

TASTE TESTER ACTIVITY

Your tongue is covered with about 10,000 taste buds, which can detect four different kinds of tastes: salty, bitter, sweet and sour.

For this activity we want you to pay close attention to the different flavours.

Have an adult help you fill four cups separately with:

- Sugar + Water
- Lemon juice + Water
- Salt + Water
- · Grapefruit Juice
- 1. Using a cotton tip, dip this into 1 cup for 3 seconds. Then test each liquid on your tongue. Use a separate cotton tip for each flavour.
- 2. Circle the type of flavour each liquid tasted the most like below

| Sugar + Water | Lemon + Water | Salt + Water | Grapefruit Juice |
|---------------|---------------|--------------|------------------|
| 1. Salty | 1.Salty | 1.Salty | 1. Salty |
| 2. Sweet | 2. Sweet | 2. Sweet | 2. Sweet |
| 3. Sour | 3. Sour | 3. Sour | 3. Sour |
| 4. Bitter | 4. Bitter | 4. Bitter | 4. Bitter |

Now see if you can match each flavour to the correct areas

















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