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Base of the Skull

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The portion of the skull that forms the floor on which the brain lies. The internal surface of the cranial base has three large depressions that lie on different levels known as the anterior, middle, and posterior cranial fossae.