The blood volume in an adult averages approximately
   a) 1 L  
   b) 3 L  
   c) 5 L  
   d) 7 L

The hormonal stimulus that prompts red blood cell formation is
   a) serotonin  
   b) heparin  
   c) erythropoietin  
   d) thrombopoietin

All of the following are true of RBCs except
   a) biconcave disc shape  
   b) life span of approximately 120 days  
   c) contain hemoglobin  
   d) contain nuclei

The most numerous WBC is the
   a) eosinophil  
   b) neutrophil  
   c) monocyte  
   d) lymphocyte

Blood proteins play an important part in
   a) blood clotting  
   b) immunity  
   c) maintenance of blood volume  
   d) all of the above

The normal erythrocyte count (per cubic millimeter) for adults is
   a) 3 to 4 million  
   b) 4.5 to 5 million  
   c) 8 million  
   d) 500,000

The normal pH of the blood is about
   a) 8.4  
   b) 7.8  
   c) 7.4  
   d) 4.7
Suppose your blood was found to be AB positive. This means that
   a) agglutinogens A and B are present on your RBCs
   b) there are no anti-A or anti-B agglutinins in your plasma
   c) your blood is Rh⁺
   d) all of the above