

Dinosaur Poem

Ideal for grades: K-3

Materials Needed: writing materials

Activity Categories: pre-visit, post-visit, dinosaur, English Language Arts

In this activity, students use their imagination to write their own simile poem about a dinosaur. First, instruct students to finish the sentences in the template provided. Students should think of creative ways in which a dinosaur of their own creation acts, eats, sleeps, moves, etc. You can adjust and give fewer pages to individual learners.

Curricular Competencies: Science

Kindergarten:

- Transfer and apply learning to new situations

Grades 1 and 2:

- Communicate observations and ideas using oral or written language, drawing, or role-play

Grade 3:

- Transfer and apply learning to new situations

Big Ideas: English Language Arts

Kindergarten:

- Playing with language helps us discover how language works.

Grades 1 and 2:

- Language and story can be a source of creativity and joy

Grade 3:

- Using language in creative and playful ways helps us understand how language works.

My Dinosaur Poem

This book belongs to: _____

My dinosaur looks like _____

My dinosaur acts like _____

My dinosaur sounds like _____

My dinosaur eats like _____

My dinosaur moves like _____

My dinosaur sleeps like _____

My dinosaur feels like _____