

# Science

## LO: Teeth



- 1) Make sure you have washed your hands and grab a mirror. How many teeth have you got? How many new ones (permanent teeth)? How many baby teeth (milk teeth)? Why do you lose your milk teeth?

Children have 20 teeth: 8 incisors, 4 canines and 8 molars. Adults have 32 teeth including wisdom teeth. Babies' jaws are too small to hold all those big teeth.

## Canines, molars and incisors



(and premolars)

Incisors	Canines	Molars
		
These teeth grind, crush and chew food.	These teeth snip and cut food.	These teeth rip and tear food.

2) Colour code the 3 types of teeth in the human mouth.

3) Create a key and explain each types use

Extension - Create a model of the human jaw. You might like to use playdough, cut out paper or even use recycling.

