

2. TEETH**A. Fill in the blanks.**

1. Premolars and molars are meant for _____ and chewing.
2. Bacteria in the mouth produce _____, which causes cavities.
3. The two minerals that make up most of a tooth are phosphorus and _____.
4. Eating food that has fibre increases the flow of _____ in the mouth.
5. A doctor who looks after the teeth and gums is called a _____.

B. Choose the correct answer.

1. The hardest substance in the body is
a. dentine b. bone c. enamel
2. The number of teeth in a set of milk teeth is
a. 32 b. 28 c. 20
3. The part of the tooth that we can see is the
a. dentine b. crown c. root
4. The soft, innermost part of a tooth that has blood vessels and nerves is the
a. pulp b. root c. dentine
5. Which of these is not good for the teeth?
a. Cheese b. Nuts c. Chocolates

*C - Match the Followings***Column A**

1. Milk teeth
2. Incisors
3. Canines
4. Wisdom teeth
5. Premolars

Column B

- a. For tearing
- b. Not found in a set of milk teeth
- c. Appear at around six months of age
- d. For cutting
- e. Last molars

D. Write short answers.

1. What are the different types of teeth that make up a full set of permanent teeth? How many teeth are there in all?
2. At about what age do permanent teeth start appearing?
3. Why are the last molars called wisdom teeth?
4. What are the two jobs that teeth have?
5. Why do teeth decay?