

DINO-INVESTIGATORS: IDENTIFICATION



DINOSAUR INVESTIGATION NOTES

Big question 1: When did our dinosaur live? _____

Evidence: _____

Big question 2: Where did our dinosaur live? _____

Evidence: _____

Big question 3: What would our dinosaur have eaten? _____

Evidence: _____

Big question 4: What did our dinosaur look like? _____

Evidence: _____

Detective notes

Use this space to make notes about other questions you would like to find out about.



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GLOSSARY

Aquatic: Lives in water.

Carnivore: Meat-eating animal with sharp teeth.

Camouflage: Colours or patterns that help an animal blend in with its surroundings.

Cells: All living things are made up of tiny building blocks called cells.

Conifer: A tree that has cones, like a pine or a fir.

Cretaceous period: Third period of the Mesozoic Era, 145-65 million years ago.

Fossil: The remains of something that once lived, preserved in rock. Teeth and bones are more likely to form fossils than softer body parts like skin and internal organs.

Habitat: The natural home or environment of a plant or animal.

Herbivore: An animal that feeds on plants.

Insect: An invertebrate with three pairs of jointed legs.

Jurassic: Second period of the Mesozoic Era, 200-145 million years ago.

Limb: Part of the body, in humans arms and legs.

Mammal: Warm-blooded, hairy vertebrate that suckles its young.

Mesozoic: "Middle life" geological Era about 250-65 million years ago, containing the Triassic, Jurassic and Cretaceous periods. Also known as 'the age of the dinosaur'. Dinosaurs became extinct at the end of the era.

Pelvis: The 'hip bones'.

Predator: Animal that preys on animals for food.

Triassic: First period of the Mesozoic Era, about 250-200 million years ago.

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