

Digestive System/Nutrition Test

Name:

1. What is the difference between chemical and mechanical digestion?
2. Is defecation a mechanical or chemical process?
3. In the stomach, what type of cell secretes
 - a. Hydrochloric acid?
 - b. Pepsinogen?
 - c. Mucus?
 - d. Intrinsic factor?
 - e. Gastrin?
 - f. Serotonin/Histamine?
4. What are the functions of saliva?
5. Name the four lobes of the liver.
6. What causes flatulence?
7. Vitamins _____, _____, _____, and _____ are fat soluble.
8. In the _____ of your small intestine, iron, calcium, and magnesium are absorbed.
9. How many essential vitamins and minerals are there total?
10. What is the most important function of the pancreas?
11. There are a total of _____ essential and non-essential proteins that your body needs.
12. Name 2 functions of cholesterol.
13. Vitamin _____ enables you to produce myelin.
14. Scurvy is a condition caused by lack of _____.
15. The largest salivary gland is the _____.
16. What function does the uvula serve?