

Rib Cage

1. Answer the following questions:

A. Where does rib cage present?

B. Define floating ribs.

C. Draw a diagram of rib cage.



D. What is cartilage?

2. Write True or False:-

- A. The rib cage is semirigid but expansible, able to increase in size.
- B. The sternum ossifies from several centres.
- C. The ribs helps to protect the external organs.
- D. The number of pairs of ribs in mammals varies from 9 to 24.

3. Fill in the blanks:-

- A. Protection on the rib cage of the _____, _____ and _____
- B. The sternum of the bat is also keeled as an _____ for flight.
- C. The upper set of ribs is believed to have evolved into the ribs of land _____.

4. Match the following:-

Column A	Column B
i. Face	A. 14
ii. Pelvis	B. 01
iii. Ribs	C. 24
iv. Sternum	D. 03