

Question 1.

What is a 'microbe'?

- a) A virus
- b) A bacterium
- c) A fungus
- d) A parasite
- e) All of the above

Question 2.

A bacterium is smaller than a virus? True or false

Question 3.

What is MRSA?

- a) A space agency
- b) A type of virus
- c) A type of bacteria
- d) The Irish Motorway and Road Safety Association
- e) None of the above

Question 4.

The word *Probiotics* means....

- a) Destruction of life
- b) For life
- c) Robot life
- d) Food for life
- e) None of the above

Question 5.

Bacteria help you digest your food? True or false?

Question 6.

Microbes are called, microbes because....?

- a) they are killed by micro-waves
- b) you can hear them when they are near a micro-phone
- c) they are so small, they can only be seen using a micro-scope
- d) they have micro-chips that help them remember information
- e) None of the above

Question 7.

Where do bacteria live in your body?

- a) In your mouth
- b) In your gut
- c) Up your nose
- d) On your skin
- e) All of the above

Question 8.

GI Jake is called a *bifidobacterium* because the word 'bifido' means...?

- a) two ears
- b) two shades of green
- c) two joined bacteria
- d) two lobes
- e) none of the above

Question 9.

Viruses are parasites? True or false?

Question 10.

A parasite can live anywhere? True or false?

Question 11.

All bacteria are bad! True or false?

Question 12.

How many different species of bacteria live in your gut and help to keep you healthy?

- a) 10
- b) 100
- c) 200
- d) 400
- e) More than 400!

Question 13.

An adult human gut is home to almost 2 kilograms of friendly bacteria! True or false?

Question 14.

Your body has two main defences against disease or invaders? True or False?

Question 15.

How long have micro-organisms been alive?

- a) fifty years
- b) hundreds of years
- c) thousands of years
- d) millions of years
- e) None of the above

Question 16.

Does a virus cause....

- a) chickenpox
- b) flu
- c) measles
- d) a cold
- e) all of the above

Question 17.

You can eat some types of fungi - True or false?

Question 18.

What shape are bacteria?

- a) rod
- b) sphere
- c) spiral
- d) none of the above
- e) all of the above

Question 19.

Bacteria cannot live in very hot or very cold temperatures. True or false?

Question 20.

Viruses can infect other micro-organisms like bacteria? True or false?