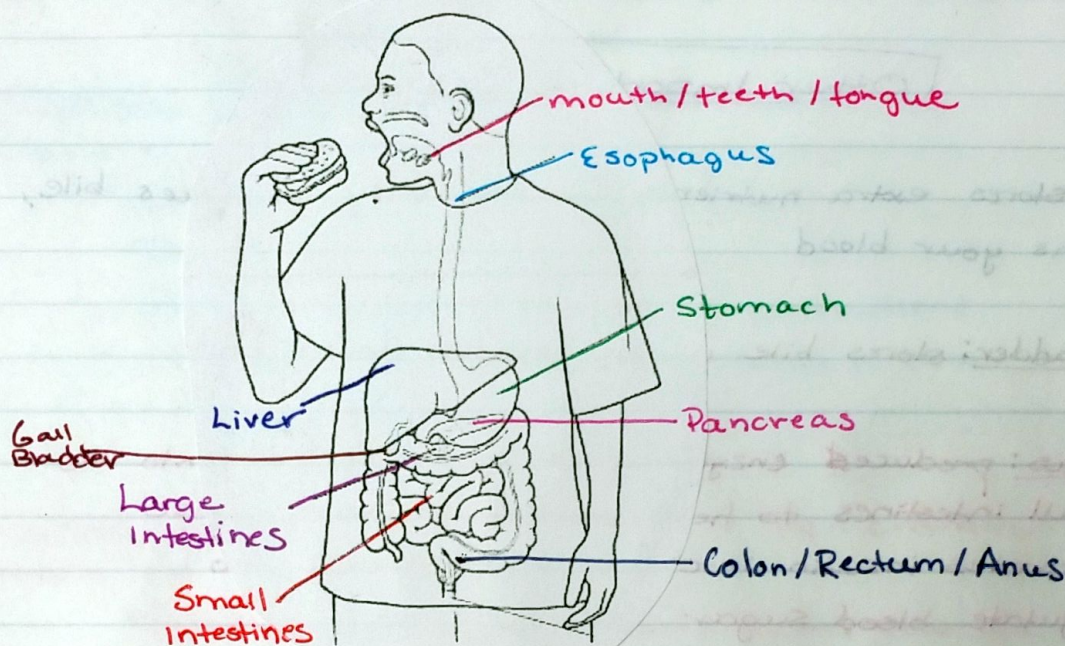


Digestive System

Digestive Tract: path food takes through the body



1. Mouth/Teeth/Tongue: uses mechanical and chemical digestion to break down food into smaller pieces

2. Esophagus: moves food from pharynx (throat) to the stomach

3. Stomach: uses mechanical and chemical (kills bacteria) digestion to liquify food into chyme.

4. Small Intestines: absorbs nutrients from chyme, nutrients enter the blood system.

5. Large Intestines: absorbs excess water