

12/08/21 HOME ASSIGNMENT

① Define glands.

Ans → Glands are the group of cells present in our body which releases certain chemicals.

② What are the different types of glands. Write two differences between these glands.

Ans → There are two types of glands -

* The exocrine glands

* The endocrine glands.

THE EXOCRINE GLANDS

* These glands send their secretions (enzymes) through ducts to the target organs.

* Ex - Salivary glands, sweat glands etc.

THE ENDOCRINE GLANDS

* These glands are ductless gland and their secretions (hormones) are directly into the blood & then carried by blood to the target organs.

* Ex - thyroid glands, Pituitary glands.