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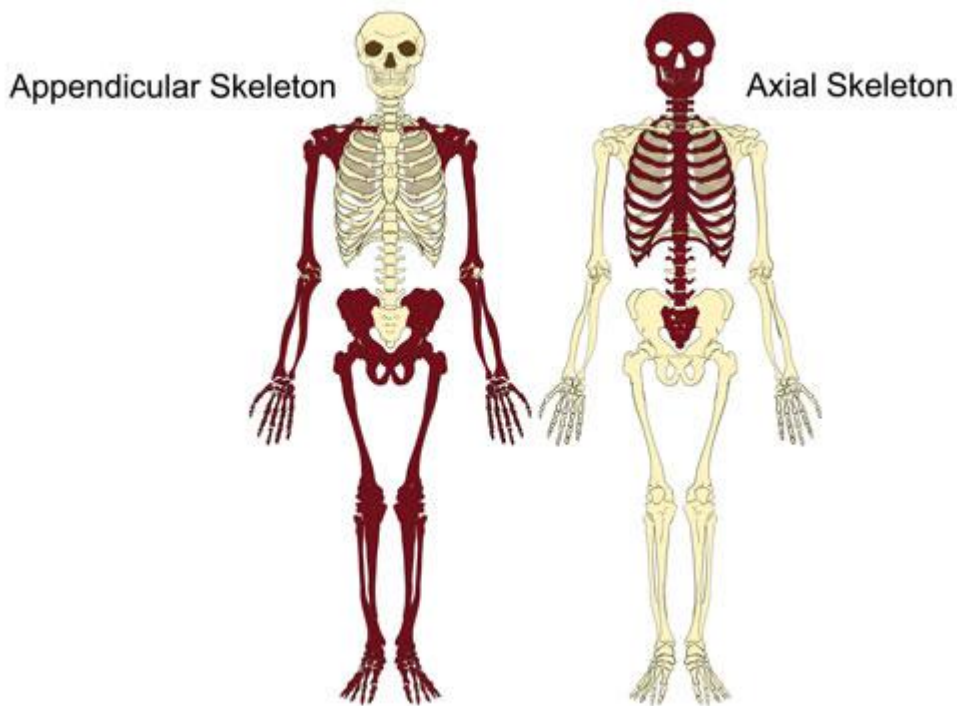
**L01 - Understand the skeletal system in relation to physical activity**

Content	Notes
Understand the skeletal system in relation to exercise and physical activity	<p>The axial and appendicular skeletons</p> <p>Axial -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cranium, sternum, ribs, vertebral column (cervical, thoracic, lumbar, sacrum, coccyx)</li> </ul> <p>Appendicular -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scapula, clavicle, humerus, radius, ulna, carpals, metacarpals, phalanges, ilium, ischium, pubis, femur, patella, tibia, fibula, tarsals, talus, metatarsals</li> </ul>
Functions of the skeleton	<p>Functions of the skeleton</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Support</li> <li>• Protection - types of bones that provide this</li> <li>• Movement - fine and gross movement and different types of joints</li> <li>• Shape and points of attachment for muscles</li> <li>• Mineral storage</li> <li>• Blood cell production</li> </ul> <p>Apply to practical examples</p>
Types of bone	Long, short, flat, irregular, sesamoid
Introduction to joints	<p>Classification of joints</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fixed/fused</li> <li>• Slightly movable / cartilaginous</li> <li>• Freely movable / synovial</li> </ul>
Types of synovial joints	Hinge, ball and socket, pivot, condyloid, saddle, gliding
Structure of a synovial joint	<p>Structure of a synovial joint</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Synovial membrane</li> <li>• Synovial fluid</li> <li>• Joint capsule</li> <li>• Bursae</li> <li>• Hyaline cartilage</li> <li>• Ligaments</li> <li>• Menisci</li> <li>• Pads of fat</li> </ul> <p>How these relate to practical situations</p> <p>Functions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stability</li> <li>• mobility</li> </ul>
Joint movements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• flexion and extension</li> <li>• lateral flexion</li> <li>• abduction and adduction</li> <li>• horizontal abduction and adduction</li> <li>• medial and lateral rotation</li> <li>• circumduction</li> <li>• pronation and supination</li> <li>• dorsi flexion and plantar flexion</li> </ul>
Vertebral column	Structure and function
Impact of physical activity	<p>Impact of training, activity and lifestyle on the skeletal system</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• short term effects</li> <li>• long term effects</li> <li>• effects of warm up and cool downs</li> </ul>

## The skeleton

The skeleton is a crucial part of how the body moves, grows and develops. It has a number of functions which allow us to carry out our everyday tasks.

The skeleton is classified into one of two sections. The **axial skeleton** and the **appendicular skeleton**.



*From the diagram above, identify which bones make up the axial and the appendicular skeleton.*

Axial

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Appendicular

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The job of the axial skeleton is **protection**. The job of the appendicular skeleton is **movement**.



What are the functions of the skeleton?

**1. Support**

➤ \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Shape**

➤ \_\_\_\_\_

➤ \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Movement**

➤ \_\_\_\_\_

➤ \_\_\_\_\_

**4. Protection**

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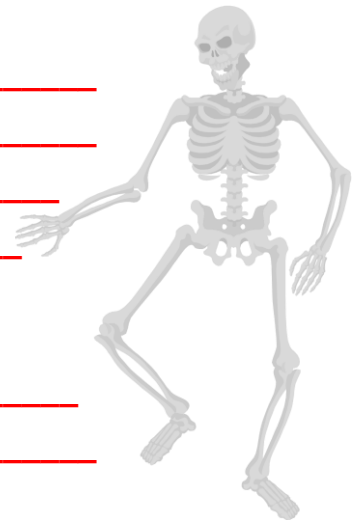
**5. Blood cell production**

