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HOME ASSIGNMENT

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- ① Draw the diagram of brain and label the different parts.

Ans → Drawn in the ~~next~~ another page.

- ② How CNS, PNS and ANS are different from each other structurally and functionally.

Central Nervous System - CNS

* It is composed of the brain and the spinal cord.

* The brain controls all the functions in the human body & it is protected by Cranium or Skull.

* The spinal cord works as the relay channel for signals between the brain & the peripheral nervous system PNS. It is well-protected by within the vertebral column.

THE NERVOUS SYSTEM

PERIPHERAL NERVOUS SYSTEM (PNS):

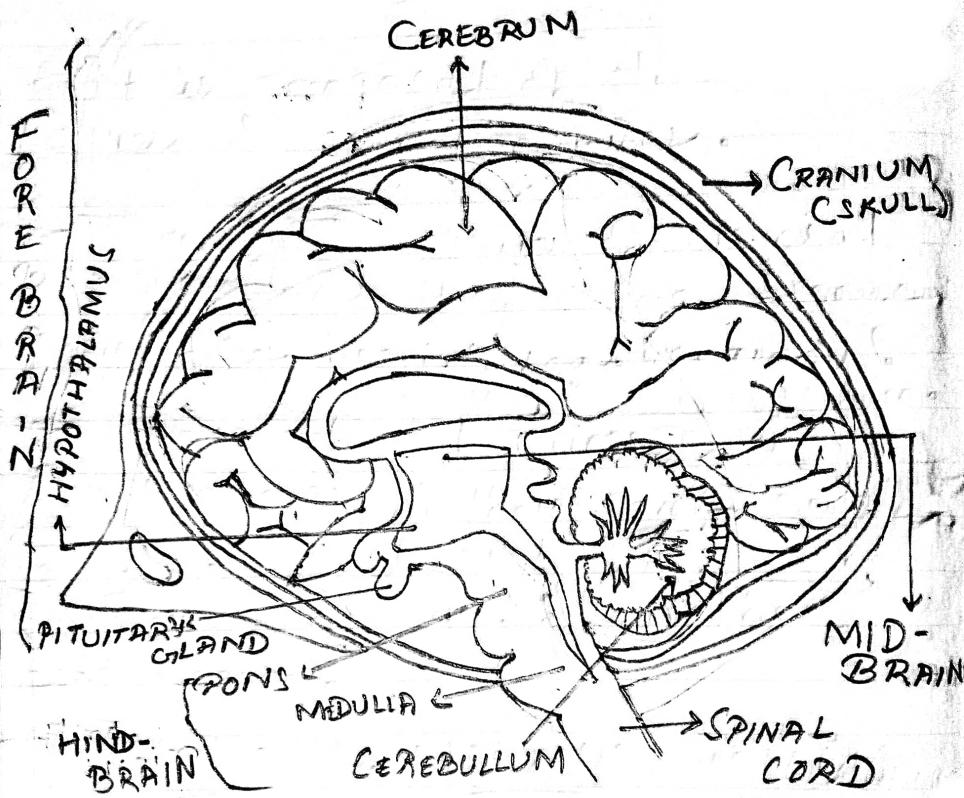
- * It is composed of the cranial nerves & spinal nerves.
- * There are 12 pairs of cranial nerves and they emerge from the brain (head region) & go out to the organs in head region.
- * There are 31 pairs of spinal nerves & they come out of the spinal cord & go to the organs which are below the head region.

AUTONOMIC NERVOUS SYSTEM (ANS)

- * It is composed of a chain of nerve ganglion which runs along the spinal cord. It controls all the involuntary organs in the human body.
- * It is divided into 2 parts -
 - ⇒ Sympathetic Nervous System
 - ⇒ Parasympathetic Nervous System.

- * \Rightarrow Sympathetic Nervous system heightens the activity of an organ as per the need.
- \Rightarrow Parasympathetic Nervous system slows down the activity of an organ & thus has a calming effect. It can be said that this part of ANS helps in the conservation of energy.
- * Ex - In times of fear, the sympathetic nervous system dilates the pupil of the eyes, constricts the vessels of the skin and accelerates the heart rate. Whereas the parasympathetic nervous system dilates the blood vessels, constricts the pupil of the eyes & slows down the heart rate.
- In other words, the parts of ANS are antagonistic (Opposite) in their actions.

Diagram of Human Brain



HUMAN BRAIN