



## My Human Body Network

# Recommended Vocabulary for Explicit Discussion

Some vocabulary is learned implicitly by repeated exposure through reading books on a related topic. However, it is also beneficial to explicitly discuss and teach a few words from each read-aloud.

Utilize these key terms chosen from this read-aloud collection in conversation and activities to build vocabulary and reinforce concepts.

absorbs	exhale	pulse
active vitamins	expands	recipe
automatically	farsighted	reflexes
backbone	fibers	saliva
balanced diet	information	servings
bloodstream	ingredients	shape
calcium	inhale	signals
carbohydrates	intestines	skeletal muscle
cardiac muscle	machine	smooth muscle
cartilage	marrow	spinal cord
contracts	messages	spine
detectives	nearsighted	stethoscope
diary	nerves	tendons
digest	neurons	veins
elastic	nutrients	X-ray
emotions	organ	
esophagus	protein	