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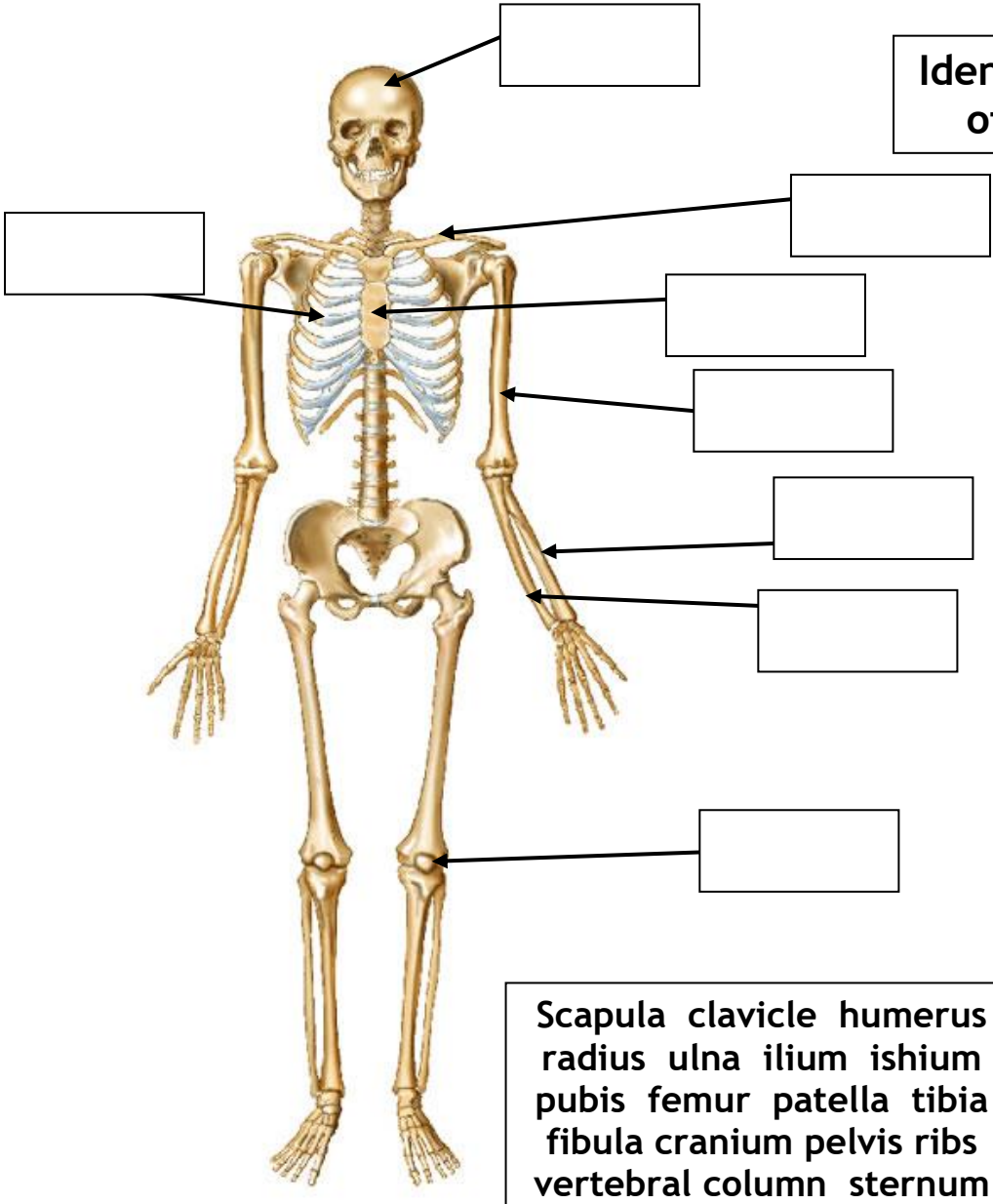
**6. Mineral storage**

- Bones store calcium and phosphorous which are used for nerve transmission and metabolism

