



Joints – Assessment

Read and answer the following questions correctly

1. Define the term joint. (**Answer using a complete sentence**)

2. Explain the difference between cartilage and ligaments. (**Answer using a complete sentence**)

3. Suture joints do not move. Which word describes suture joints?

4. Match the name of the joints with the correct definition

JOINTS

DEFINITIONS

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| a. Pivot | allow joints to move in a circle |
| b. Ball and socket | allow joints to bend or straighten out |
| c. Hinge | allow joints to move from side to side |

5. Read each statement. Write true if the statement is true or false if the statement is false on the lines provided.

- (a) _____ plane joints allow the spine to bend and twist.
- (b) _____ the neck is an example of a hinge joint.
- (c) _____ the kneecap is an example of a suture joint.