

# Your Respiratory System

**Directions:** Look at the diagram. Read about what each part of the respiratory system does. Label each part of the respiratory system on the diagram.

**nose** – contains two nostrils which brings air in and out of the body

**answer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**trachea or windpipe** – a tube that connects the upper respiratory system to the lungs

**answer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**lungs** – the main part of the respiratory system; it puts oxygen into the bloodstream

**answer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**mouth** – can be used to suck in or expel air

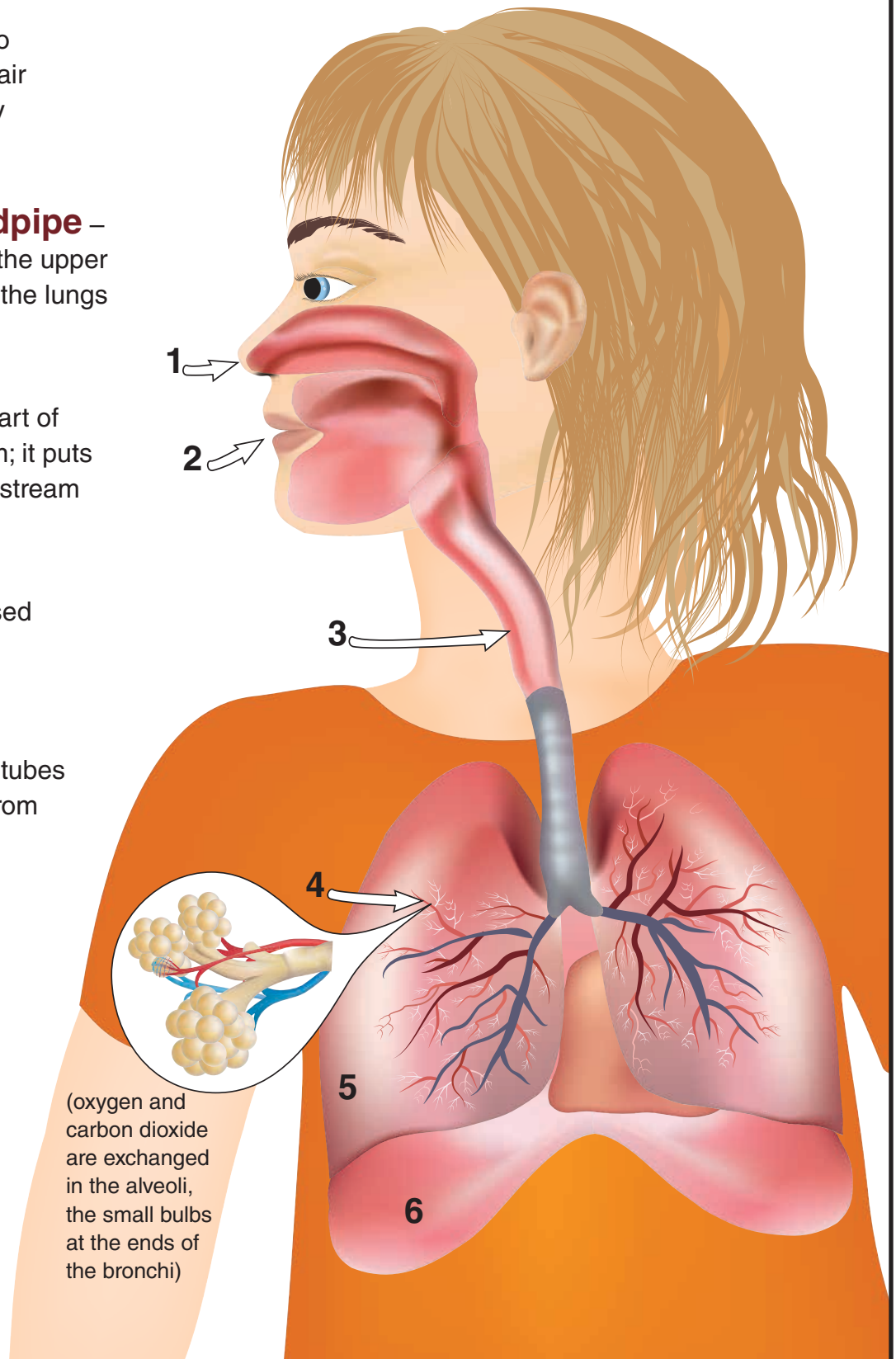
**answer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**bronchi** – smaller tubes that bring air to and from the lungs

**answer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**diaphragm** – muscle that moves up and down to help expand your lungs

**answer:** \_\_\_\_\_



(oxygen and carbon dioxide are exchanged in the alveoli, the small bulbs at the ends of the bronchi)