What is P.K.U.?





it is Phenylketonuria

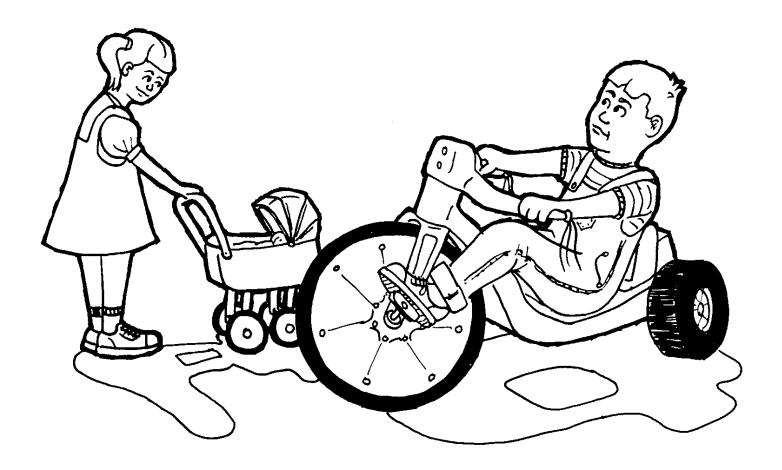
But what does it mean

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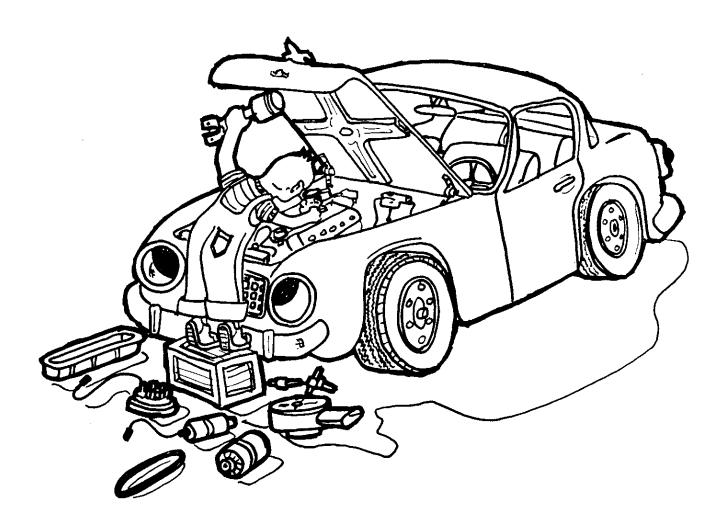
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Everyone's body uses food in its own way!



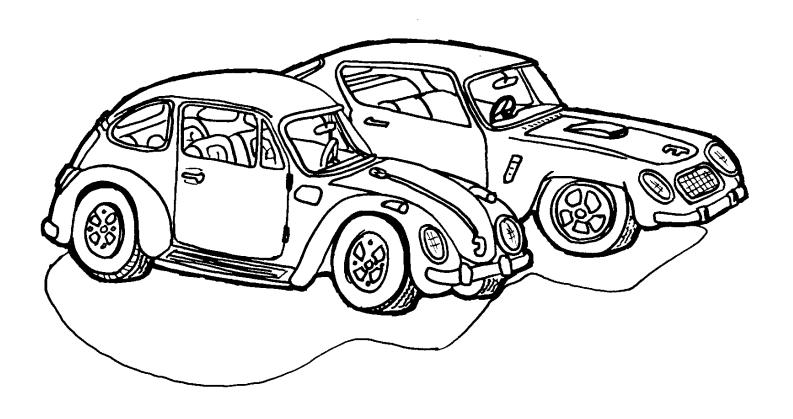
WHY?

Have you ever looked at a car's engine?



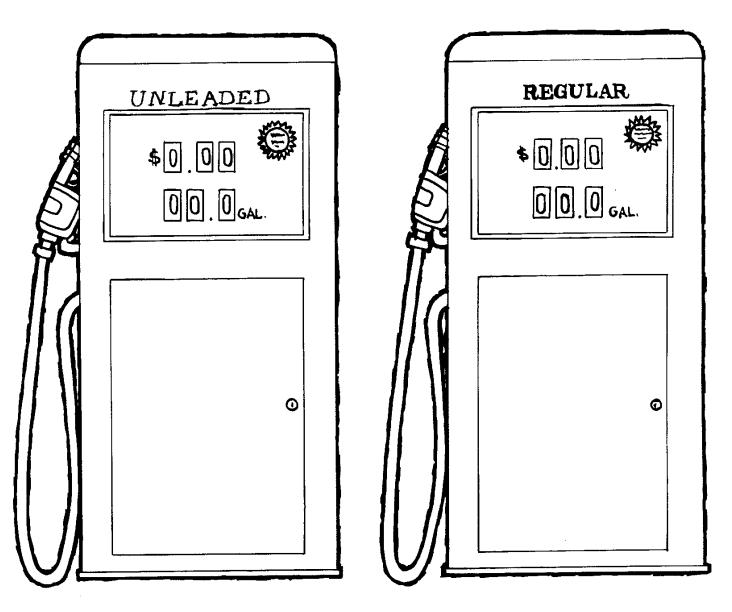
The engine has many parts that work together to make the car go.

