

1a Do the quiz.

- 1 When was the first heart transplant operation in the world?
 a 1967 b 1987 c 2007
- 2 Where was the first heart transplant operation in the world?
 a USA b UK c South Africa
- 3 How many heart transplants happen each year around the world?
 a 500 b 5,000 c 15,000
- 4 How many people are waiting for heart transplants around the world?
 a 5,000 b 25,000 c 50,000
- 5 When did the first pig-heart transplant operation happen?
 a 1997 b 2002 c 2022

2a Circle the correct names of the people from the story.



1 Cameron Kelsey
OR
Marlon Percy



2 Cathy Kelsey
OR
Nan



3 Dr Bryce
OR
Dr Ehrlich



4 Grandfather
OR
Mike Kelsey

2b Complete these sentences with names from 2a.

- 1 was Cameron's best friend.
- 2 was pregnant with baby Alex.
- 3 wanted Cameron to have the pig-heart transplant.
- 4 helped look after Cameron in hospital.
- 5 was the only person who really understood Cameron.

2c Complete the information about the most important person in the story.

Name: ¹ Alex / Cameron Kelsey

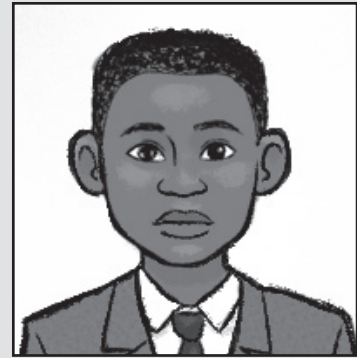
Age: ² Thirteen / Thirty

Also called: ³ Big- / Pig- Heart Boy

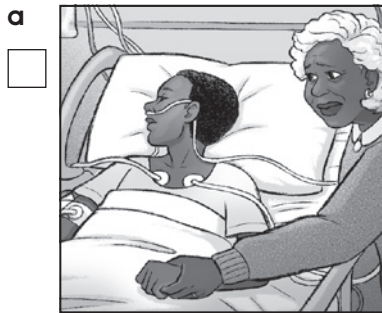
Because: needs ⁴ an organ / a blood transplant

Not enough: ⁵ animal / human hearts

Groups angry: ⁶ animal / human rights groups



3a Look at the pictures from the story. Put them in the order they happen (1-6).



3b Write about each picture as if you are Cameron writing a video diary for baby Alex.

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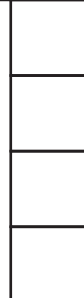
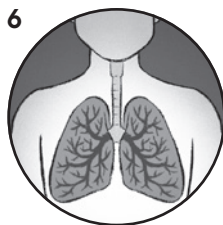
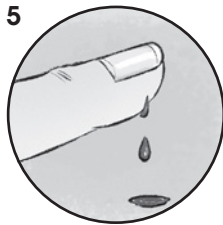
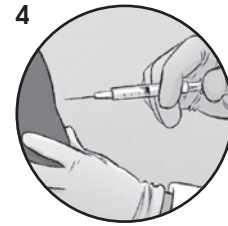
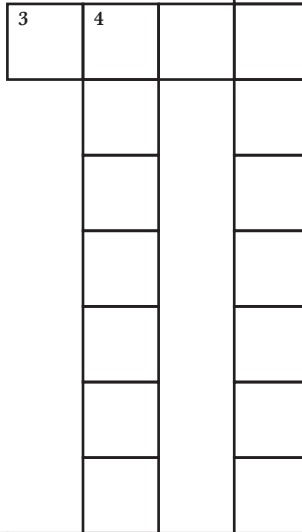
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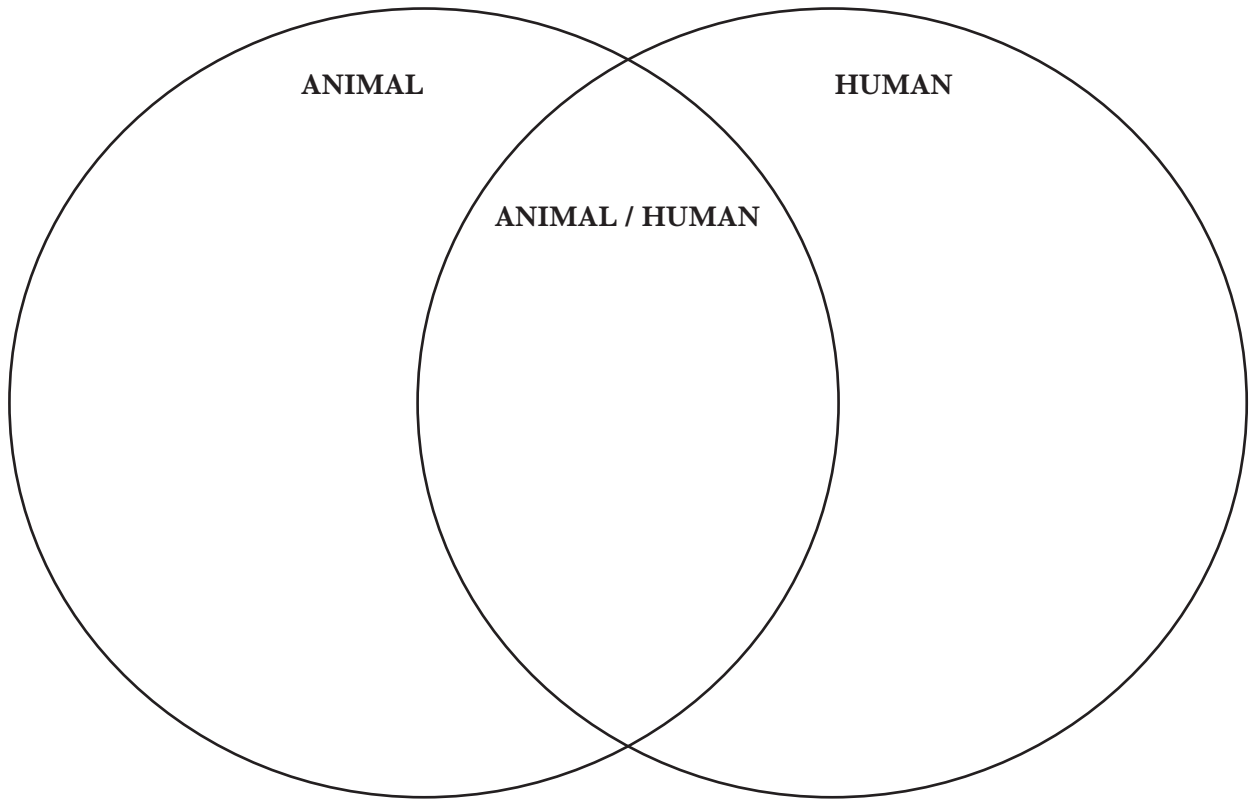
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4a Look at the pictures and complete the crossword.



4b Complete this mind map with the words in the box. Some words can go in more than one place.

argue DNA heart breathe forgive cry organ die germs
 urine hurt infection cough kill embryo pain breed pregnant



5a Imagine that you are Cameron. Write a for and against list about having a pig-heart transplant.

For	Against

5b Compare your list with a friend's.

6a Imagine you are a journalist. Write some questions to ask Cameron after he has his transplant operation.

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