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Lesson 2: Our Beating Heart - Vocab Terms 2

Match the meaning to the vocabulary term.

1. ____ heart (haart)	A. Red fluid that goes to all parts of the body through arteries and veins.
2. ____ pulse (puh-lss)	B. Movement to and from or around something.
3. ____ circulation (sur-kyoo-lay-shuhn)	C. An organ that pumps blood.
4. ____ blood (blud)	D. Blood vessels that carry blood back to the heart.
5. ____ arteries (arr-tuh-reez)	E. A regular beat made by blood being moved through your body by your heart.
6. ____ veins (vay-ns)	F. Blood vessels that carry blood from the heart to the body.

Show understanding. You can add an image if you would like.

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

Example

Pulse. When I run fast, I can feel my heart beating, and I get out of breath. I can also feel a pulse when I put two fingers on my wrist.

1. _____

2. _____



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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 **pulse** comes from the Latin word “pulsus”, which means “a beat”.
That is why a heartbeat is called a pulse.

Extra activity.

A **suffix is** a group of letters that goes at the end of a root word to change its meaning.

Example

- **less** - means "without"

List one word from the terms on the previous page that this suffix can be used with.

1. _____

Write a sentence using a word with the “**less**” suffix.

Example.

Our cat is heartless and shows no love unless we have treats.



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