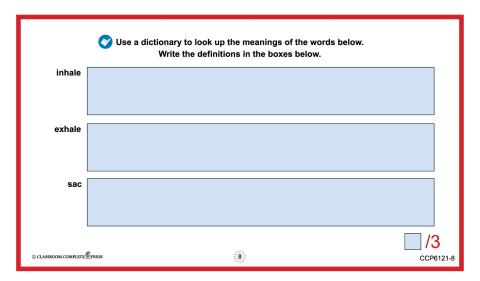
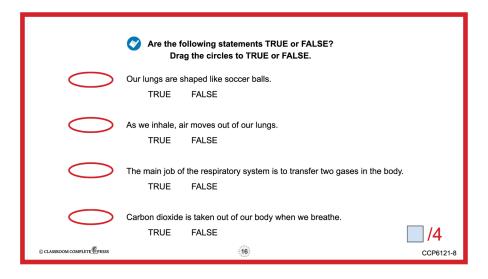
Definitions



Reading Passage

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Our Lungs Look Like a Tree	
A good way to picture our lungs is to think of a tree. Lungs have a solid trunk, just like a tree. Lungs	
also have branches that get smaller the further up you look. Our lungs are like an upside-down tree.	
The trachea (windpipe) is like the trunk. It separates into two main branches, called the bronchial	
tubes. Each branch, or tube, leads into one of our lungs. These tubes branch many more times into	
thousands of "twigs". At the end of each "twig" is a small sac called the alveoli. The alveoli are like	
balloons; they fill with air when we breathe in. The inside surface of the alveoli is covered in tiny blood	
vessels. The blood vessels move carbon dioxide from the bloodstream into the lungs. Then, this gas	
moves out of the lungs as we breathe out (exhale). The blood vessels also take oxygen from the	
lungs to every part of the body.	
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True or False



Marking Rubric

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		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4			
Marking Rubric	Understanding Concepts	Demonstrates a limited understanding of the concepts. Requires teacher intervention.	Demonstrates a basic understanding of the concepts. Requires some intervention.	Demonstrates a good understanding of the concepts. Requires no intervention.	Demonstrates an excellent understanding of the concepts. Requires no intervention.			
	Responses to the text	Expresses responses to the text with limited effectiveness; inconsistently supported by proof from the text.	Expresses responses to the text with some effectiveness; supported by some proof from the text.	Expresses satisfactory responses to the text with some effectiveness; supported by satisfactory proof from the text.	Expresses thorough responses to the text with some effectiveness; thoroughly supported by proof from the text.			
	Analysis of Concepts	Interprets various concepts from the text with limited, unrelated details and incorrect analysis.	Interprets various concepts from the text with some details but also some incorrect analysis.	Interprets various concepts from the text with satisfactory details and good analysis.	Interprets various concepts from the text with excellent details and thorough analysis.			
	Application of Concepts	Demonstrates a limited ability to apply various concepts from the text to activities, discussions, and situations.	Demonstrates a basic ability to apply various concepts from the text to activities, discussions, and situations.	Demonstrates a satisfactory ability to apply various concepts from the text to activities, discussions, and situations.	Demonstrates a strong ability to apply various concepts from the text to activities, discussions, and situations.			
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