## Gangly O'Dangly

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Gangly O'Dangly is frightfully shy.

He's a rattle-bone, all alone, kind of a guy.

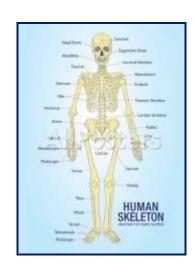
The first time I saw him, I hollered, "By golly!" He models the *bones* that are inside my body.

Alas, there's no *brain* inside his poor brainium; Nary a hair grows upon his smooth *cranium*.

He has two-hundred-six bones, including his *tibia*. He hasn't a tongue, so he can't tell a fib-ia.

Gangly is thin. His meals weren't numerous.

Count Gangly's ribs. Can you tickle his humerus?



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