

# Anatomy - Circulatory and Respiratory System Cheat Sheet by baker\_fam via cheatography.com/203284/cs/43279/

#### **Respiratory System Function**

To move fresh air into your body while removing waste gases (carbon dioxide). Once in the lungs, oxygen is moved into the bloodstream and carried through your body.

#### Parts of the Respiratory System

Nose

pharynx (throat)

larynx (voice box)

trachea (windpipe)

bronchi

lungs

#### **Circulatory System Function**

The circulatory system, also called the cardiovascular system moves oxygen and nutrients to your body's cells to use for energy, growth and repair. It also removes carbon dioxide and other waste products that your cells do not need.

#### Circulatory System 101

Blood low in oxygen collects in the heart's right atrium	The high in <b>oxygen</b> blood moves to the <b>left</b> atrium
It moves into the right ventricle and gets pumped into the lungs	It moves into the <b>left ventricle</b> . The ventricle pumps the blood through the <b>aorta</b> and <b>arteries</b>
Red blood cells pick up the oxygen and get rid of the carbon dioxide	The blood gathers <b>nutrients</b> from the <b>small intestine</b>
You then <b>exhale</b> the carbon dioxide	The blood enters the <b>capillaries</b> and makes contact with <b>tissue and cells</b> , where it delivers oxygen and removes carbon dioxide

#### Digestion

Digestion is the process of breaking down complex foods into simple nutrients that the body can absorb.

The blood travels back to the heart's right

atrium and they cycle starts again.

and waste.

Physical and Chemical Digestion	
Physical Digestion	Chemical Digestion
Slicing, grinding and mixing. Breaking substances into smaller pieces	Using chemical reactions to convert substances into simpler chemicals
No new substances are	So that nutrients can be easily

#### Muscles that aid the respiratory system

Lungs are not muscles and can't move on their own. They are helped by the diaphragm and the intercostal muscles between the ribs.

absorbed

Breathing	

introduced

Breathing 101	
What happens when we breathe in	What happens when we breathe out
Inspiration Happens	Expiration Happens
You breathe in by <b>contracting</b> your <b>diaphragm</b> . This causes the <b>chest to expand</b> , drawing air in through your <b>nose</b> .	The diaphragm relaxes
The intercostal muscles contract to make room for the air.	The intercostal muscle relaxes and the air is forced out through the lungs.
Air then passes into through the <b>upper</b>	Our chest becomes

airways, including the trachea (windpipe) and bronchi to reach your lungs.

smaller as all the air is gone.

### Key parts of circulatory system

Blood	Made up of red and white blood cells
The heart	a muscular <b>organ</b> that pumps blood to all parts of the body
Blood vessels	Includes <b>arteries</b> , <b>capillaries and veins</b> to carry blood pumped by the heart

## Difference between arteries and veins.

Arteries	moves blood away from heart
Veins	carries blood to the heart

#### The Digestive System

A group of organs that food passes through and is broken down called the Digestive tract

Other organs that help digestion saliva glands, liver and pancreas



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Digestive Tract	
Stomach	The stomach is a large muscle that breaks down food with acid
Small Intestine	An 11-foot coil of tube where most of the nutrients of food are absorbed
Large Intestine	Main job is to extract water from the digested food. <b>Bacteria produce enzymes</b> that break down complex carbs



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