X_Life processes(Transportation)_Worksheet 1

- 1. Name the components of the cardio vascular system.
- 2. Why are the walls of the ventricles thicker than the walls of the Atria?
- 3. Name the vessels that carries oxygenated blood from the lungs to the heart?
- 4. Draw the human heart and label: right ventricle, the arteries carrying deoxygenated blood out of the heart, the largest artery of the body, the left ventricle, the vena cavas.
- 5. Why is the oxygenated blood and deoxygenated blood kept separate in the heart?
- 6. Give reasons:
 - a) The wall of the left ventricle is the thickest.
 - b) The walls of the atria are thinner as compared to the walls of the ventricles.
- 7. Name the following:
 - a) The vessel carrying the oxygenated blood out of the heart.
 - b) The valve separating the left auricle and left ventricle.
 - c) The only arteries that carry deoxygenated blood.
 - d) The two veins that bring back oxygenated blood to the heart.
 - e) The wall that separates the two ventricles.
- 8. Draw a flow diagram to show the circulation of blood through the heart.
- 9. What is the role of the valves in the heart?
- 10. Which side of the heart is seen to have oxygenated blood?
- 11. The heart pumps blood throughout the life of a human being. How can it do so?
- 12. What is the size of the heart and where is it located? Name the 4 chambers of the heart.