From where	The innate immune system	The adaptive immune system
Specify	non-specific	Specific
Char	1- acts rapidly (Rapid responses to a broad range of microbes) 2- has no immunological memory	1- Slower responses to specific microbes 2- last long 3- able to distinguish self from non-self 4- has memory 5- specificity 6- diversity
Its content	- physical : skin barrier - chemical : 1- Complement proteins C1 –C9 2- acid in stomach - cellular : 1- mast cells 2- eosinophils 3- neutrophils 4- macrophages 5- natural killer cells	1- T & B lymphocytes 2- APCs
Fun		- defend the body by: V Humoral immunity B cells→ Against antigens→ production of antibodies V Cell mediated immunity T cells → Against tumor, transplant cells, virus infected cells & microorganisms

The form of the lymphatic tissue

From where	Diffuse lymphatic tissue	Noduler lymphatic tissue
capsule present	No capsule present	No capsule present
The shape of cells	- scattered cells - Appear as scattered dark stained nuclei within C.T	Oval-shaped masses
Found	Found in CT of almost all organs	Found single or in groups
The lymphatic organ that found the form of lymphatic tissue in it	1- Bone marrow 2- Thymus 1- Lymph node 2- Tonsils 3- Spleen 4- MALT mucosa associated lymphatic tissue (in trachea)	
Site	1- Lymphocytes in lamina propria2- submucosa of many organs (RS, GIT, UT, RT)	
Other name	mucosa associated lymphatic tissue (MALT)	

The types of nodular lymphatic tissue (follicle)

From where	Primary Lymphatic nodules	Secondary Lymphatic nodules	
Germinal	No Germinal center Only small B lymphocytes (not activated)	With Germinal center	
center	lymphocytes (not activated)		
Capsulated	Non capsulated collection of lymphocyte		
collection			
Found in	all lymphoid organs EXCEPT thymus & bone marrow.		
Contains\		1- Pale germinal center	
Types		2- Mantle zone (corona) 3- Peripheral zone	

The types of secondary nodular lymphatic tissue (follicle)

From where	Pale germinal center	Mantle zone (corona)	Peripheral zone
Contain \ Formed by	1- B lymphocytes actively divide as a result of Ag stimulation 2- plasma cells 3- dendritic cells	1- Formed by dense population of resting 2- memory B lymphocytes (Mantel cell lymphoma)	small B lymphocytes
Abbreviation	GC	М	Р

The type of lymphatic organs



From where	Primary Lymphoid organs (central)	Secondary Lymphoid organs (peripheral)
Site	1- Thymus 2- Bone marrow	1- Lymph Nodes 2- Spleen 3- Tonsils 4- MALT
Char	1- B & T lymphocytes arise from same stem cell in bone marrow 2- are initial "education centers" of the immune system 3- In these organs, lymphocytes (T /thymus, B/bone marrow) differentiate into immunocomptent cells (i.e. they can recognize "self" vs. "non-self") 4- This differentiation is said to be antigenindependent 5- The lymphocytes then enter the blood & lymph to reside in the 2nry lymphatic organs	1- Are secondary "education centers" of the immune system, where most immune response occurs 2- In these organs, immuno-competent lymphocytes differentiate into immune effectors & memory cells (The activation and proliferation is antigen-dependent) These lymphocytes then carry out their functions

1- Lymph nodes

From where	Lymph nodes		
Def	Principal 2ry lymphoid organs of the body		
Found	Found along lymphatic vessels		
Char	 1- Oval or bean shaped 2- encapsulated organs 3- Have convex surface where afferent lymphatic's enter the node 4- Have concave surface (helum) Where efferent lymphatic's, arteries &veins exit the node 		
Types	1- Stroma (C.T.) 2- parenchyma		
Flow of lymph	Flows from Afferent lymphatic (valves) → lymph node • → subcapsular sinus (contains B lymphocytes, macrophages & dendritic cells) • → cortical sinuses (contains B cells) • → paracortex (contains T cells) • → medullary sinuses (B cells & plasma cells) • → hilum → Efferent lymphatic		
Functions of lymph nodes:	1- Filtration of lymph from microorganisms & particles before it reaches the general circulation. 2-Promote interaction of the circulating antigens in lymph with lymphocytes to initiate immune response (antigen – dependent differentiation) 3-Activation, proliferation of B lymphocytes and antibody production.		
	4-ActivationT lymphocytes into cytotoxic T cells		

The structure of lymph nodes



From where	Stroma (C.T.)	parenchyma
Def	It is the outer membrane of lymph node	It is the inner membrane of lymph node
Divide into	Capsule Septa (Trabeulae) Reticular network CT	1- Cortex 2- Paracortex 3- Medulla
Explanation of the divisions	1- Capsule: may contain 1- smooth muscles 2- thickened at hilum 2- Septa (Trabeulae): extend from capsule and divide cortex into compartments 3- Reticular network: of reticular fibers form the background of the organ to support the parenchyma	1- Cortex: outer zone under the capsule contains: a. lymphatic nodules (1ry & 2ry)
		High endothelial venules(HEV): is a post- capillary venule - is the point of entry of T cells from blood to lymph node - its endothelial lining is unusual - is cuboidal to facilitate movement of T cells into LN 3- Medulla: contains ▼ Medullary cords: * Cords of aggregated cells * Contains: B lymphocytes, Plasma cells, macrophages ▼ Medullary sinuses: ▼ Oilates spaces, continuous e cortical sinuses, & contains lymph,

From where	Tonsils
Def	Masses of Lymphoid tissue at entrance of digestive and respiratory under oral or respiratory epithelium produce lymphocytes to guard against infections
Characteristics of its lymphoid	1- Covered by epithelium.2- Not situated along course of lymphatic vessels
tissue	
Types	1- Palatine 2- Pharyngeal 3- Lingual

The types of tonsils

From where	Palatine	Pharyngeal	Pharyngeal
Type of tissue	Non keratinized stratified squamous epithelium	Pseudo-stratified Col. Ciliated	Non keratinized stratified Squamous
Site	2 tonsils located in the oral part of pharynx.	Single mass of lymphoid T. in nasopharynx	The posterior 1/3 human tongue
Char	 Crypt: Epithelial invaginations into the tonsil substance lined by surface epithelium. Stratified squamous epith: Covers the free surface of the tonsil and lines the crypts. 	Covered by pseudo-st. columnar ciliated e goblet cells (respiratory epithelium) It has No crypts underlying capsule is thin	 Covered e non - k. stratified squamous epith. Contains crypts, mucus glands at the root of tongue drain through several ducts into the crypts
	Lymphoid tissue: diffuse + nodular lymphatic tissue. May contain germinal centers.		Tensile contains lymphoid nodules + diffuse lymphocytes.