

Bones

I. Sternum (G. sternon, the chest)

A. Manubrium (L. handle)

attachments – pectoralis major m.

1. Clavicular notch (L. clavicula, small key)

function – articulates with clavicle

2. Jugular notch (L. jugulum, throat)

B. Body

attachments – pectoralis major m.

C. Xiphoid process (G. xiphos, sword)

II. Clavicle

A. Acromial end (G. akromion, tip + osmos, shoulder)

function – articulates with acromion

B. Sternal end

function – articulates with sternum

C. Superior surface

attachments – sternocleidomastoid muscle m.

D. Inferior surface

1. Conoid tubercle (cone shaped; L. tuber, swelling)

attachments – conoid lig.

2. Trapezoid line

attachments – trapezoid lig.

E. Anterior border

attachments – pectoralis major & deltoid m.

F. Posterior border

attachments – trapezius m.

III. Scapula

A. Borders

1. Medial

attachments – rhomboids & serratus anterior m.

2. Superior

attachments – omohyoid m. & transverse scapular lig.

a. Suprascapular notch (indentation at the edge of a bone)

function – transmits suprascapular n.

3. Lateral

attachments – teres minor m.

B. Angles

1. Superior

attachments – levator scapulae m.

2. Inferior

attachments – teres major m.

3. Lateral

C. Fossa (L. trench or ditch)

1. Subscapular

attachments – subscapularis m.

2. Supraspinous

attachments – supraspinatus m.

3. Infraspinous

attachments – infraspinatus m.

D. Spine (short, sharp thorn-like process of a bone)

1. Crest (L. crista, bony ridge)

attachments – trapezius m.

2. Acromion

attachments – deltoid m.

function – articulates with clavicle

3. Spinoglenoid notch

function – transmits the suprascapular n., a. & v.

E. Glenoid cavity (G. glenoeides, resembles eye)

function – articulates with head of humerus

1. Supraglenoid tubercle (L. tuber, swelling)

attachments – biceps (long) m.

2. Infraglenoid tubercle

attachments – triceps (long) m.

- F. Coracoid process (G. korakodes, like a raven's beak)

attachments – conoid & trapezoid lig., pectoralis minor, coracobrachialis & biceps (short) m.

IV. Humerus (L. shoulder)

A. Proximal end

1. Head

function – articulates with the glenoid cavity

2. Anatomical neck

attachments – glenoid capsule & glenohumeral lig.

3. Greater tubercle

attachments – supraspinatus, infraspinatus & teres minor m.

4. Lesser tubercle

attachments – subscapularis m.

5. Intertubercular sulcus (L. a furrow or ditch)

function – accommodates the biceps long head tendon

- a. Lateral lip

attachments – pectoralis major m.

- b. Medial lip

attachments – teres major & latissimus dorsi m.

B. Shaft

attachments – brachialis, coracobrachialis, triceps (lateral) & triceps (medial)

1. Surgical neck

2. Sulcus for the radial nerve (or spiral groove)

3. Deltoid tuberosity (G. deltoeides, shaped like the letter delta)

attachments – deltoid m.

C. Distal end

1. Capitulum (L. caput, head)

function – articulates with radius

2. Trochlea (L. pulley)

function – articulates with trochlear notch of ulna

3. Lateral epicondyle (G. kondylos, knuckle)

attachments – common extensor tendon & supinator m.

- a. Lateral supracondylar ridge

attachments – extensor carpi radialis longus & brachioradialis m.

4. Coronoid fossa (G. korone, hooked or curved)

function – accommodates the coronoid process

5. Medial epicondyle

attachments – common flexor tendon & pronator teres m.

- a. Medial supracondylar ridge

6. Olecranon fossa (G. olene, ulna + kranion, head)

function – accommodates the olecranon process of the ulna

V. Radius (L. spoke of wheel)

A. Proximal end

1. Head

function – articulates with capitulum of humerus

2. Neck

3. Radial tuberosity

attachments – biceps m.

B. Shaft

attachments – abductor pollicis longus, extensor pollicis brevis, flexor pollicis longus, pronator teres & supinator m.

1. Interosseous border

attachments – interosseous membrane

C. Distal end

attachments – pronator quadratus m.

1. Carpal articular surface

2. Styloid process (G. stylos, pillar or post)

attachments – brachioradialis

3. Dorsal tubercle

function – redirects tendon of extensor pollicis longus m.

VI. Ulna (L. elbow)

A. Proximal end

attachments – supinator m.

1. Olecranon process

attachments – triceps m.

2. Trochlear notch

function – articulates with trochlea

3. Coronoid process

attachments – brachialis & pronator teres m.

4. Radial notch

function – articulates with the head of the radius

5. Ulnar tuberosity

attachments – brachialis m.

B. Shaft

attachments – abductor pollicis longus, extensor indicis, extensor pollicis longus, flexor carpi ulnaris & flexor digitorum profundus m.

1. Interosseous border

attachments – interosseous membrane

C. Distal end

attachments – pronator quadratus m.

1. Styloid process

VII. Carpals (G. karpus, wrist)

A. Scaphoid (G. skaphe, skiff, boat)

1. Radial surface

2. function – articulates with radius

B. Lunate (L. luna, moon)

1. Radial surface

function – articulates with radius

C. Triquetral (L. triquetrus, triangular)

D. Pisiform (L. pisum, pea)

attachments – abductor digiti minimi, flexor carpi ulnaris m. & flexor retinaculum

E. Trapezium (G. trapezion, four sided)

attachments – abductor pollicis brevis, abductor pollicis longus, flexor pollicis brevis, opponens pollicis m. & flexor retinaculum

F. Trapezoid (G. trapezoeides, table shaped)

G. Capitate

attachments – adductor pollicis m.

H. Hamate (L. hook)

1. Hamulus

attachments – fl. digiti minimi, opponens digiti minimi m. & flexor retinaculum

VIII. Metacarpal

A. Head

function – articulates with phalangeal base

B. Shaft

attachments – adductor pollicis (2–3), dorsal interossei (2–5), opponens digiti minimi (5), opponens pollicis (1) & palmar interossei (2,4,5) m.

C. Base

function – articulates with carpal

attachments – abductor pollicis longus (1), extensor carpi radialis brevis (3), extensor carpi radialis longus (2), extensor carpi ulnaris (5) & flexor carpi radialis (2–3) m.

IX. Phalanges (G. phallanx, line of soldiers)

attachments – extensor digitorum (2–5), extensor digiti minimi (5) & extensor indicis (2) m.

A. Head

B. Shaft

attachments – flexor digitorum superficialis (2–5) m.

C. Base

attachments – abductor digiti minimi (5), abductor pollicis brevis (1), adductor pollicis (1), dorsal interossei (2–4), extensor pollicis brevis (1), extensor pollicis longus (1), flexor digiti minimi (5), flexor

digitorum profundus (2–5), flexor pollicis brevis & flexor pollicis longus (1) m.