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## THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

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that scientists thought it was once used to help digest the tree bark that our supposed ape-like ancestors ate. Do we have organs that we no longer use because we have evolved away from needing them?

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As a result, doctors used to be quick to remove a child's tonsils. Today, we know that our tonsils have several jobs and are an important part of our immune system. Our appendix has been found to serve as a backup for other organs. If your spleen is damaged, your appendix will take over some of its functions. Wisdom teeth are important in chewing food, especially when the diet includes more coarse materials.

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