

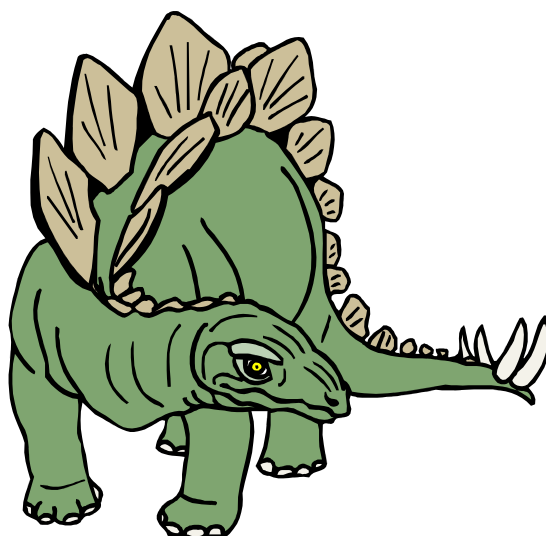


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Dinosaurs!



Nursery Spring Term 2 2013

Over the next few weeks, your child will be working on the topic of Dinosaurs!

They will be taking part in a series of exciting activities, including:

- **Creating a dinosaur land**
- **Sieving for bones**
- **Measuring dinosaur footprints**
- **Sorting dinosaurs**
- **Going on a dinosaur hunt in the school**
- **Finding out about the dinosaurs using 'dino' app on the ipads**

**Your child needs your help and involvement!
Please get involved by:**

- ☐ **Taking your child to the library & get a book about dinosaurs**
- ☐ **Ask friends/relatives if they have any fossils you can look at**
- ☐ **Type 'dinosaur' into google images and look at pictures of dinosaurs together**
- ☐ **Help your child to name and identify some dinosaurs**
- ☐ **Look at the following free apps:**

**Dinos
Dino world**

- ☐ **Look at the following websites:**

www.bbc.co.uk/sn/prehistoric_life/games/skeleton_jigsaw/skeletal_jigsaws/index.shtml

www.enchantedlearning.com/dinoalphabet/

What does your child know about dinosaurs?

Before the Topic...

After the Topic...

Sit down with your child and help them record what they know about the topics, BEFORE and then AFTER they have learnt about it at school.

What else is happening?

SEAL Time

Each term, we focus on a particular aspect of Social & Emotional Aspects of Learning (S.E.A.L).

This term, we will be looking at the theme of 'Good to be me'.

R.E

We shall continue to find out about other religions and cultures through celebrations and festivals. This half-term we shall be celebrating the topic 'Belonging'.

How to support your child's learning

Please support your child by making sure that they take part in a reading activity daily. Why not choose from one of the following activities each day: sharing a book before bed, playing i-spy, playing a game from the games library, reading their school book.

Clubs

Breakfast Club	Every Morning 8-8.50am
Nursery Lunch Club	Every Lunchtime 11.30-12.30
Games Library	Friday 8.50am 9.10am

Forthcoming Events

Tuesday 5th March	Mothers Day Present Room
Wednesday 6th March	World Maths Day
Thursday 7th March	World Book Day
Monday 11th March	Parent/Teacher Consultations : 3.30 – 6.00pm
Wednesday 13th March	Parent/Teacher Consultations : 5.30 – 8.00pm
Thursday 14th March	Class Photographs
w/c 18th March	National Science & Engineering Week
Thursday 21st March	Easter Discos
Wednesday 27th March	Year 2 Parents' Class Assembly : 2.45pm
Thursday 28th March	Last day of term : 2.15pm finish
Monday 15th April	INSET DAY
Tuesday 16th April	Return to School 8.30am