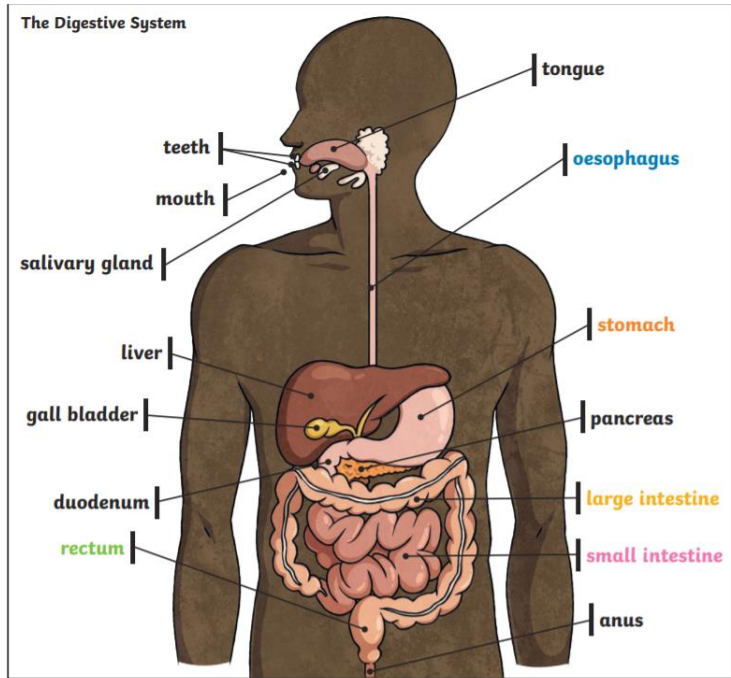


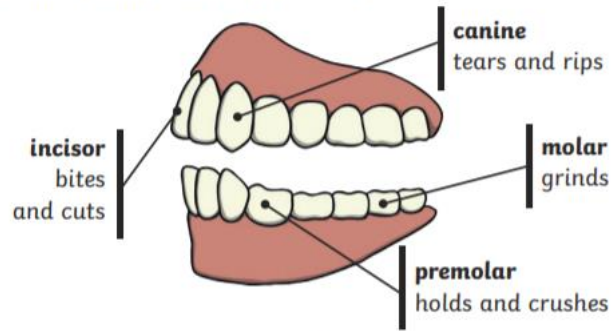
**The Digestive System**

The digestive system is the system of organs that get food in and out of the body and which make use of the food to keep the body healthy.

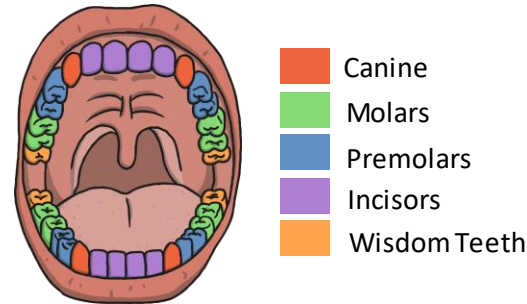


**Teeth**

**Human Teeth and Their Functions**



Some people have wisdom teeth but they have no function now.



**To help prevent tooth decay:**

- limit sugary food and drink;
- brush teeth at least twice daily using a fluoride toothpaste;
- visit your dentist regularly.



**Vocabulary**

Digest	Break down food so it can be used by the body.
Oesophagus	A muscular tube which moves food from the mouth to the stomach.
Stomach	An organ in the digestive system where food is broken down with stomach acid and being churned around.
Small Intestine	Part of the intestine where nutrients are absorbed into the body.
Large Intestine	Part of the intestine where water is absorbed from remaining waste food. Faeces are formed here.
Nutrients	substances that support our immune systems, maintain healthy bones and teeth and support growth.
Decay	To rot or become rotten.