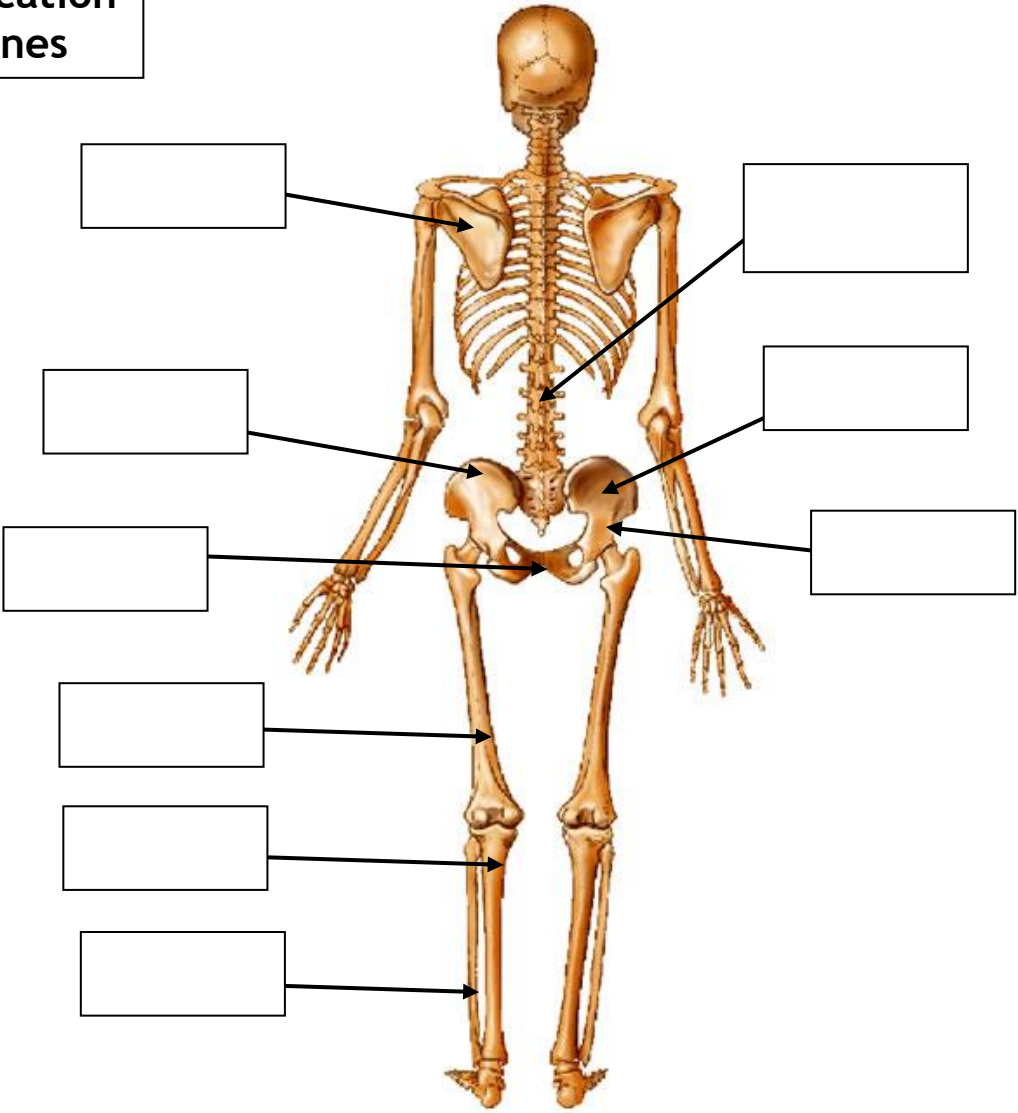


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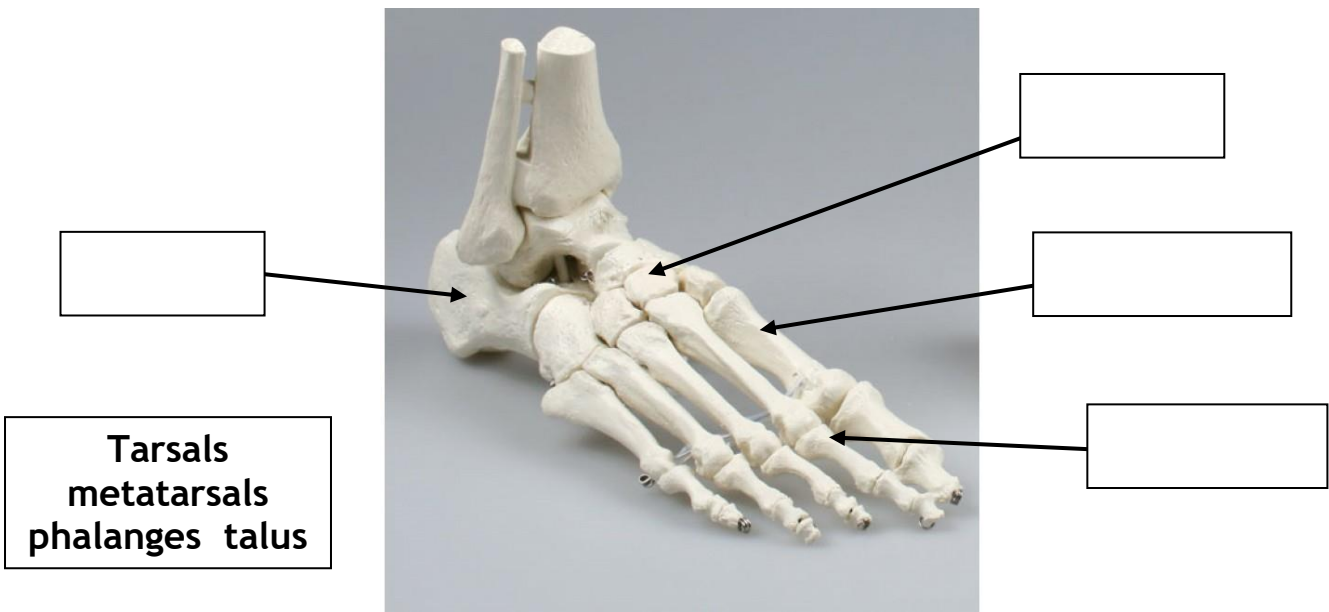
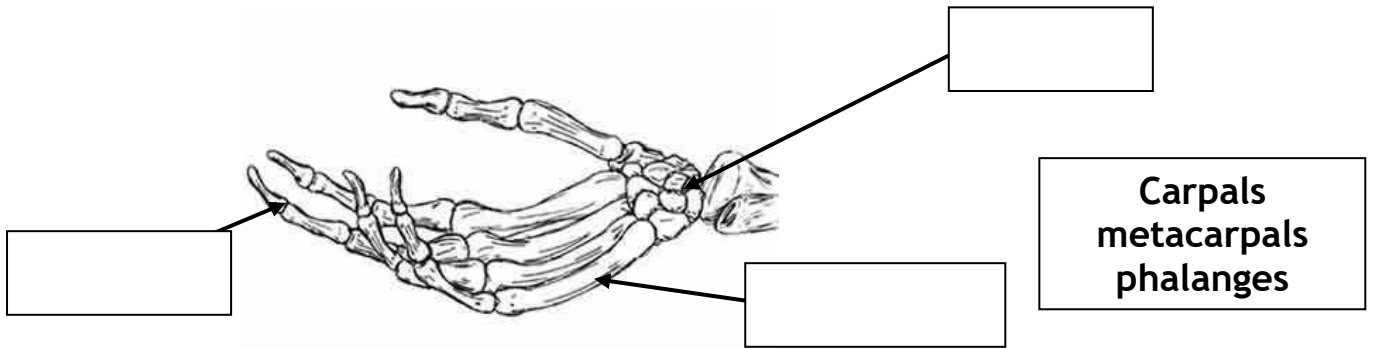
**Identification  
of bones**



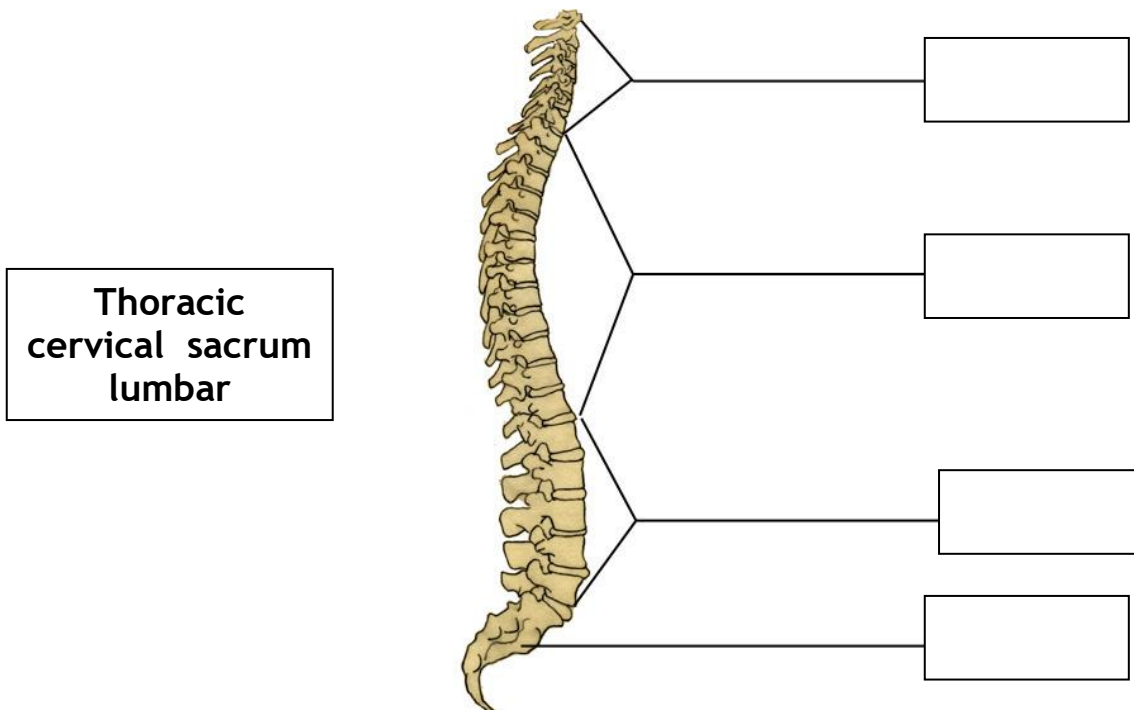
Scapula clavicle humerus  
radius ulna ilium ishium  
pubis femur patella tibia  
fibula cranium pelvis ribs  
vertebral column sternum



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*Name the Bones of the Vertebral Column*



## Types of bones

Bones can be classified according to the 'shape':

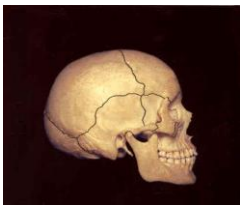


### 1. Long bones

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

### 2. Short bones

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_



### 3. Flat bones

- \_\_\_\_\_

### 4. Irregular bones

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_



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### 5. Sesamoid bones

- \_\_\_\_\_



## Classification of joints

One of the functions of the skeleton is movement. The skeleton has many joints which allows this movement. These allow our muscles to move our bones and let the whole body move. We have over 100 different joints in our bodies.



