

## Doctor Mike Quiz: How Well Do Strangers Know Nutrition?

### **Description**

Doctor Mike is popular on TikTok and Instagram. He is a doctor and makes fun, educational videos.

Now, he is working with MyFitnessPal. They are asking people on the street about food and nutrition. They want to know what people know about protein, sugar, and calories in common foods.

You can watch the video to see how people responded.

Many people do not know enough about nutrition. A survey by MyFitnessPal showed that most people guess too low for the fat in foods like tacos and salads. They also do not know how much protein, fiber, sugar, or salt they eat every day.

Doctor Mike says it's important to know about these nutrients. Too much of some can be bad for your health. For example, eating enough fiber is good for your gut.

Many people also guess wrong about calories. In the video, some thought peanut butter had up to 800 calories when it has only 180. Checking food labels can help you learn more about what you eat.

Using apps like MyFitnessPal can help you keep track of your food and make better choices.

# **Vocabulary List:**

- 1. **Nutrition** /nju:'trɪʃən/ (noun): The process of obtaining the food necessary for health and growth.
- 2. **Nutrients** /'nju:.tri.ənts/ (noun): Substances that provide nourishment essential for the maintenance of life and for growth.
- 3. Calories /ˈkæl.ər.iz/ (noun): Units of energy used to measure the amount of energy food provides.
- 4. Fiber /'faɪbər/ (noun): A type of carbohydrate that the body cannot digest important for digestive health.
- 5. **Protein** /'prov.ti:n/ (noun): Macromolecules composed of amino acids essential for body function.
- 6. Surveys /'s3:r.veiz/ (noun): Research methods used to gather information from a group of people.

# Vocabulary quizzes

#### Multiple Choice ( Select the Correct answer for each question. )

Which of the following activities is essential for maintaining physical fitness and overall health?
Option: Watching TV



Option: Eating fast food Option: Regular exercise Option: Sleeping all day

2. What do we call the substances found in food that are essential for growth energy production and overall health?

Option: Harmful elements Option: Empty calories

Option: Nutrients **Option: Toxins** 

3. A health condition lasting for a long period or constantly recurring is known as:

Option: Acute Option: Chronic Option: Temporary Option: Sporadic

NEWS.COM 4. Inflammation often leads to which common visible symptom?

Option: Fever Option: Swelling Option: Fatigue Option: Hunger

5. What term describes the process of controlling or maintaining a specific condition within a certain range?

Option: Accelerate Option: Regulate Option: Disrupt Option: Ignore

6. Which substance derived from food provides the power to perform physical or mental activities?

Option: Oxygen Option: Fiber Option: Protein Option: Energy

7. The initiation or starting of a process or function is known as:

Option: Deactivation Option: Inactive state Option: Activation Option: Reactivity

8. Which method is commonly used to collect data by asking questions to a group of people for statistical analysis?



Option: Laboratory tests Option: Surveys Option: Guesswork Option: Intuition 9. The way in which a person or animal acts or conducts oneself especially in response to a particular situation is referred to as: Option: Attitude Option: Behavior Option: Appearance Option: Reaction 10. Substances formed by the union of two or more elements are called: Option: Elements Option: Compounds Option: Mixtures Option: Solutions Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.) 11. \_\_\_\_\_ are a unit of energy used to indicate the amount of energy that foods will produce in the human body. 12. \_\_\_\_\_ are conducted to gather information and insights from a target audience to make informed decisions. 13. Showing \_\_\_\_\_ towards others involves understanding sharing and being sensitive to their emotions and experiences. 14. Plants contain various \_\_\_\_\_ compounds that have healing properties and are used in traditional medicine. 15. Regular exercise helps keep the body \_\_\_\_\_\_ and improves overall health and well-

being.

16. Understanding the factors that influence human \_\_\_\_\_\_ allows for better prediction



and management of actions.	
17. Eating a balanced diet ensures that the body has er	nough to perform daily
activities.	
18. Consuming foods rich in c	an aid digestion and help prevent constipation.
19. Feeling can be a sign of p	hysical or mental exhaustion and may indicate the
need for rest.	
20 play a crucial role in build	ing and repairing tissues supporting immune
function and as a source of energy.	
Matching Sentences ( Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list. )	
21. Plants release during photosynthesis which is essential for the survival of most living organisms.	
22. is a form of programmed cell death that is regulated differently from apoptosis.	
23. The condition of being grossly overweight or having an excessive amount of body fat is referred to as .	
24. Systematic is conducted to discover new knowledge validate existing theories or solve practical problems.	
25. Medical treatment involving the use of chemical a	gents to destroy cancer cells is known as .
26. The process by which the body breaks down food into smaller components for absorption and energy production is called .	
27. is the body's response to injury or infection charac	cterized by redness swelling heat and pain.
28. functions include perception memory thinking and awareness.	
29. A illness or condition is one that persists over a long period or tends to recur.	
30. are substances made up of two or more elements that are chemically bonded together.	



### **Answer**

**Multiple Choice:** 1. Regular exercise 2. Nutrients 3. Chronic 4. Swelling 5. Regulate 6. Energy 7. Activation 8. Surveys 9. Behavior 10. Compounds

**Gap-Fill:** 11. Calories 12. Surveys 13. Empathy 14. Medicinal 15. Fit 16. Behaviour 17. Energy 18. Fiber 19. Tired 20. Proteins

**Matching sentence:** 1. Oxygen 2. Necroptosis 3. Obesity 4. Research 5. Chemotherapy 6. Digestion 7. Inflammation 8. Cognitive 9. Chronic 10. Compounds

#### **CATEGORY**

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