Blood Anticipation Guide

Read each statement and mark in the left column if you believe the statement is **True** or **False**. Next, read assigned pages in the <u>Body Structures and Functions</u> textbook. Upon completing your reading, read each statement again and indicate in the right hand column if the statement was **True** or **False** and on what page you found the answer.

Before		After
1.	Blood is the transporting fluid of the blood.	
2.	Plasma is about 50% WATER.	
3.	We would bleed to death from a small cut if we did not have albumin in our plasma.	
4.	Blood type O is the "universal donor" and blood type B is the "universal recipient."	
5.	Hemoglobin helps red blood cells transport oxygen to the cells and carry carbon dioxide away from the cells.	
6.	Leukocytes are the smallest of the solid components of blood.	
7.	Eosinophils phagocytize the remains of antibody-antigen reactions and increase in number in allergic conditions.	
8.	A person with type A blood can receive type B blood via a transfusion in an emergency situation.	
9.	Red blood cells are produced in the red bone marrow of all bones until adolescence. As you grow older they are only produced in short and flat bones.	
10.	Lymphocytes make and release antibody molecules and protect us against the formation of cancer cells.	
11.	Phagocytosis is the production of white blood cells in response to an infection.	
12.	The average adult has 14-16 pints of blood in their body.	
13.	Erythrocytes (mature) contain no nuclei and only live about 3 months.	
14.	Monocytes help to wall off and isolate infected areas because they can leave the bloodstream to attach themselves to tissues.	
15.	Plasma helps initiate the clotting process.	