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Dinosaurs

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It’s Dinosaurs Week!
In this packet, there are printable activities and everyday learning ideas for you and your child to choose from. As you complete each square, mark it off to celebrate the learning.

Learning Spotlight: Dinosaurs
Paleontologists identify dinosaurs by looking at fossils and comparing their physical characteristics. Children will describe dinosaurs by their sizes and shapes.

Show What You Know: Comparing Dinosaurs and Animals
The last activity in this packet is a perfect way for children to learn about how dinosaurs were unique.

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**Grades 1-2**

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Think about your favorite dinosaur. In this activity, write facts about it to organize the information you know about it. Write a short report and then share what you know with someone.
Dinosaur Fact Cards

Dinosaurs lived in different time periods (Cretaceous, Jurassic, and Triassic). They also had different diets (they were carnivores, herbivores, or omnivores) and looked different. Cut and sort the DINOSAUR TRAIN fact cards by the dinosaurs' diets, the time periods they lived in or any of their features. What did you learn about any of the dinosaurs?

Adocus

Adocus was a large Cretaceous turtle with a smooth shell. It was probably a good swimmer that lived most of its life in the water.

Stats
- Omnivore
- Quadruped

Other Cretaceous Dinosaurs
- Tyrannosaurus
- Triceratops
- Corythosaurus

Ankylosaurus

Ankylosaurus was an armored dinosaur from the Cretaceous. The bony club at the end of its tail may have been used as a weapon to fend off attacks from predators like Tyrannosaurus rex.

Stats
- Herbivore
- Quadruped

Other Cretaceous Dinosaurs
- Tyrannosaurus
- Triceratops
- Corythosaurus

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Ornithomimus
“bird mimic”

This dinosaur from the Cretaceous may have been an omnivore. That means it could have eaten plants—like fruits and leaves and animals like insects, small reptiles and mammals, maybe even eggs.

Stats
- Herbivore
- Biped

Other Cretaceous Dinosaurs
- Tyrannosaurus
- Triceratops
- Corythosaurus

Deinonychus
“terrible claw”

Deinonychus was a dinosaur around four feet tall—just about your size! It was a pretty fast runner, with a large, curved claw on the second toe of each foot.

Stats
- Carnivore
- Biped

Other Cretaceous Dinosaurs
- Tyrannosaurus
- Triceratops
- Corythosaurus

Parasaurolophus

Parasaurolophus was a duck-billed dinosaur.

Stats
- Herbivore
- Biped

Other Cretaceous Dinosaurs
- Triceratops
- Brachiosaurus
- Carnotaurus

Eoraptor

Eoraptor lived during the Triassic Period, and is

Stats
- Herbivore
- Biped

Other Triassic Dinosaurs
- Sauropod
- Carnotaurus
- Brontosaurus
Sort the DINOSAUR TRAIN fact cards by the dinosaurs' diets.

- **carnivore**
  - (meat-eater)
  - Stack cards here

- **omnivore**
  - (ate plants and meats)
  - Stack cards here

- **herbivore**
  - (plant-eater)
  - Stack cards here
Sort the DINOSAUR TRAIN fact cards by the time periods they lived in.

**Cretaceous**

Stack cards here

**Jurassic**

Stack cards here

**Triassic**

Stack cards here
Dinosaur Diets

Dinosaurs had different diets. Some dinosaurs only ate meat; they were carnivores. They had sharp teeth. Other dinosaurs ate plants and meat; they were omnivores. Some dinosaurs only ate plants; they were herbivores. They had flat teeth. Color, cut and then sort the dinosaurs by what they ate. The DINOSAUR TRAIN Fact Cards can help you as you learn about the dinosaurs and their diets.

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Triceratops  
Brachiosaurus  
Ornithomimus  
Stegosaurus  
Adocus  
Deinonychus

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Name

Dinosaur:

1. Choose a dinosaur.

2. Identify two special characteristics (like it’s features or it's diet).

3. Write down evidence from the DINOSAUR TRAIN fact cards or information you already know.

Evidence

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Comparing Dinosaurs and Animals

Some dinosaurs are compared with animals that are living today because they had similar features (they looked alike) or because they had similar abilities (they could do the same thing). Stegosaurus and armadillos or triceratops and rhinoceros share similar features (like their armor or their horns.) Choose a dinosaur and a present day animal and think about how they are the same, but also how they are different.

(dinosaur)  (animal)

Both

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