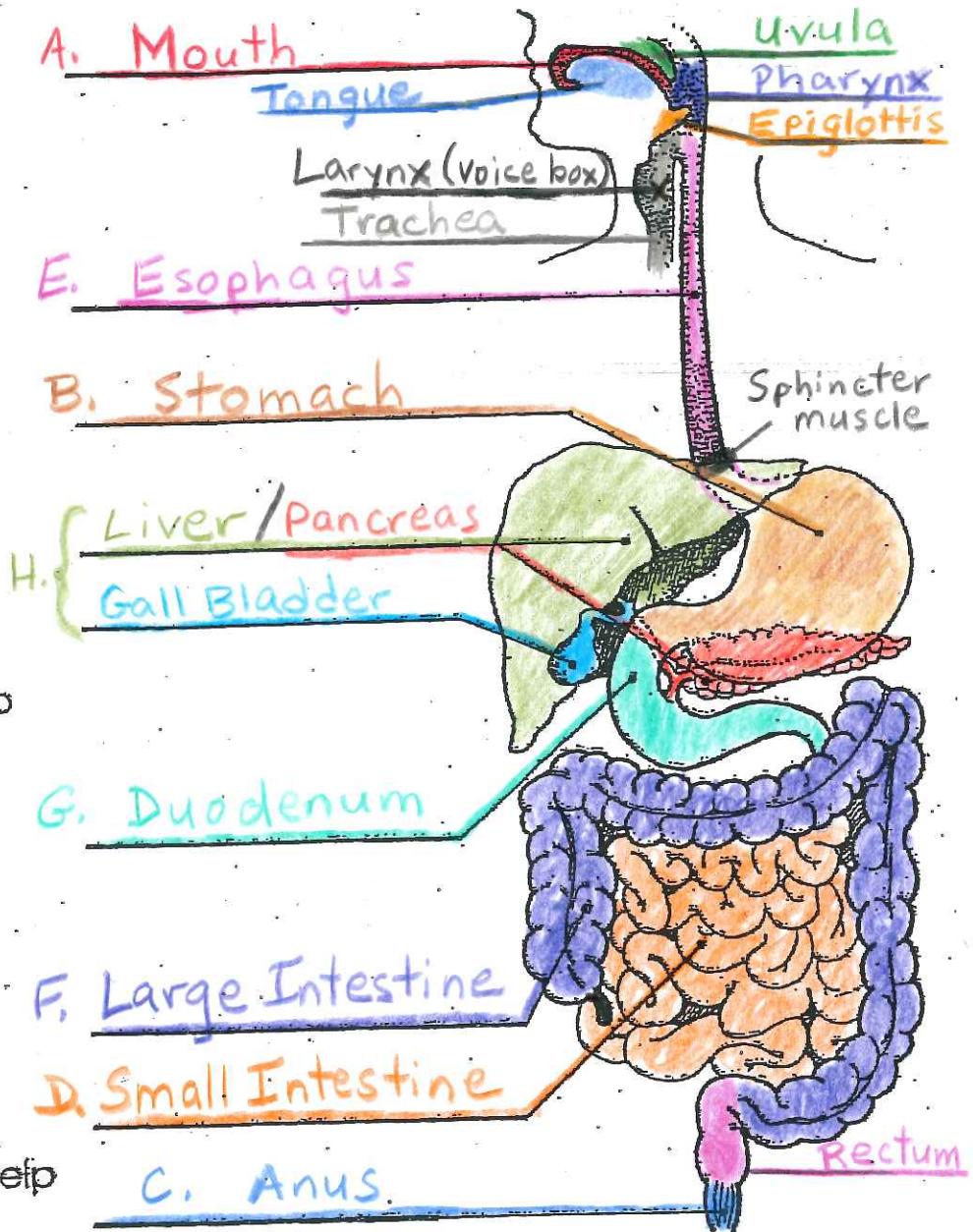


Your Long Food Tube

Name: _____

Your digestive system is like a big tube that carries the food you eat through your body. Label each part with words from the WORD BANK. Draw a line from the description to the part of the digestive system.

- A. "I'm the entrance to the food tube. I chew the food up well."
- B. "I store the food for 3-4 hours while digestion is occurring. My churning breaks down protein."
- C. "Waste exits from my opening."
- D. "Final digestion takes place in my 20-foot-long tube."
- E. "I'm a muscular tube that squeezes the food down to the stomach."
- F. "I store the solid waste and remove the water."
- G. "I'm the first part of the small intestine. Food enters me after it leaves the stomach."
- H. "We make chemicals to help break down the food."



epiglottis
sphincter muscle
small intestine
anus
esophagus

WORD BANK
large intestine
duodenum
mouth

pharynx
stomach
liver, pancreas
gall bladder
larynx
uvula
trachea
rectum
tongue