

DIGESTIVE SYSTEM

Fill in the blanks.

- 1 _____ is the breaking down of nutrients into smaller pieces so that they can be used by the body.
- 2 Digestion begins in the _____.
- 3 The pharynx sends the food from the mouth to the _____.
- 4 Food coming from the esophagus is collected in the _____.
- 5 The food pipe, stomach, small intestine and large intestine are parts of the _____ system.
- 6 The _____ absorbs the water in the nutrient fibers.
- 7 _____ is a digestive juice found in our mouth.
- 8 From the stomach, the food passes into the _____ intestine.
- 9 The food remains in the stomach for up to _____ hours.
- 10 The 20-25 cm part of the small intestine near the stomach is called the _____.