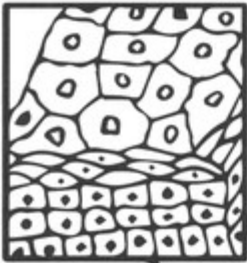


The Human Body

A human body is an awesome wonder. Billions of different microscopic parts work together to keep you going.

The human body is made up of four types of structures:



Cells

We begin as a single cell and then multiply into trillions that make up our bodies.

Systems

Systems are the most complex elements, consisting of organs arranged to perform functions for the body.

Tissues

A tissue is a group of many similar cells connected together for a particular purpose.

Organs

An organ is a group of different kinds of tissues arranged to perform a special activity, such as the stomach—which is muscle, nerves, and other tissues working together to digest food.