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Reflection (\_\_\_\_)/10

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Digestive observation (\_\_\_\_)/5

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**mechanical digestion** - when food is physically broken down into smaller pieces.

**chemical digestion** - changes the chemical composition of food

**nutrient** - a substance that provides nourishment essential for growth and the maintenance of life

**peristalsis** - the force or contractions that push food downward.

**stomach** - strong muscle that mixes and mashes food into smaller parts

**small intestine** - organ that has villi, absorbs most nutrients from partially digested food

**large intestine** - organ that absorbs water and some nutrients

**villi** - little folds on the cell surface that increase surface area for absorption

**Urethra** - released liquid waste, urine, from the body

**bladder (urinary)** - stores liquid waste

**urine** - liquid waste

**ureter** - connecting tube from kidney to bladder

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