

The Appendicular skeleton:

The pectoral girdle:

- Consists of two scapulae and 2 clavicles.
- These two bones are coherent with one another.

Functions of pectoral girdle:

- Connect the upper limbs with the axil skeleton.
- They allow for the upper limbs to move freely as they do not have too much weight.

The upper limbs:

These consist of the humerus, an ulna, a radius, carpal, metacarpals as well as phalanges. These are all joined by joints. ***The radius is the thinner bone compared to the ulna. The radius is situated on the right thumb.***

The pelvic girdle:

Consists of:

- Ilium
- Sacrum
- Acetabulum
- Ischium
- Pubis

Function of the pelvic girdle:

- Attach lower limbs to pelvic girdle.
- Protects organs within the pelvic girdle.