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Check your understanding: multiple choice - circle the best option

1. Only about one tenth of the cells in your body are _____.
a. alive. b. really you. c. bacteria.
2. Bacteria are mostly _____.
a. really helpful. b. bad for humans. c. neither good or bad.
3. Animals need bacteria to ...
a. fight diseases. b. provide energy. c. digest food.
4. You have _____ cells in your body.
a. 7 million b. 7 trillion c. 7 octillion
5. Most of the atoms are _____.
a. tiny cubes. b. not used. c. empty space.
6. You probably have mites in your _____.
a. hair. b. ears. c. eyelashes.
7. Mites are very small creatures that are about _____.
a. 3 millimetres long. b. a third of a millimetre long. c. 0.03 millimetres long.
8. Mites eat _____.
a. dead skin. b. your eyelashes. c. tiny insects.

Check your understanding: gap fill typing

Do this exercise while you listen. Complete the sentences with a word or words.

1. Only one tenth of the cells in your body are really you. The rest are _____.
2. An experiment found that animals that did not have bacteria _____ or had to have a special diet.
3. There are _____ octillion cells in the human body.
4. Most of the atoms in the human body are just empty _____.
5. Without the empty space, you could fit your body inside a box measuring _____ of a centimetre either side.
6. You would be much too small to _____.
7. Mites are really small creatures, like _____.
8. They live in eyelashes and _____.
9. Only about _____ per cent of people have mites.
10. Mites eat dead _____.

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