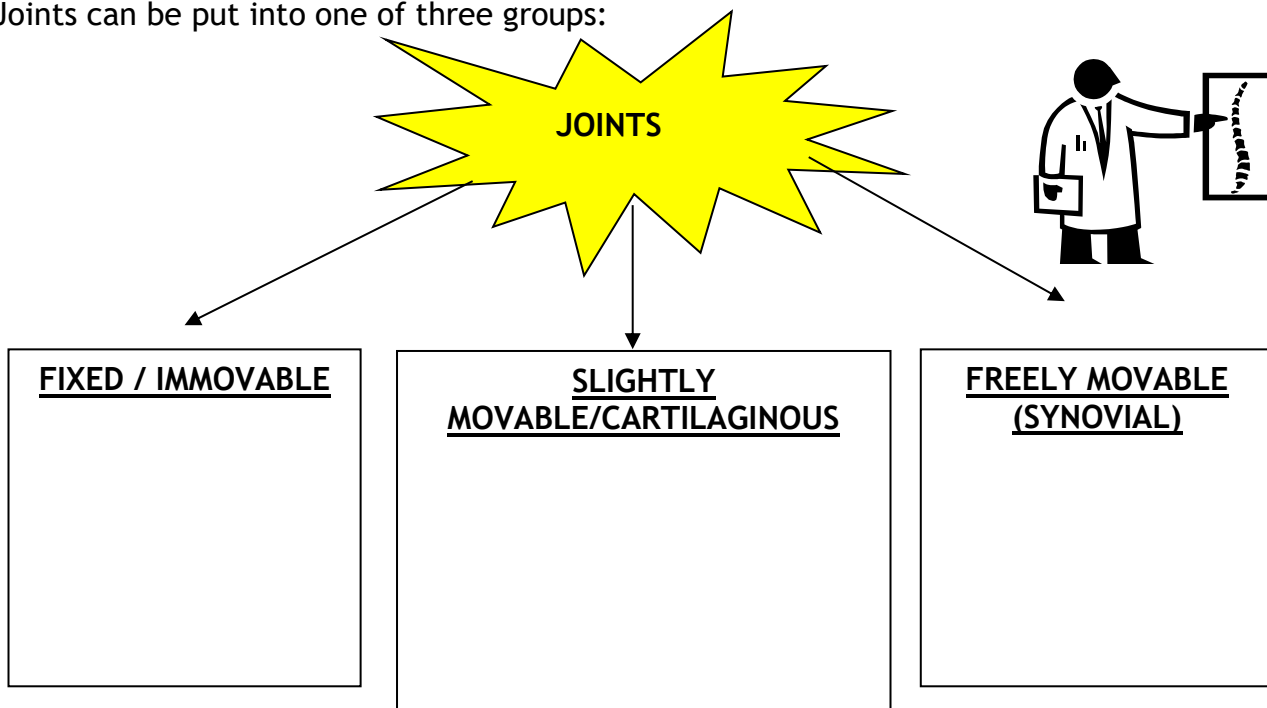
But what is a joint?

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Can you think of a place in the body where movement between joints could be fatal?!!

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Joints can be put into one of three groups:



Our different joints work smoothly together when we make skilled sporting movements. They must be capable of a full range of movement. The muscles and **ligaments** surrounding each joint must be strong enough to give stability.

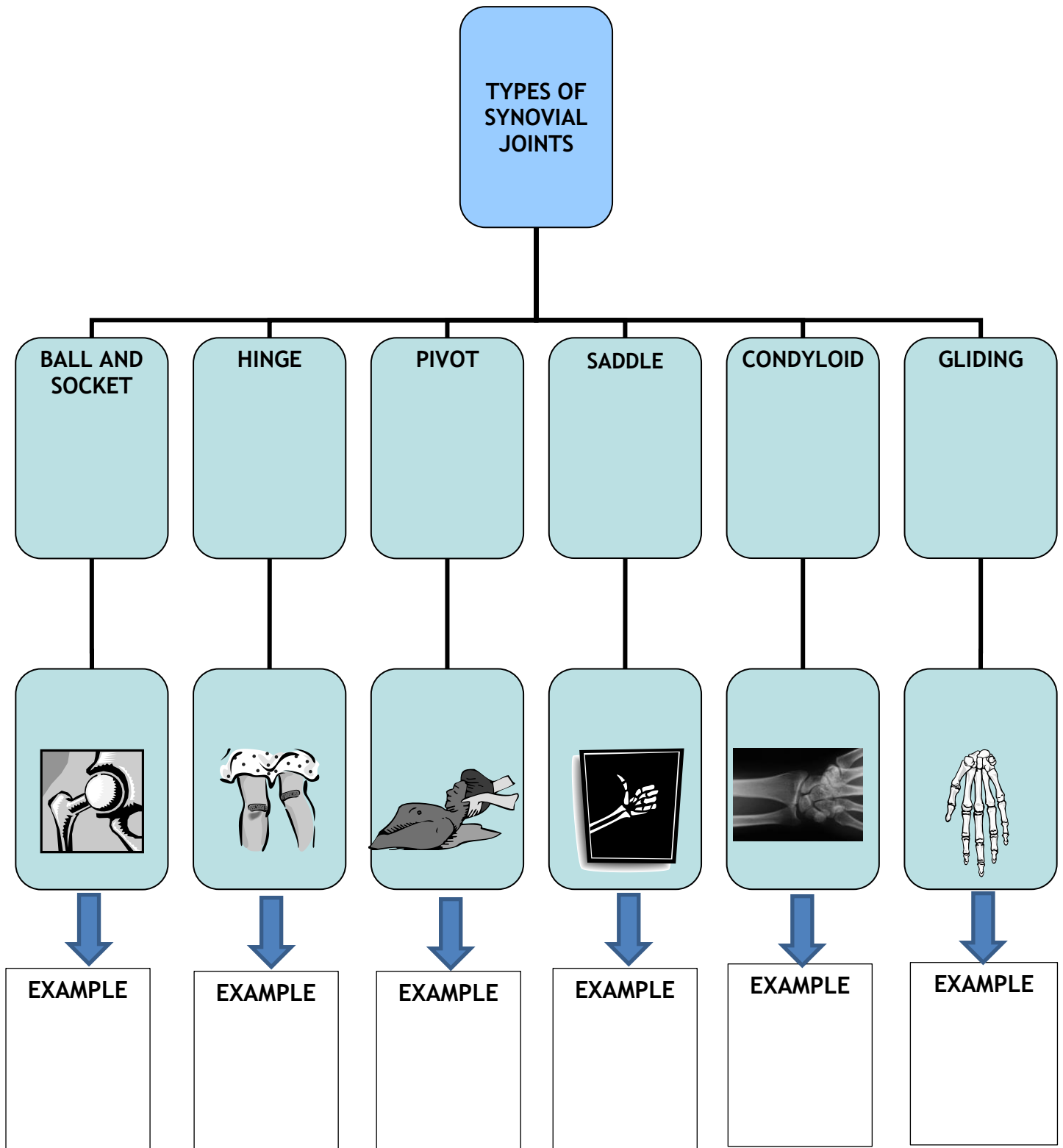
Sport puts stress on our joints. We must make sure we **warm-up thoroughly** before activity to reduce the risk of injury.



