

What's excretion?

1. Match.

Rectum and anus → solid waste
Sweat glands and bladder → liquid waste
Lungs → waste in form of gases

2. Complete the sentences with the words from the box.

urethra	rectum	urine	absorbed	bladder
expelled	faeces	water	solid	blood

- a) When the undigested food is in the small intestine, it still contains a lot of **water**.
- b) In the large intestine, most of the water is **absorbed** back into the body. The **solid** waste that remains forms solid lumps are called **faeces**. They pass into the **rectum**, where they're stored.
- c) Finally, the faeces are **expelled** through the anus.
- d) The kidneys filter the **blood**, removing extra water and waste, forming a liquid called **urine**.
- e) The urine travels to the **bladder** where it's stored.
- f) Finally, urine is expelled through the **urethra**.

3. Copy the correct option.

- a) Apart from through urine and faeces, we also remove waste sweating and exhaling.
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- b) We remove hydrogen when we exhale.

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- c) When we sweat, waste water is expelled through our hair.
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