

Focus: I know the function of the different parts of the digestive system

Match the part of the digestive system to the correct function.

Oesophagus
(gullet)

Tongue

Colon
(large intestine)

Stomach

Teeth

Ileum
(small intestine)

Grinds up the food making it small enough to swallow.

Carries food from the mouth to the stomach. It is about 25cm

Breaks down food using acid from its lining.

Absorbs water from undigested food and makes faeces (poo).

Absorbs nutrients and minerals from the food.

Moves food from the mouth towards the end of the



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Focus: I know the basic parts of the digestive system

Place the parts of the digestive system, and the labels, in the correct order. Does your partner agree with you? Can you remember what any of the parts do?

