# What happens to the circulatory system during exercise? 

Science - Lifestyle

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## Activity: What are the 3 parts of the circulatory system?

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Answers: What are the 3 parts of the circulatory system?
The 3 parts of the circulatory system are:

- Heart
- Blood vessels
- Blood


## Activity: Write each sentence and fill in the gaps.

The $\qquad$ is one big blood to all parts of the body through the vessels.

The blood $\qquad$ are $\qquad$ like structures which allow the blood to travel around the body.

Answers: Write each sentence and fill in the gaps.

The heart is one big muscle that pushes blood to all parts of the body through the blood vessels.

The blood vessels are tube like structures which allow the blood to travel around the body.

## Activity: First, read the text. Then name two substances carried in the blood.

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## carbon dioxide

 faster move release
## lungs

## Answers: What happens to carbon dioxide once it is produced in your muscles during exercise?

- Needs to be removed
- Heart beats faster
- Makes blood move faster
- Blood transfers the carbon dioxide through the blood vessels
- Carbon dioxide is released through the lungs


## Draw this table



## Method

1. Sit still at your desk and take 10 deep breaths.
2. Measure your resting heart rate (how many beats in 30 seconds).
3. Fill in the table (at rest).
4. Do as many star jumps as you can in 1 minute.
5. Fill in the table (after star jumps).

What did you notice about your breathing during and after the star jumps?

|  | At rest | After star <br> jumps |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Heart rate in <br> 30 seconds |  |  |

Activity: What is the effect of exercise on heart rate?
increase faster
beats rest exercise

## Answer: What is the effect of exercise on heart rate?

- Heart beats faster
- Makes blood move faster
- Increase in heart rate compared to resting
- Resting heart rate is significantly lower when compared to the measurement after exercise

