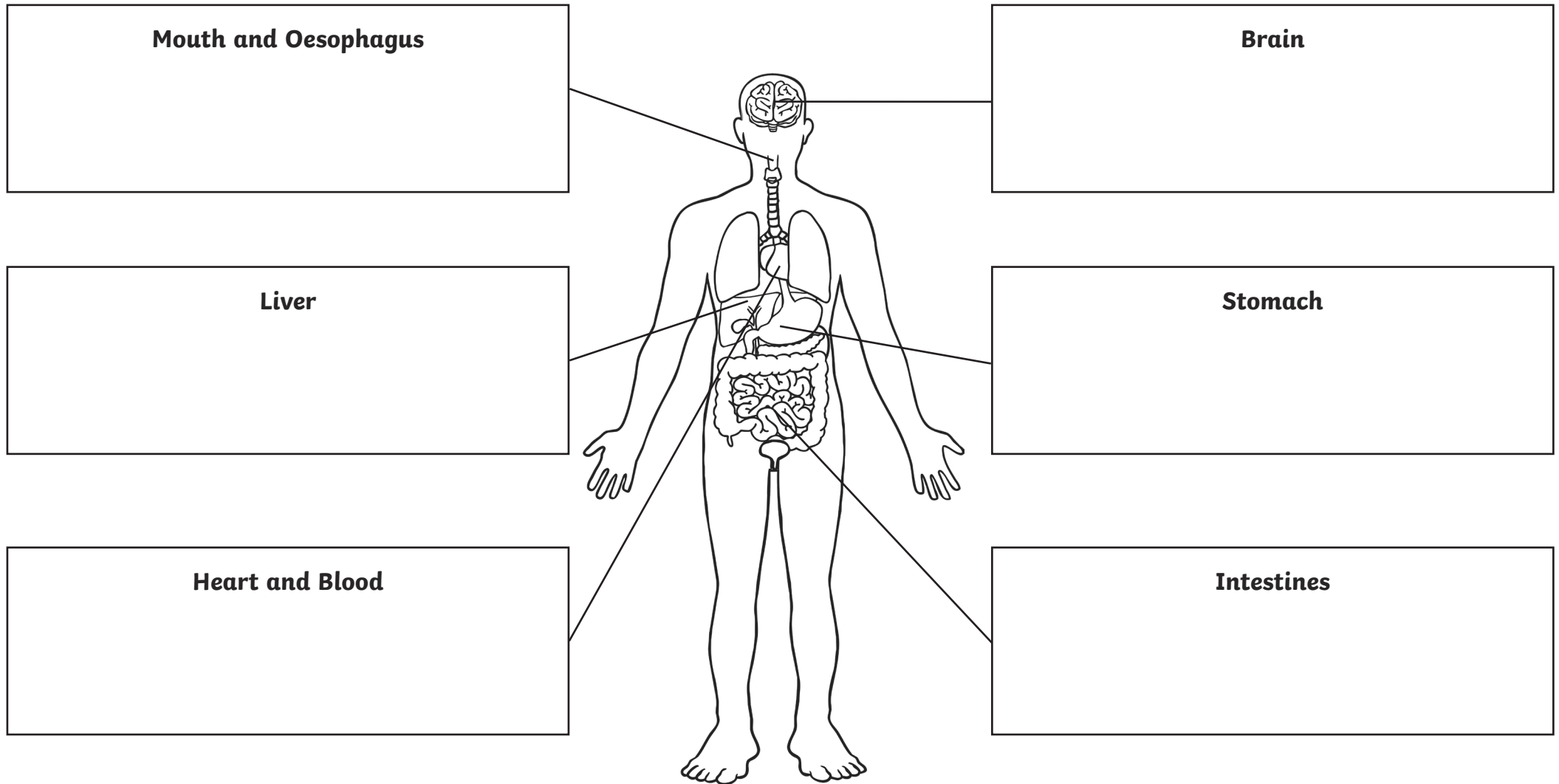


The Effects of Alcohol on the Human Body

Write the effect that alcohol has on each of the parts of the body.



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Answers

Mouth and Oesophagus

Drinking alcohol can cause bleeding of the oesophagus (food pipe). It reduces your desire to eat and dulls your taste.

Brain

Drinking alcohol can stop your brain from working properly. It makes it more difficult to co-ordinate your arms and legs. It makes it hard for you to concentrate.

Liver

If you drink alcohol over a long period of time, your liver might stop working properly. This disease is called cirrhosis.

Stomach

Drinking alcohol can cause irritation of stomach lining, inflammation, bleeding and cancer. Drinking alcohol makes you put on weight. It will also make you sick if you drink too much.

Heart and Blood

Drinking alcohol weakens the heart's ability to pump. This means that having a heart attack is more likely.

Intestines

Drinking alcohol can cause diarrhoea, vomiting, sweating and loss of appetite, as well as cancer, in extreme cases.