Cars that are not the same...



have engines that are not the same!

Engines that are not the same...



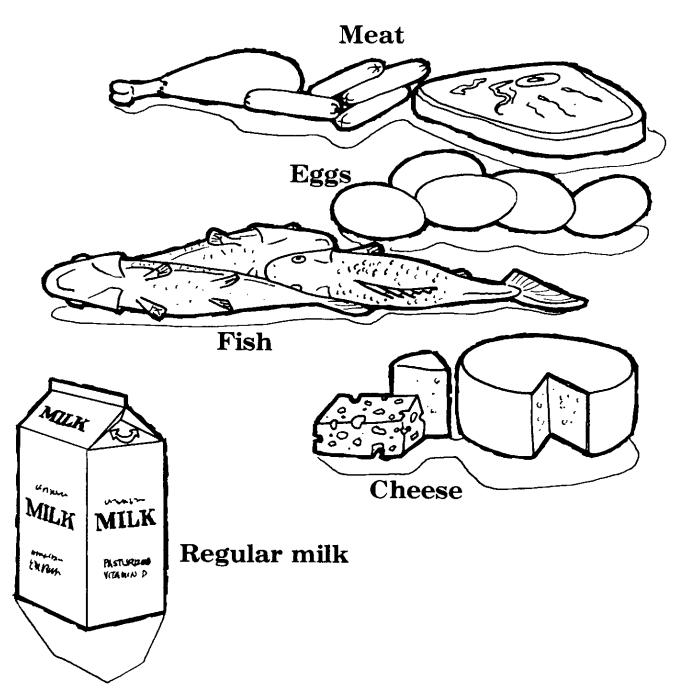
need different kinds of gas to run well.

People with P.K.U. need different foods...



to make their bodies run well.

People with P.K.U. do not need...



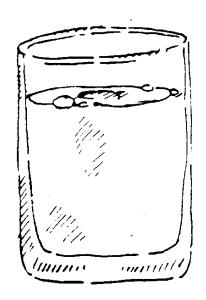
because...

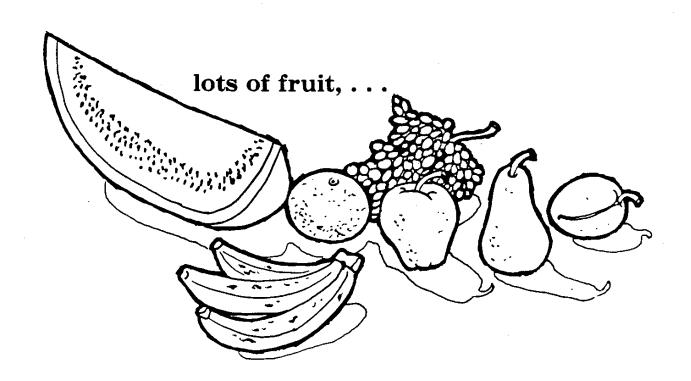


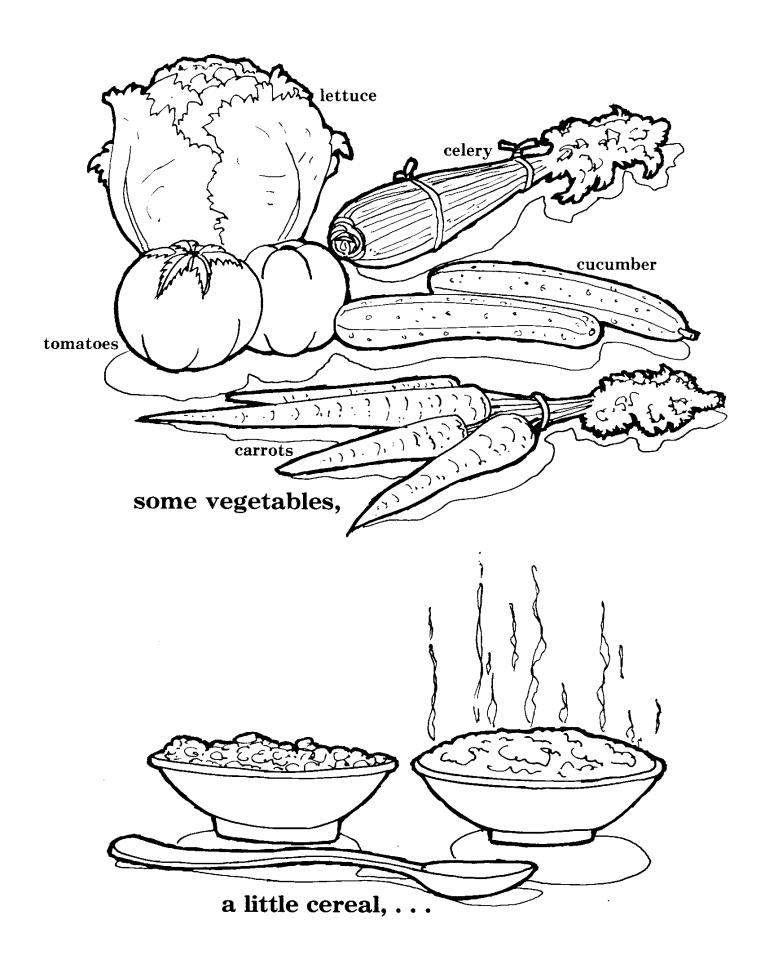
these foods do not make their bodies run well!

