

THE BODY - DEFINITIONS

Head /hed/ - The part of your body above your neck which contains your brain, eyes, ears, mouth, nose, etc and on which your hair grows.

Beard /biəd/ - The hair that grows on a man's chin.

Cheek /tʃi:k/ - The soft part of your face which is below your eye and between your mouth and ear

Chin /tʃɪn/ - The bottom part of your face, below your mouth.

Ear /ɪər/ - One of the two organs on your head that you hear with.

Eye /aɪ/ - One of the two organs in your face, which you use to see with.

Eyebrow /'aɪbrəʊ/ - The thin line of hair that is above each eye.

Eyelashes /'aɪləʃɪz/ - One of the short hairs that grow from the edge of your eyelids.

Eyelid /'aɪlɪd/ - The piece of skin that covers your eye when you close it.

Face /feɪs/ - The front part of the head where the eyes, nose, and mouth are, or the expression on this part.

Forehead /'fɔːhed/ - The part of your face between your eyes and your hair.

Hair /heər/ - The thin, thread-like parts that grow on your head.

Jaw /dʒɔː/ - Either of the two bones in your mouth that contain your teeth.

Lips /lɪps/ - The two soft, red edges of the mouth.

Moustache /mə'staːʃ/ - A line of hair that some men grow above their mouths.

Mouth /maʊθ/ - The part of the face that is used for eating and speaking.

Neck /nek/ - The part of the body between your head and your shoulders.

Nose /nəʊz/ - The part of your face through which you breathe and smell.

Sideboards /'saɪd,bɔː(r)dz/ - Hair that grows down a man's cheeks.

Teeth /tiːθ/ - Plural of tooth: one of the hard, white objects in your mouth that you use for biting and crushing food.

Throat /θrəʊt/ - The back part of your mouth and the passages inside your neck.

Tongue /tʌŋ/ - The soft thing inside your mouth that you move and use for tasting and speaking.

Tooth /tuːθ/ - One of the hard, white objects in your mouth that you use for biting and crushing food.

Hands /hændz/ - The parts of your body on the end of your arms that have fingers and a thumb.

Fingers /'fɪŋgərs/ - Everyone of the five, long, separate parts at the end of your hand, including your thumb.

Palm /pɑːm/ - The inside surface of your hand.

Index finger /'ɪndeks fɪŋgə / - The finger next to your thumb.

Little finger /'lɪtl fɪŋgə / The smallest finger on each hand.

Middle finger /'mɪdl fɪŋgə / The longest finger on the hand.

Ring finger /rɪŋ fɪŋgə / The finger nearest to your little finger.

Thumb /θʌm/ - The short, thick finger on the side of your hand that can touch the top of all your other fingers.

Fist /fɪst/ - A hand closed into a ball with the fingers and thumb curled tightly together.

Nail /neɪl/ - The hard surface at the end of your fingers and toes.

Wrist /rɪst/ - The part of your body between your hand and your arm.

Ankle /'æŋkl/ - The part of your leg that is just above your foot.

Arm /ɑ:m/ - The long part at each side of the human body, ending in a hand.

Armpit /'ɑ:mpɪt/ - The part of your body under your arm, where your arm meets your shoulder.

Back /bæk/ - The part of your body from your shoulders to your bottom.

Blood /blʌd/ - The red liquid that flows around your body.

Bone /bəʊn/ - One of the hard pieces that make the structure inside a person or animal.

Bottom /'bɒtəm/ - The part of your body that you sit on.

Brain /breɪn/ - The organ inside your head that controls your thoughts, feelings, and movements.

Calf /kɑ:f/ - The back of your leg below your knee.

Chest /tʃest/ - The front of your body between your neck and your waist.

Elbow /'elbəʊ/ - The part in the middle of your arm where it bends.

Feet /fi:t/ - Plural of foot.

Foot /fʊt/ - One of the two flat parts on the ends of your legs that you stand on.

Heart /hɑ:t/ - The organ inside your chest that sends blood around your body.

Heel /hi:l/ - The back part of your foot.

Hip /hɪp/ - One of the two parts of your body above your leg and below your waist.

Kidney /'kɪdni/ - One of the two organs in your body which remove waste from the blood and produce urine.

Knee /ni:/ - The middle part of your leg where it bends.

Leg /leg/ - One of the parts of the body of a human or animal that is used for standing and walking.

Liver /'lɪvər/ - A large organ in your body that cleans your blood.

Lung /lʌŋ/ - One of the two organs inside your chest that are used for breathing.

Muscle /'mʌsl/ - One of many pieces of tissue in the body that are connected to bones and which produce movement by becoming longer or shorter.

Navel /'neɪvəl/ - The small, round, and usually hollow place on your stomach, where you were connected to your mother before birth.

Paunch /pɔ:ntʃ/ - A fat stomach, especially on a man.

Shoulder /'ʃəʊldər/ - Where your arm joins your body next to your neck.

Skeleton /'skelɪtən/ - The structure made of all the bones in the body of a person or animal.

Sole /səʊl/ - The bottom part of your foot that you walk on.

Stomach /'stʌmək/ - The organ inside your body where food goes after it has been eaten and where it starts to be digested.

Thigh /θaɪ/ - The top part of your leg above your knee.

Toes /təʊs/ - The five separate parts at the end of your foot.

Trunk /trʌŋk/ - The main part of your body, not your head, legs, or arms.

Veins /veɪnz/ - The tubes in your body that carries blood to your heart.

Waist /weɪst/ - The part around the middle of your body where you wear a belt.