

Spelling list: Science Word List 02 Hymers College

Some common words in Biology

biceps	The biceps is a large muscle in the upper arm.
alveolus	An alveolus is an anatomical structure that has the form of a hollow cavity.
bronchi	Bronchi is the correct plural for bronchus.
bronchioles	The bronchioles or bronchioli are the passageways by which air passes through the nose or mouth to the alveoli (air sacs) of the lungs.
bronchus	A bronchus is any of the major air passages of the lungs.
diaphragm	The diaphragm is the dome-shaped sheet of muscle and tendon that serves as the main muscle of respiration .
ecosystem	An ecosystem is a community of living organisms together with the non-living components of their environment.
environment	Ecology includes the study of how animals relate to their environment .
excretion	Excretion is the process by which waste products of metabolism and other non-useful materials are eliminated from an organism.
femur	The femur is the largest bone in the body.
fibula	The fibula is the calf bone.
respiration	Respiration is the way that energy is released from glucose for our cells to use to keep us functioning.
scapula	The shoulder blade is also called the scapula .
skeleton	The human skeleton is the internal framework of the body.
stamen	The stamen is the pollen-producing reproductive organ of a flower.
stigma	The stigma is the part of the pistil that receives the pollen during

pollenation.

ulna The **ulna** is also known as the elbow bone.

vertebra A **vertebra** is any of the bones or segments composing the spinal column.