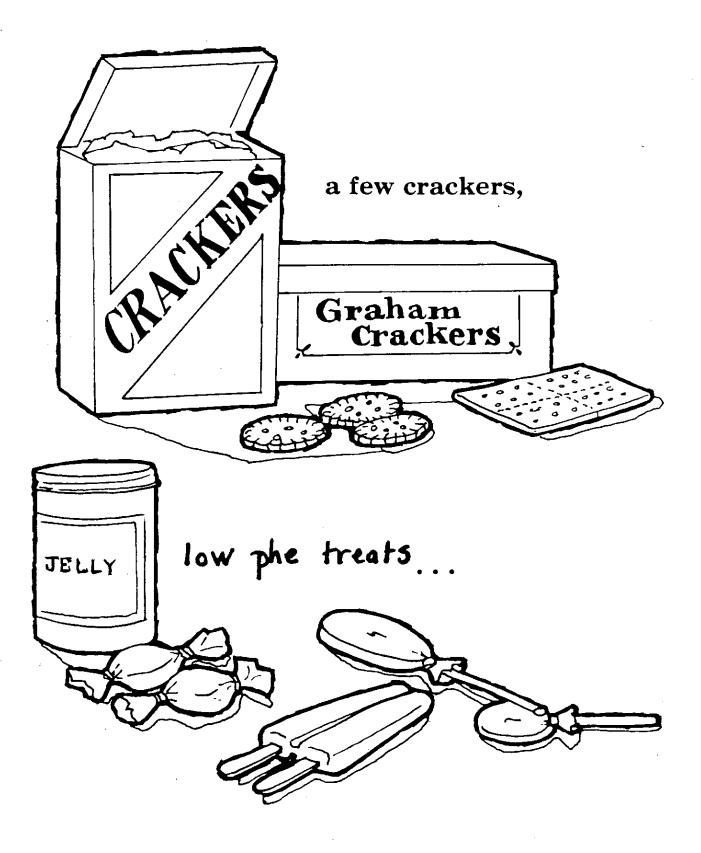
People with P.K.U. need...

their special milk

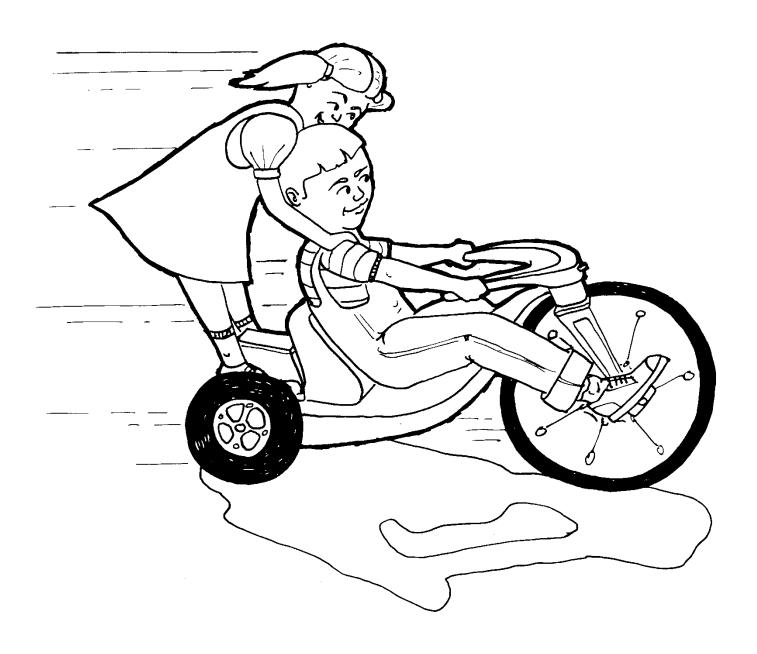








to make their bodies



run well!