

**Chapter 21 Digestion****Vocabulary Review****Word Search**

Read each description. Write the word or words in the blanks. The letters inside the squares will spell the main topic of the chapter. Write the topic in the space provided.

1. Process by which large food molecules are broken into smaller molecules
2. Liquid that breaks down large drops of fat into tiny droplets
3. Flap of tissue that covers the opening to the windpipe
4. Film that forms on the teeth
5. Small organ below the stomach that releases digestive juices into the small intestine
6. Wavelike movement that moves food through the digestive system
7. Process that physically breaks down food into small pieces
8. Contains an enzyme that starts the chemical digestion of food
9. Hole in the lining of the stomach or small intestine
10. Enzyme that begins the chemical digestion of protein
11. Passageway for both food and air
12. Solid waste materials
13. Lower part of the large intestine
14. Proteins that control chemical reactions in the body
15. Thick liquid released from the stomach into the small intestine

1. Chemical Digestion

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3. EpGlottis

4. Plaque

5. Pancreas

6. Peristalsis

7. Mechanical digestion

8. Saliva

9. Ulcer

10. Pepsin

11. Pharynx

12. Feces

13. Rectum

14. Enzymes

15. Chyme

Chapter Topic: \_\_\_\_\_