

Saliva Search (Middle School Version)

SALIVA: A MOUTHWATERING RECIPE FOR HEALTH

Match the element to its description

Antibody	stimulate cell division
Histatin	responsible for body immunity
Growth factors	has anti-bacterial properties

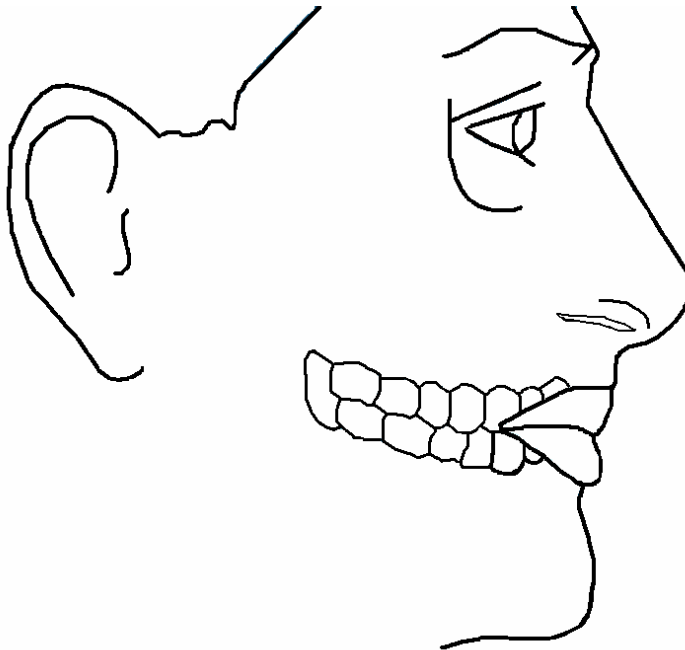
SALIVA SOUND BITES

Circle the correct answer

T	F	4% of saliva contains enzymes and proteins
T	F	Saliva is between 6.0 and 7.0 Mph

SALIVA HAPPENS

Draw and label the major salivary glands in the drawing below.



HOW DRY IS DRY?

Draw a fissured tongue.

Word scramble

Sbaws _____

Ecvimliee _____

What do these two have in common?

ABOUT SPIT

Fill in the blank using one of the words below.

Polio

Mouth

Sugars

1. Digestion begins in the _____.
2. Saliva breaks down starches into _____.
3. Saliva contains antibodies that help protect against disease such as _____.

REFLECTING ON SALIVA

What food(s) make your mouth water? _____

What thought makes your mouth feel dry? _____

MIRROR TO YOUR HEALTH

1. Go to the screen, "What Can Saliva Be Used For?"
2. Select one of the 7 questions.
3. Perform the test.
4. What were your results? _____

GENE TRANSFER

What does the protein Aquaporin-1 do? _____

Why is this so important? _____

THANK YOU FOR VISITING SALIVA: A REMARKABLE FLUID



