Human Skull Anatomy Activity

Our brain is one of the most important organs in the human body. It needs special protection...your skull! It’s made up of the cranium (8 bones that surround your brain) and another 14 bones in the face which make up your entire skull.

In this worksheet, we are going to review some of the major bones that protect and surround your brain. The parts of the skull have been labeled. Your challenge is to write the correct name for each part.

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Front View

[Diagram of a skull with parts labeled 1 to 13]

Side View

[Diagram of a skull with parts labeled 1 to 13]
## Human Skull Anatomy Key

1. incus
2. stapes
3. malleus
4. zygomatic
5. maxilla
6. mandible
7. parietal
8. frontal
9. nasal bone
10. lacrimal
11. sphenoid
12. occipital
13. temporal