


# Dinosaurs

## EYFS Topic Web - Spring 2016

<p><b><u>Personal, Social and Emotional Development</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ I will be looking at the features of a dinosaur paying particular focus on the dinosaur's teeth, discussing why they should clean their teeth.</li> <li>❖ I will be describing similarities and differences of different dinosaurs.</li> <li>❖ I will be explaining my own knowledge and understanding about dinosaurs during Show and Tell.</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Literacy</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ I will look at a range of fiction and non-fiction books about dinosaurs.</li> <li>❖ I will make up my own ending to a dinosaur story.</li> <li>❖ I will recognise rhythm in spoken word and continue a rhyming string.</li> <li>❖ I will make up my own story about a dinosaur.</li> <li>❖ I will label the different parts of a dinosaur.</li> <li>❖ I will learn new sounds, tricky words and high frequency words in Phonics.</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Maths</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ I will count sets of dinosaurs.</li> <li>❖ I will play a matching games of numbers to pictures</li> <li>❖ I will sing number rhymes about dinosaurs.</li> <li>❖ I will sort dinosaurs into different sets.</li> <li>❖ I will talk about, compare and order dinosaurs according to size and weight.</li> <li>❖ I will make a dinosaur number line with dinosaurs.</li> <li>❖ I will be learning to name and describe simple 3D shapes.</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>Communication and Language</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ I will look at and discuss pictures of dinosaurs.</li> <li>❖ I will sing rhymes about dinosaurs.</li> <li>❖ I will talk about the differences between dinosaurs.</li> <li>❖ I will learn new vocabulary related to dinosaurs.</li> <li>❖ I will be thinking about the sequence of events in stories and saying what happened in the beginning, middle and end.</li> <li>❖ I will listen carefully and respond to instructions.</li> <li>❖ I will make dinosaur puppets for children to tell stories to.</li> </ul>		<p><b><u>Expressive Arts and Design</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ I will make 3D dinosaurs from a range of different materials.</li> <li>❖ I will make dinosaur eggs with balloons and papier mache.</li> <li>❖ I will paint pictures of dinosaurs and explore the different textures of dinosaurs.</li> <li>❖ I will make dinosaur bones from straws.</li> <li>❖ I will make volcanoes using junk materials.</li> <li>❖ I will use instruments to create dinosaur sounds.</li> <li>❖ I will represent my own ideas through design and technology and art.</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>Physical Development</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ I will be imagining I am a dinosaur going under and over equipment.</li> <li>❖ I will show understanding of the need for safety when digging for dinosaur bones.</li> <li>❖ I will make dinosaur cookies.</li> <li>❖ I will make playdough and use a range of tools including dinosaur cutters.</li> <li>❖ I will be using a range of small and large equipment.</li> <li>❖ I will understand the need for a healthy diet and look at the diets of different dinosaurs.</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Understanding the World</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ I will be visiting the 'classroom in the woods' and learning about keeping safe in this environment.</li> <li>❖ I will use the computer to find out about dinosaurs and where they used to live</li> <li>❖ I will look at fact books and videos to find out information about dinosaurs.</li> <li>❖ I will discuss changes caused by time and what the earth used to look like when dinosaurs roamed.</li> <li>❖ I will be investigating dinosaur's eggs.</li> <li>❖ I will make observations of dinosaurs and plants and talk about changes.</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Special Events</u></b></p> <p>21<sup>st</sup> January (2.00-3.00pm) -Family Science afternoon</p> <p>11th February - 'Dinosaur Adventure' Day</p>

Statements in blue just apply to Reception