

Years 3-5 Revision Sheet 3 Skeleton Word Definitions

Write a definition in Column B for the word or phrase in Column A

<u>Column A</u>	<u>Column B</u>
1. GREENSTICK	1. _____
2. CARTILAGE	2. _____
3. FRACTURE	3. _____
4. SKELETON	4. _____
5. PLASTER	5. _____
6. CALCIUM	6. _____
7. GROWING	7. _____
8. OSTEO	8. _____
9. TEETH	9. _____
10. BLOOD	10. _____
11. DAIRY	11. _____
12. SKULL	12. _____
13. JOINT	13. _____
14. HINGE	14. _____
15. LEAFY	15. _____
16. MILK	16. _____
17. FEMUR	17. _____
18. FEET	18. _____
19. RIBS	19. _____
20. HAND	20. _____

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Column A

Column B

1. GREENSTICK occurs in young children as their bones are more pliable (moveable); incomplete fracture whereby one side is broken and the other (inner) side is only bent
2. CARTILAGE a tough, fibrous connective tissue found in various parts of the body, eg joints
3. FRACTURE a complete or incomplete break in a bone or cartilage
4. SKELETON the internal supporting structure; the human has 206 bones
5. PLASTER this is used to immobilise (stop movement) the bones while the fracture is healing
6. CALCIUM the very important mineral is stored in bones
7. GROWING these pains thought to affect the muscles and usually felt at night, affect children from ages 3-5 and 8-10
8. OSTEO the Greek word for 'bone'
9. TEETH hard, bony enamel-coated structures in the jaws of most vertebrates; the only part of the skeleton that can be seen
10. BLOOD carries nutrients and minerals around the body
11. DAIRY important to include in your diet as it is a rich source of calcium
12. SKULL its main function is to protect the brain
13. JOINT where two or more bones meet to allow for movement
14. HINGE the knee is an example of this type of joint
15. LEAFY _____ green vegetables are another source of calcium
16. MILK a dairy product high in calcium
17. FEMUR the largest bone in the human body
18. FEET an infant is born with many bones here which fuse together later
19. RIBS humans have 12 pairs of these
20. HAND the end of a person's arm beyond the wrist, including the palm, fingers and thumb