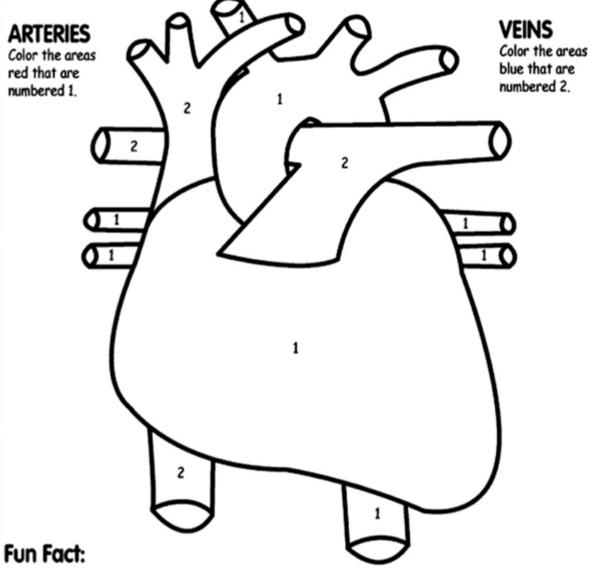
HUMAN HEART

The human heart is made up of two different kinds of blood vessels. Blood vessels are hollow tubes that carry blood all over the human body. The human body has three kinds of vessels: arteries, veins and capillaries. In the human heart there are arteries and veins. Arteries carry blood away from the heart and veins carry blood toward the heart. Capillaries connect the arteries to the vein, throughout the body.



If all the blood vessels were lined in a row from a child-sized body, they would form a line more than 60,000 miles long.