## Types of freely movable joint

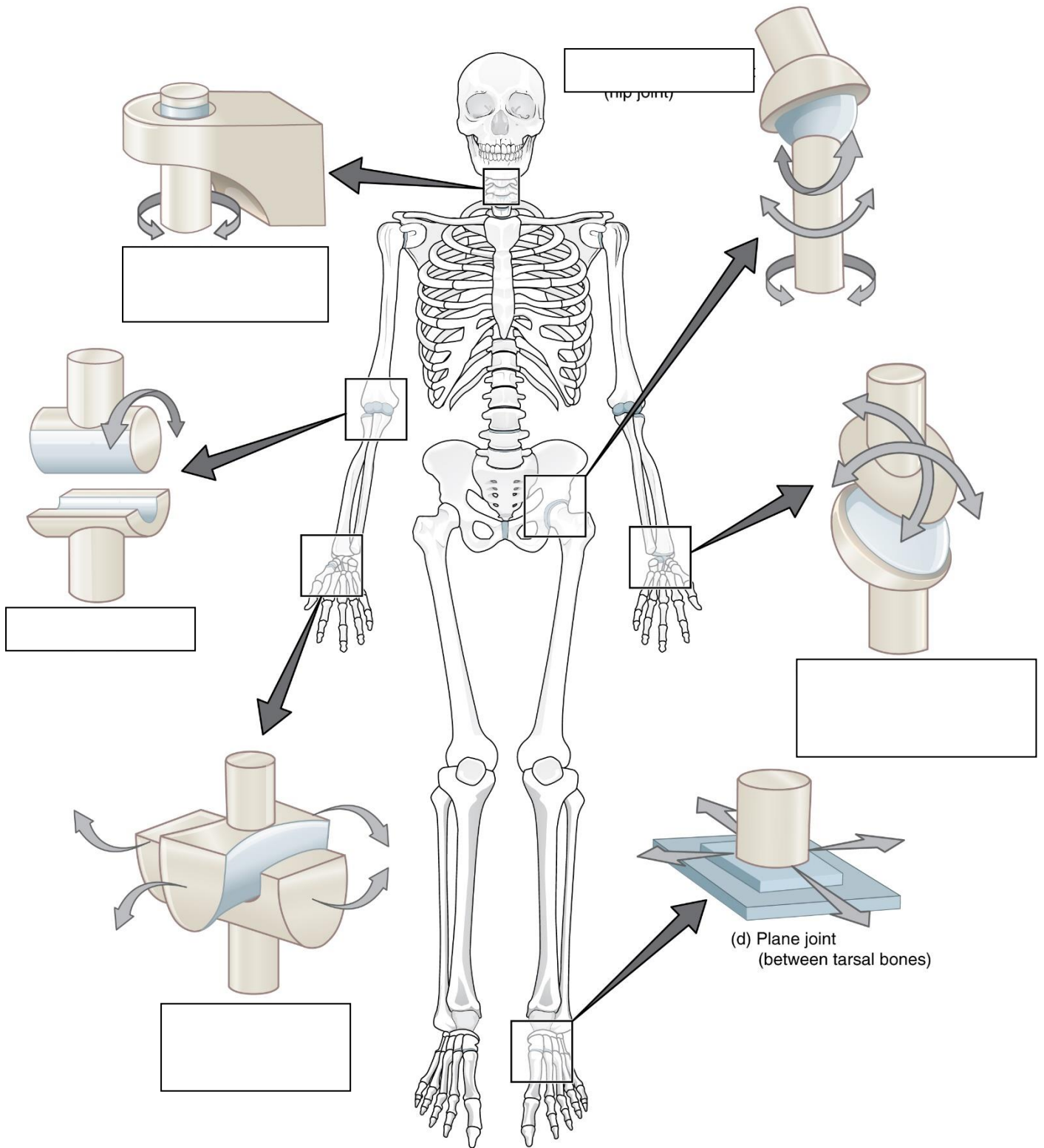
**REMEMBER** - joints can be put into one of three groups - **FIXED, SLIGHTLY MOVABLE AND FREELY MOVABLE.**

There are different types of freely movable joint. This depends on what type of movement they are capable of.



