

PARTS OF THE HUMAN EYE

Vitreous Humor

The jelly-like substance that fills the eye behind the lens.

Lens

The clear, curved structure that focuses light onto the retina.

Cornea

The clear, dome-shaped front surface of the eye that bends light as it enters.

Aqueous Humor

The watery fluid between the cornea and the lens.

Pupil

The dark opening that lets light into the eye.

Iris

The colored part of the eye that controls pupil size.

Suspensory Ligaments

The fibers that hold the lens in place.

Sclera

The tough, white outer layer of the eye.

Choroid

The layer of blood vessels that nourishes the eye.

Retina

The light-sensitive layer at the back of the eye where images are focused.

Optic Nerve

The nerve that carries visual information from the retina to the brain.

Blind Spot

The point where the optic nerve connects to the retina, with no light-sensing cells.

Ciliary Body

The ring of tissue that controls the shape of the lens.

