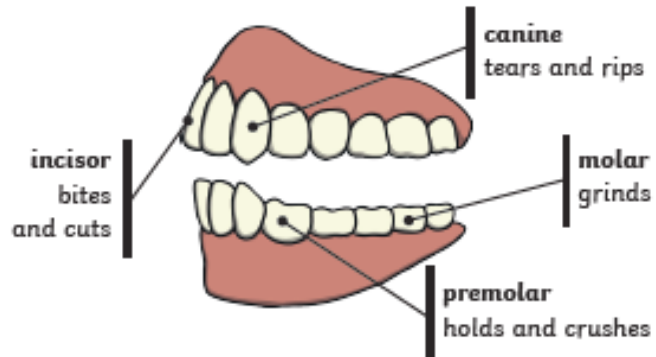


### Year 4: Biology: Animals including Humans: What happens to our food when we eat it?

Human Teeth and Their Functions



Some people have wisdom teeth but they have no function now.

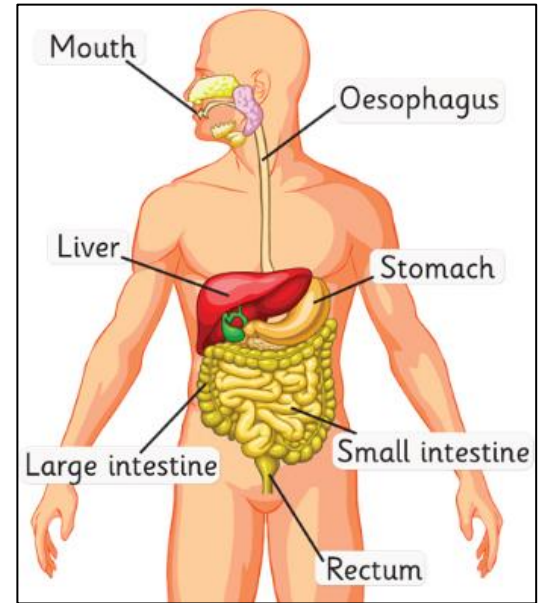
To help prevent tooth decay:

- limit sugary food and drink;
- brush teeth twice daily using a fluoride toothpaste;
- visit your dentist regularly.



#### Key Vocabulary

<b>herbivore</b>	An animal that eats plants.
<b>carnivore</b>	An animal that feeds on other animals.
<b>omnivore</b>	An animal that eats plants and animals.
<b>producer</b>	A plant that produces its own food.
<b>predator</b>	An animal that hunts and eats other animals.
<b>prey</b>	An animal that gets hunted and eaten by another animal.



<b>digest</b>	Break down food so it can be used by the body.
<b>oesophagus</b>	A muscular tube which moves food from the mouth to the stomach.
<b>stomach</b>	An organ in the digestive system where food is broken down with stomach acid and by being churned around.
<b>small intestine</b>	Part of the intestine where nutrients are absorbed into the body.
<b>large intestine</b>	Part of the intestine where water is absorbed from remaining waste food. Stools are formed in the large intestine.
<b>rectum</b>	Part of the digestive system where stools are stored before leaving the body through the anus.

An Example of a Food Chain

The arrows in a food chain show the flow of energy.

