









Ready to Launch...

Create moving dinosaurs for classroom display















- Visit the Natural History Museum in London
- Research a dinosaur online and make a fact-file
- Bake some dinosaur cookies

Explore real fossils

Discover how large dinosaurs

from millions of

years ago!

really were!



# How do we know dinosaurs existed?

## Expert knowledge:

- Fossils are formed inside sedimentary rocks at the bottom of the sea or rivers.
- It takes millions of years to make a fossil.
- There are three main types of rock; igneous, sedimentary and metamorphic
- Dinosaurs lived between 250 and 65 million years ago.
- A scientist who studies fossils is called a palaeontologist.



Design, cook and eat dinosaur biscuits







**Wow** moments



# English:

#### Writing to inform

- Biography of Mary Anning
- Explanation of how fossils are made
- Writing formally
- Conjunctions and expanded noun phrases
- Features of non-fiction writing including subheadings
- Organising content into paragraphs

### Science:

## Rocks & Soils

- Investigating different types of rock (igneous, metamorphic, sedimentary), knowing the differences and explain how they are made.
- Classifying rocks according to physical features
- Investigating permeability, durability and density of different rocks
- Knowing the layers of soil and what soil is made of
- Investigating the permeability of different types of soil.

# History:

- Prehistory—eras of dinosaur existence and extinction
- Understanding dinosaurs lived millions of years ago
- Dinosaur physiology and the uses of their features
- Mary Anning and the discovery of the ichthyosaur
- The process of fossil creation

#### Art:

Create dinosaur habitats from cardboard and creative materials

#### D&T:

Planning, cooking and eating dinosaur biscuits

# How do we know dinosaurs existed?

#### Maths:

- Number and place value
- Mental and written calculations
- Addition
- Subtraction
- Strategies for multiplication and division
- Problem solving weekly throughout year

## **PSHCE:**

**New Beginnings** 

**Relationships** and Friendships

## The Story Project:

The Hundred Dresses—curating positive, healthy peer relationships

### PE:

Swimming

Indoor Athletics

## RE:

- Is Christian Worship the same around the world?
- Why do Christians share communion?

# Computing:

Espresso coding:

Algorithms, debugging, designing code to solve a problem or complete a puzzle