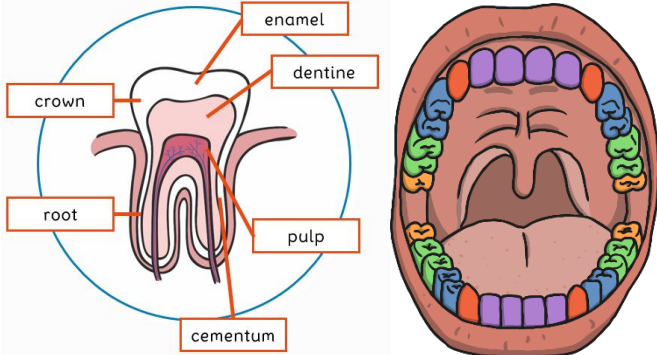


The Marist Primary School		Knowledge Organiser				
Year 4 Spring 2: teeth						
Lesson 1 Can I identify the types and functions of teeth?		Lesson 2 Can I find out what damages teeth and how to look after them?		Lesson 3 Can I find out what damages teeth and how to look after them?		Lesson 4 Can I identify similarities and differences related to scientific ideas?
 incisor		Shovel shaped teeth for biting and cutting.	Wisdom teeth	Large, flat teeth (a third molar). Necessary for the plant-based diet of our ancestors, but through evolution, humans’ jaws have become smaller, so these teeth are no longer needed.	 tooth decay	When bacteria in your mouth make acids that attack the tooth's surface (enamel); this can lead to a cavity, pain, infection and even tooth loss
 canine		Pointed teeth for ripping and tearing.	 molar	Large, flat teeth for grinding.		
premolar		Small, flat teeth for holding and crushing.	 cavity	Areas in the hard surface of your teeth that are damaged.		