**Types of digestion**

**Intracellular digestion**

The process of digestion that takes place within the cell is referred to as intracellular digestion.

The digested food diffuses into the cytoplasm.

It is mainly found in the unicellular organisms.

The digestive system is not subdivided into different regions.

The digestion is less efficient.

**Intercellular digestion**

The process of digestion that takes place outside the cell in the cavity of the alimentary canal is called intercellular digestion.

The digested food is absorbed into the cells.

It is mainly found in multicellular organisms.

The digestion is more efficient.