

Life Science Test Chapter 18

Name _____

Vocabulary:

Capillaries	plasma	testes	valve	endocrine system
Pancreas	white blood cells	arteries	ovaries	integumentary system

1. The _____ in digestion and blood sugar regulation.
2. A blood cell that helps fight infection: _____.
3. Production of sperm and testosterone take place in the _____.
4. The skin, nails, and hair are part of the _____.
5. The failure of a heart _____ to properly close could cause the blood to flow backwards in the vessels.
6. The network of small blood vessels that allow oxygen and other substances to flow into tissue are _____.
7. Red and white blood cells are suspended in a fluid called _____.
8. The _____ is a group of glands that produce hormones and release them into the blood.
9. _____ carry blood away from the heart.
10. Organs that produce eggs and female sex hormones are in the _____.

Select the best answer:

11. Which of the following is true?
 - A. Blood moves most quickly in the capillaries?
 - B. Heart valves force blood through the heart.
 - C. More than half of your blood is red blood cells.
 - D. Large veins have one-way valves to channel the blood back towards the heart.

12. Which hormone is involved in determining the male sex characteristics?
 - A. Testosterone
 - B. Estrogen
 - C. Insulin

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D. Epinephrine

13. Of the following, which would have the most widespread effect if damaged?

A. Pituitary gland

B. Testes

C. Ovaries

D. Adrenal Gland

Short Answer:

14. Why is the muscle wall thicker around the left side of the heart?

15. List two organs in the digestive system.

16. List two organs in the excretory system.

17. List three functions of the integumentary system.

18. Why do the walls of the arteries need to be thicker than the walls of veins?

19. List the three types of blood vessels.

20. What is your body's largest organ?

21. Draw and label the cross section of the skin. Label the three layers, include hair, sweat gland, blood vessels, nerve ending, oil gland. (please attach)