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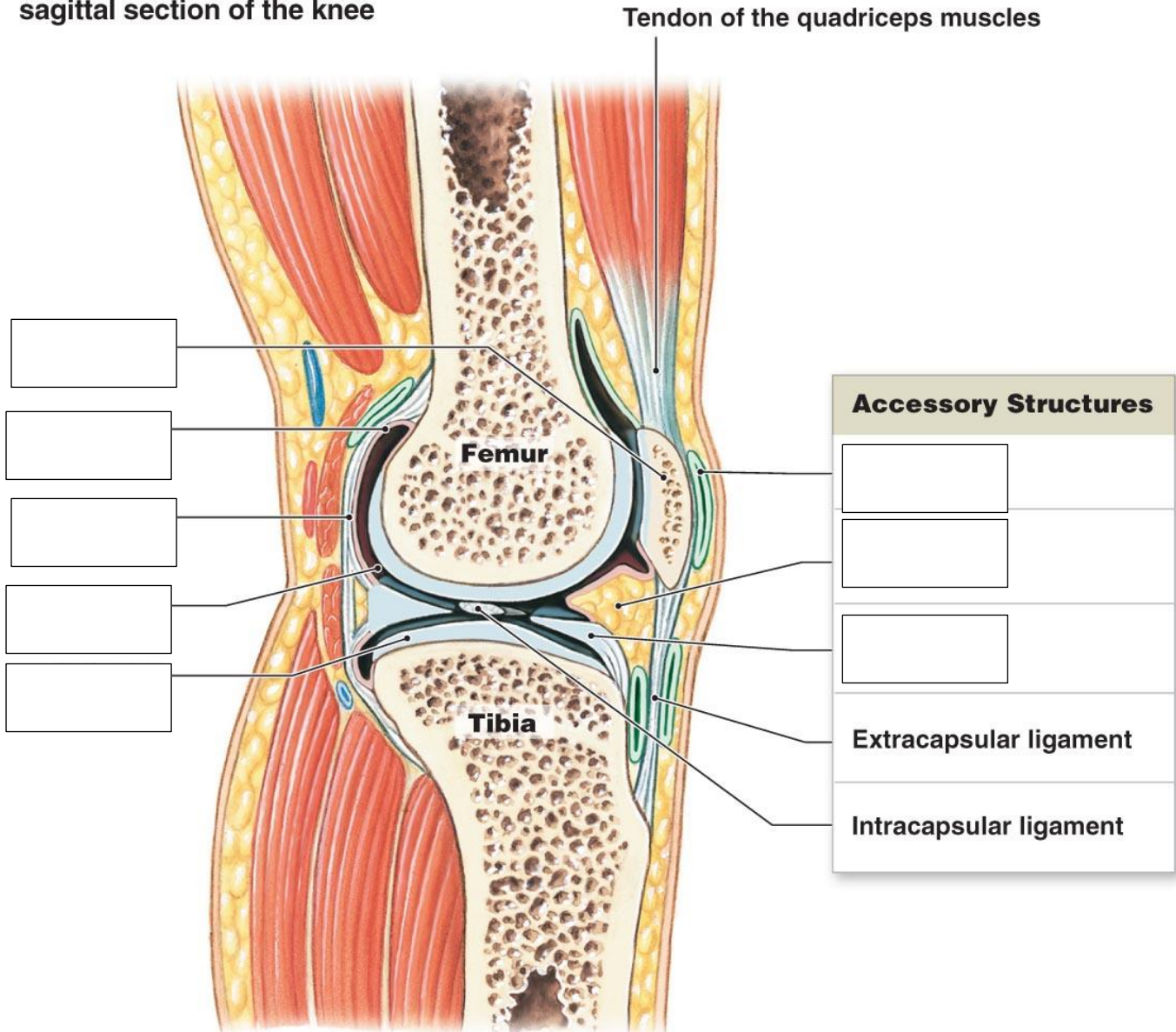
Identify the type of synovial joint indicated below



## Structure of a synovial joint

Identify the structures of the synovial joint below.

Accessory structures of complex synovial joints,  
 as seen in a diagrammatic view of a  
 sagittal section of the knee



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articular/hyaline cartilage    ligament  
 synovial membrane    synovial fluid    meniscus  
 fat pad    bursa    joint capsule

**Articular /hyaline cartilage**

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**Ligaments**

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**Synovial membrane**

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**Synovial fluid**

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**Mensici**

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**Pads of fat**

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**Bursae**

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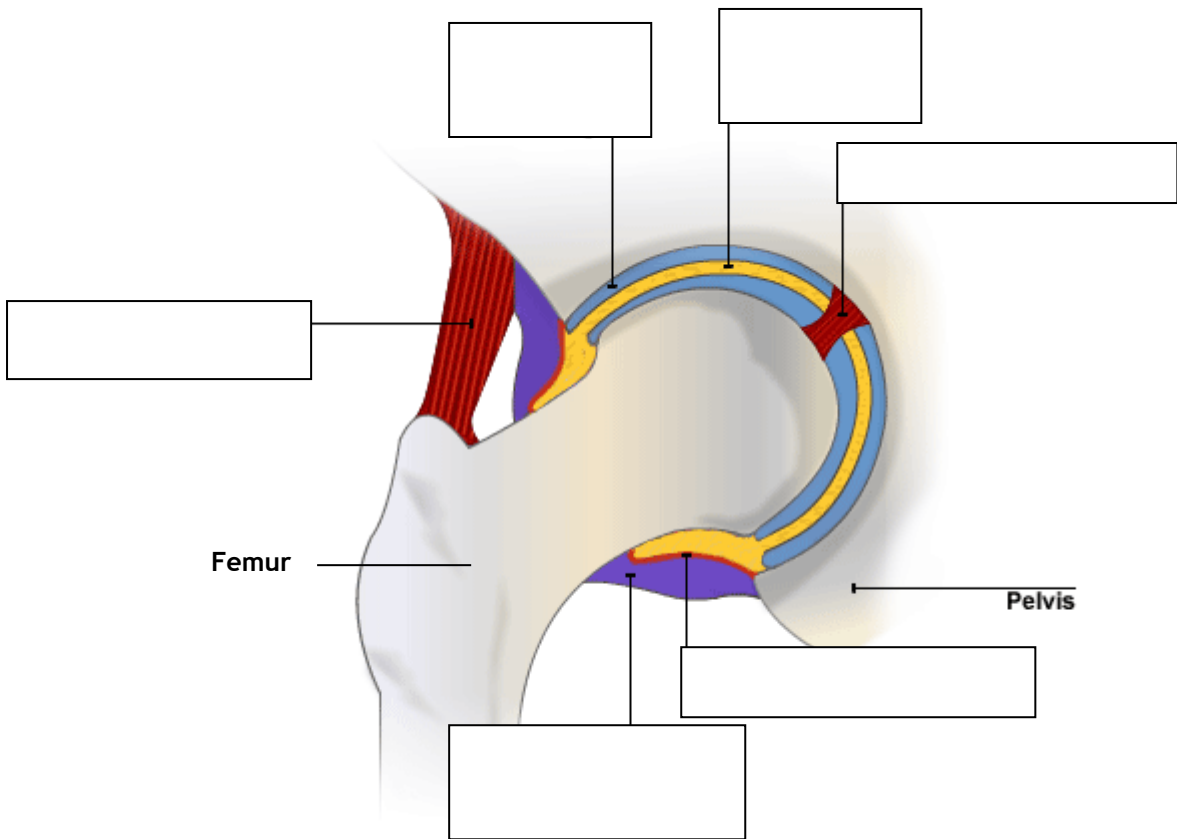
**Joint capsules**

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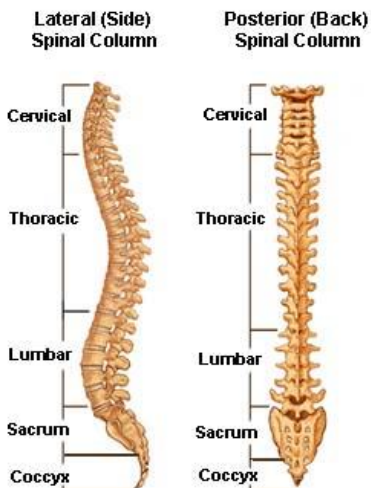


Can you identify the following structures in the hip joint?

hyaline cartilage    synovial fluid    synovial  
 membrane    ligament    joint capsule



**The vertebral column**



The vertebral column incorporates all three types of joint - fixed (sacrum), cartilaginous (thoracic) and synovial (pivot and gliding). The vertebral column helps us with movement by providing attachment for muscles and it is very important to the way we walk.

