_\_\_\_ and temperature of the food inside our \_\_\_\_\_.



### Did you know?



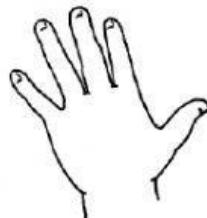
Most of the eyeball is hidden in your skull.



Taste buds are not the tiny bumps you can see on your tongue. Those are called **papillae**. Taste buds are mostly found on the papillae but are too small to see. Your tongue has about 10,000 taste buds.



As you get older, your sense of smell gets worse.



Skin is the largest organ.



The ear cleans itself. Sticky wax inside the ear traps dirt. When the wax dries up, it moves to the outside of your ear and falls out. Your ear is always making more wax.

**Choose TRUE or FALSE.**

A\_ The brain receives information from the sense organs. \_\_\_\_\_

B\_ Our brains combine all these different messages and use them to identify things. \_\_\_\_\_

C\_ You use more than one sense when you eat. \_\_\_\_\_

D\_ Skin is the shortest organ. \_\_\_\_\_

E\_ The ear is always making more wax. \_\_\_\_\_