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The Human Body - Respiratory System
Lesson 1: Taking a Breath - Vocab Terms 1

Match the meaning to the vocabulary term.

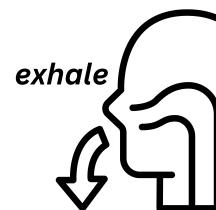
1. ____ breathe (bree-th)	A. The act of breathing.
2. ____ respiration (res-pur-ray-shuhn)	B. To breathe out.
3. ____ inhale (in-hayl)	C. Bones that protect the lungs and heart and help us breathe.
4. ____ exhale (eks-hayl)	D. Something humans do where air moves in and out of the body.
5. ____ rib cage (rib kay-j)	E. To breathe in.

Show understanding. Add images if you'd like.

Pick **two** terms. Write 1-2 sentences using the word in a way that explains its meaning.

Example

Exhale. For my sister's birthday, we wanted to blow up the balloons ourselves. We had to exhale a lot of air each time we blew, and it took quite a few times to blow up one balloon.



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Root meanings of words.

Words can come from different **root languages**. Explain the root meaning of **one term**.

Tip

- Try using a Google search asking “where does the word _____ come from?”
- Make sure to look down the list of sources to find one with a clear explanation. Don’t just use the first one made by AI without checking if there are other better ones first.

Example

The word **inhale** comes from the Latin word “inhalare”, which means “to breathe upon. The “in” part is a prefix that means “in” or “into”. So “inhale” means to breathe in.

Extra activity.

A **prefix** is a group of letters that go in front of a root word to change its meaning.

Example

- **in** - means “in” or “into”. Another meaning is “not” or “opposite”.

List a word from the terms on the previous page that uses this prefix.

1. _____

Examples of words that begin with the prefix **in**.

- inactive - means not active
- Inbox - means emails that have come in
- Incomplete - means not complete
- Inhabit - means to live in

Write 1-2 sentences using a word with the **in** prefix.

Example.

Our dog Milo is **inactive**. He is so lazy that he just lies around all day.