## Types of movement at synovial joints

The type of movement at a joint will depend on a number of factors, largely the structure of the joint.

Flexion

Extension

Abduction

Adduction

Circumduction

Lateral flexion

Horizontal abduction

Horizontal adduction

Medial rotation

Lateral rotation

Pronation

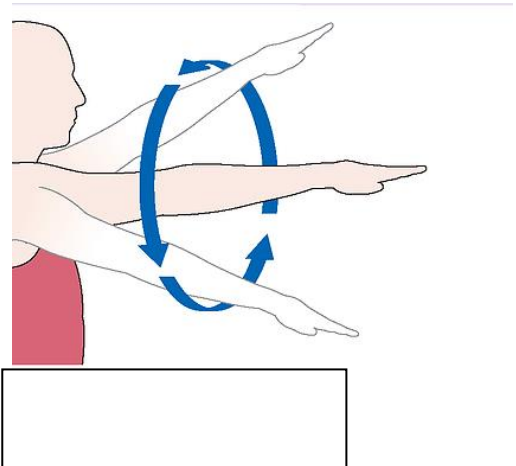
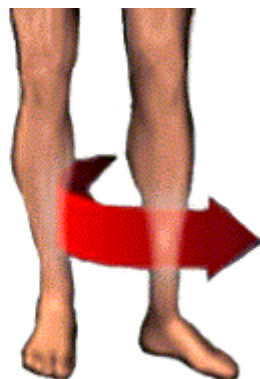
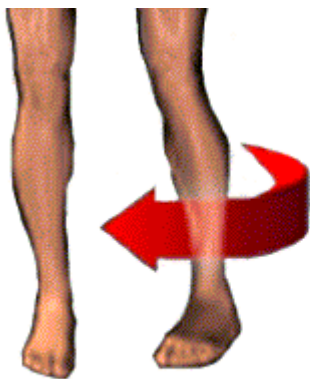
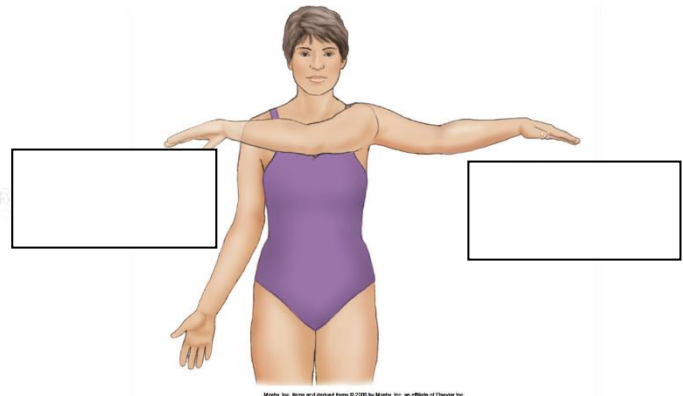
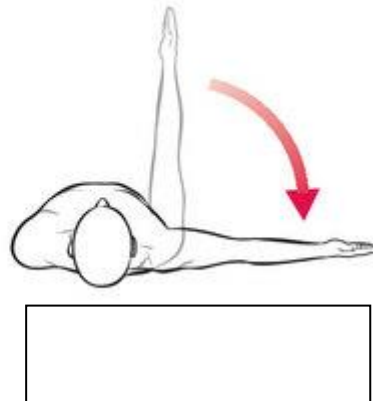
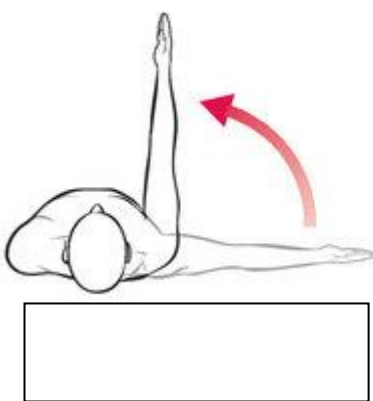
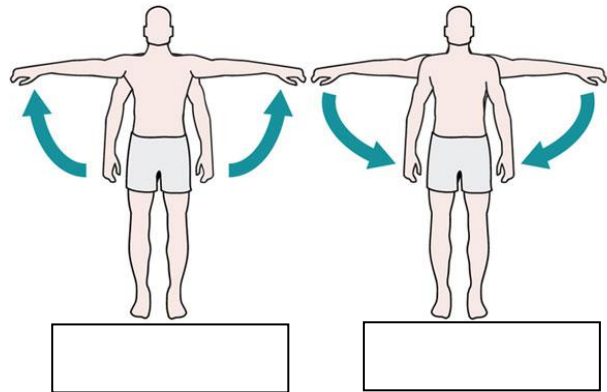
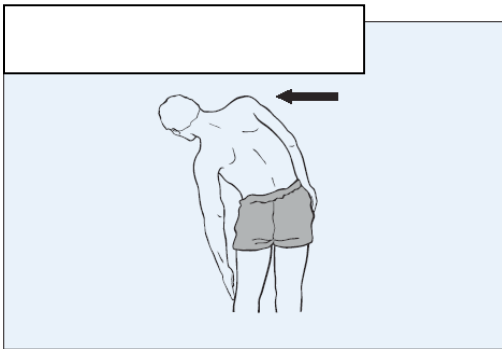
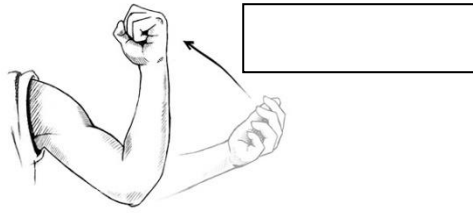
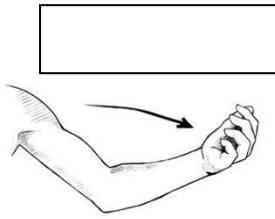
Supination

