

Dinosaurs

- We will be learning about what a dinosaur is.
- We are going to be learning about different dinosaurs and their appearance including their colour and shape.
- We are going to be creating our own colossal class collage by experimenting with a range of materials.

- We will be reading a range of fiction and non-fiction texts about dinosaurs.
- We are going to be looking at the story 'Dear Zoo' and creating our own alternative version called 'Dear Natural History Museum'.
- We are going to be writing our own dinosaur poems.

- We are going to be learning about dinosaurs' teeth.
- We will be learning the names of different teeth.
- We will be comparing dinosaurs' teeth to our own teeth.
- We will be making T-Rex teeth and as a class we will make a T-Rex jaw.

- We will be learning about pitch.
- We will be learning about musical scores and creating our own.

- We are going to be learning about what dinosaurs ate.
- We will be designing our own dino dinner

- We will be thinking about how dinosaurs became extinct.
- We are going to be finding out about fossils.

- We will be learning to solve problems involving measure.
- We will be learning how to measure accurately.
- We will be measuring dinosaur footprints.

- We will be learning about the Islamic faith.
- We will be learning the practices of Muslims.
- We will be learning about the Muslim festival of Eid and its importance

- We will be taking part in football with MK Dons.
- We will be learning to play team games.
- We are going to be participating in a dinosaur dance.





Things you could do at home...

Parents/Carers and Children

- If you are a Muslim you could take photos of your Eid celebration and bring them into school.
- Please remember to practise your spellings every week – it will help you to become a better reader!
- Enjoy sharing a non-fiction book and talking about what you have found out.

We would like your home learning to be a project based on dinosaurs – these can be returned to school as soon as they are completed.

Websites

For information on dinosaurs you can visit:

- http://www.bbc.co.uk/sn/prehistoric_life
- <http://www.enchantedlearning.com/subjects/dinosaurs/glossary>
- <http://www.nhm.ac.uk/kids-only/dinosaurs/>

To learn more about teeth you can visit:

- http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/scienceclips/ages/7_8/teeth_eating.shtml
- <http://www.enchantedlearning.com/themes/teeth>

Appeals for help

- We are always happy to have volunteers to read with the children. If you would like to help please speak to your child's class teacher.

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Year 2

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