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Tooth

There's a lot more to teeth than what you can see from the outside. Here's a closer look at what's inside every tooth.

Crown

This is the part of the tooth you can see above your gums.

Enamel

The crown of your tooth is covered with enamel, a hard substance that helps you bite and chew.

Dentin

This is a layer of tissue between the enamel and pulp.

Pulp

This is a soft material inside of your tooth.

Root

The root is the largest part of your tooth, but it's below your gums, so you can't see it. It helps keep your tooth "planted" in your mouth.

Nerves and blood vessels

These are inside of the pulp. They bring good vitamins and minerals to your teeth to keep them healthy.

Cementum

This is a layer of bone-like material that covers the tooth root.

That's a lot of stuff packed into each little tooth! It's something to think about the next time you brush and floss.