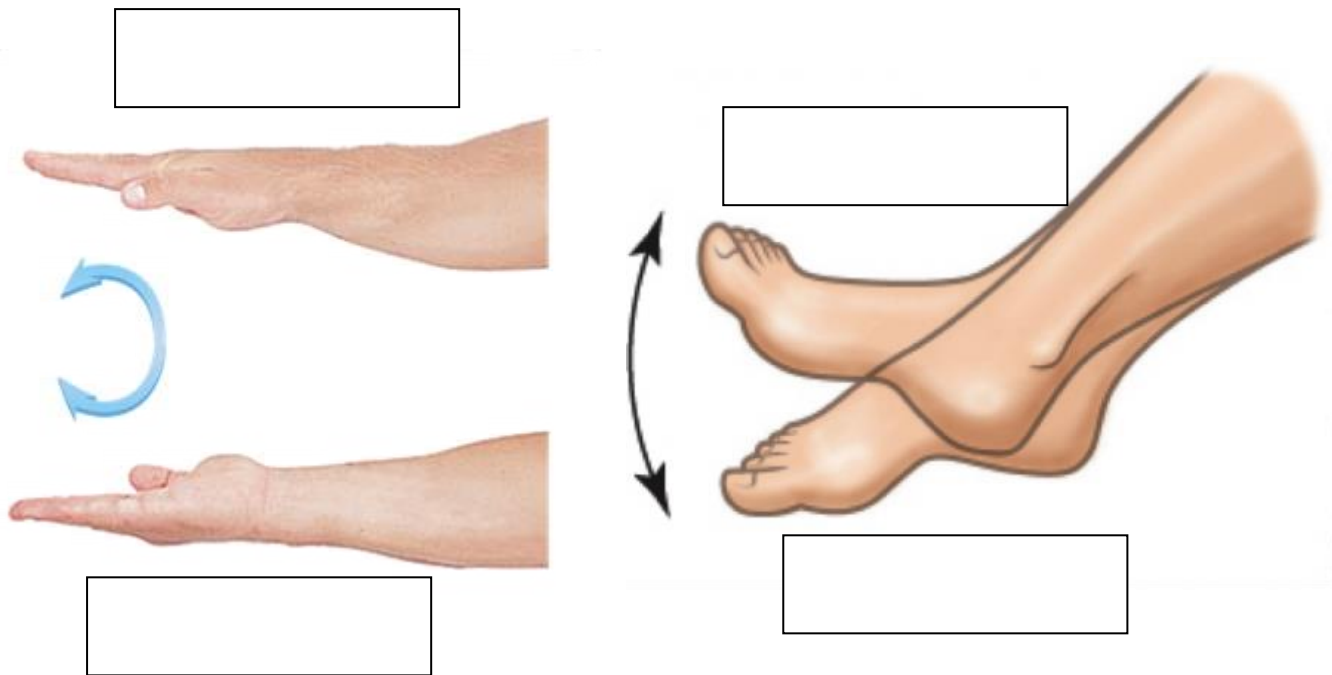
Plantar flexion

Dorsi flexion

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Identify the following anatomical movements from the pictures below.





## Stability and flexibility of joints

The depth of each joint plays an important part in its stability and flexibility.

*Compare the hip joint and the shoulder joint. They are both ball and socket joints, but how do they differ in terms of stability and flexibility?*

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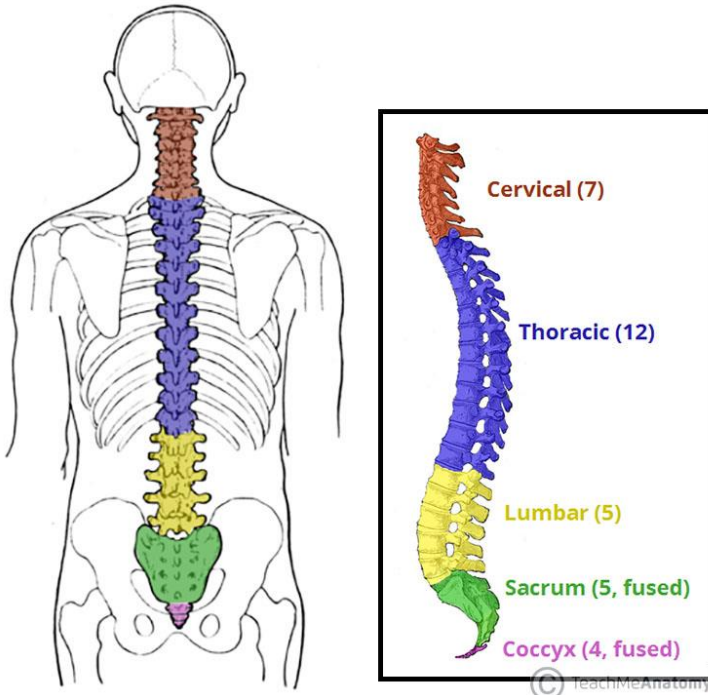
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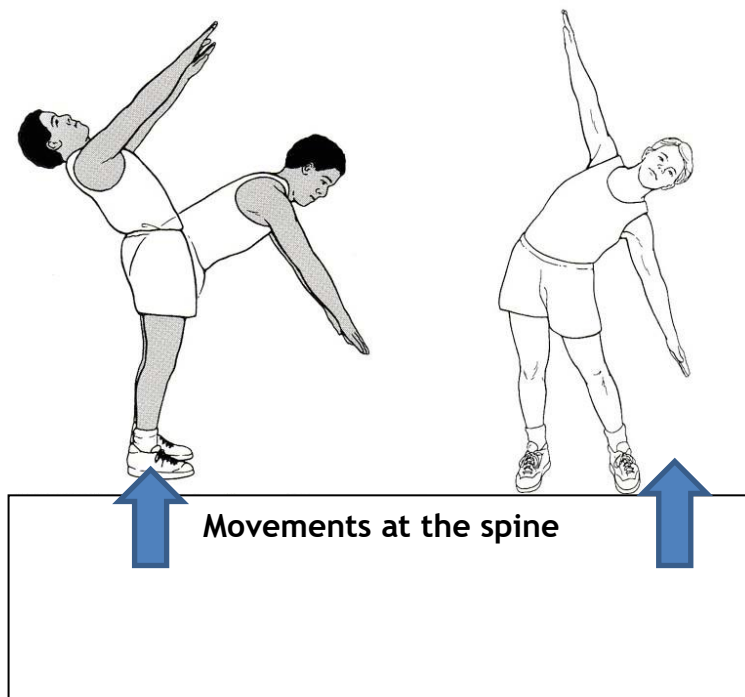


## Structure and function of the vertebral column



The **Vertebral column**, also called spinal column, is the flexible column extending from **neck** to tail, made of a series of bones, the vertebrae. The major function of the vertebral column is **protection**

**of the spinal cord**; it also provides **stiffening** for the body and **attachment** for the pectoral and pelvic girdles and many muscles. An additional function is to **transmit body weight** in walking and standing.



## Impact of physical activity, training and lifestyle on the skeletal system

### Short term effects

POSITIVE	NEGATIVE

### Long term effects

POSITIVE	NEGATIVE

### Effects of warm up and cool down

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