

Diet and the Heart

To explain how diet affects the way the body functions.

Use the words below to complete the paragraph about diet and the effect of cholesterol on the heart and circulation.

| narrow | sugar | animal | cholesterol |
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| fat | block | circulatory | clean |
| Marie Maynard Daly stud | lied how | and | affect the |
| human body, particularly the heart and system. She discovered that the | | | |
| arteries in the body can | | _from eating too many : | sugary or fatty foods. |
| Cholesterol is a type of _ | that c | an travel in the blood. No | ot all cholesterol is bad; |
| in fact, some parts of o | ur bodies need it to | work. The good type is g | good for keeping blood |
| vessels, but the b | ad type builds up in o | ur blood vessels and can | them. |
| Cholesterol is only found | in food which comes | from | _ sources. |

