

THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM

1. Match the questions to the answers:

- a. What takes the blood around the body? → _____
- b. What do veins do? → _____
- c. What is the circulatory system? → _____
- d. Where does blood give nutrients and oxygen to cells? → _____
- e. What is a heartbeat? → _____
- f. What is blood made up of? → _____
- g. How often does the heart beat? → _____

- 1. A transport system that takes blood to all parts of the body.
- 2. Each time the heart pumps.
- 3. Is usually beats 60 to 100 times a minute.
- 4. Plasma, white and red cells and platelets.
- 5. In the capillaries.
- 6. They return the blood back to the heart.
- 7. Blood vessels.

2. Choose: true or false? Then, correct the false ones.

- Plasma carries nutrients and also red cells, white cells and capillaries. **T/F**

- The red cells fight infection, the white cells carry oxygen. **T/F**

- Platelets help the blood to clot and form scabs. **T/F**

- The circulatory system works continuously, never stopping. **T/F**

3. Choose the odd one out.

- a) red cells, white cells, clots, platelets.
- b) Veins, nutrients, arteries, capillaires.