

SCHOOLS GUIDE

Get ready for Friday 30 June!

Get Your Dinosaur Day Pack!

WHATIS DINOSAUR DAY?

Do you know your Brontosaurus from your Brachiosaurus? How about your Troodon from your Pterodactyl?

You might not, but the kids in your class certainly do!
This year at DK, we're putting the nation's favourite curiosity centre stage with our very first **DINOSAUR DAY** on 30 June.

For many children across the world a love of dinosaurs is the gateway to natural science and history. Which kid doesn't want to find out about the size of a T-Rex? Or how fast Velociraptors could run? Or if Plesiosaurs were amphibians or reptiles?*

For almost 50 years DK has been the world's largest publisher of dinosaur books and we've helped expand the understanding of these mysterious and magnificent creatures. With dino books for all ages we'll be encouraging the nation to celebrate dinosaurs through reading, working with schools and booksellers for a full weekend of dino fact-tastic entertainment.

So read on for your complete guide to our roar-some selection of dinosaur books and a range of activities for hosting your very own school's Dinosaur Day – as well as how to sign up for our schools competition.

We can't wait to see what you do in class!

I'm a Troodon!



5 WAYS TO HOST YOUR OWN DINOSAUR DAY AT SCHOOL

1. Order some DK dinosaur books!

From the adventures of *The Dinosaur Club* and quiz time in *The Fact-Packed Activity Book: Dinosaurs*, to the incredible dino maps in *What's Where on Earth? Dinosaur Atlas*, we've got educational dinosaur books for every dinosaur fanatic. Read on in this booklet to find the perfect read for your school.

Psst... if you sign up to the competition (on the right) we'll also send over offers from our retail partners for special schools-only discounts.

2. Sign up to DK Learning for a host of curriculum aligned fun dinosaur activities



Our DK Learning website is home to a range of lesson-plans, activities and kahoots inspired by our books. Visit our special page here or scan the QR code above to find curriculum-aligned activities, including Dinosaur Detectives (KS2) and Mesozoic Monsters (KS2). You should find everything you need to start planning the perfect Dinosaur Day for your school.

DINOSAUR DAY!

3. Sign up for a Dinosaur Day competition

Enter our schools giveaway here or scan the QR code above, where you could win 50 dino-mite dinosaur books for your school library.

We also have 50 limited edition Dinosaur Day **sticker packs** – each containing 1200 stickers in total – to give away. To sign up for your pack, just enter the giveaway. Packs are given out on a first-come-first-serve basis so act quickly!

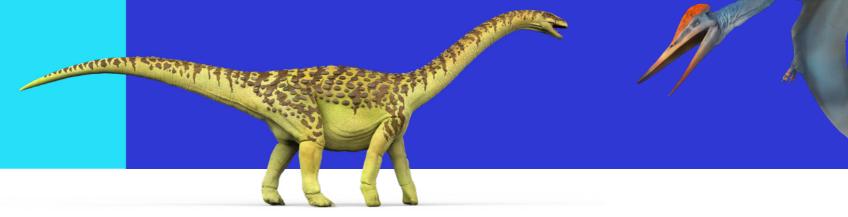
4. Join us for a very special lesson...

Just before Dinosaur Day, we'll be sending over a special video message for schools from a *real life* paleontologist, with an exclusive look at a day in their life, alongside answers to some of the most in-demand dinosaur questions. Simply join DK Learning to receive access.

5. Speak to your local bookshop

We're working with bookshops up and down the country to host some very special Dinosaur Day events. Contact your local bookshop to find out if you can celebrate together.

NEW DINOSAUR BOOKS FOR 2023



Preschool



A Dinosaur's Day

Beautifully illustrated narrative stories about dinosaurs that teach children brilliant dinosaur facts through a fun story!

Deinonychus Goes Hunting 9780241538562 NEW FEBRUARY
Triceratops Follows Its Herd 9780241516300 NEW AUGUST
T. Rex Meets His Match 9780241633472 NEW OCTOBER



Bedtime Book of Dinosaurs

9780241585108

Get to know more than 100 of the world's favourite dinosaurs and other prehistoric life forms with this essential illustrated introduction.

NEW APRIL



Baby Dinosaur Under the Sea

9780241609866

Celebrate doing things differently with this sweet board book that follows Baby Stegosaurus on her underwater escapade.

NEW MAY

Key Stage 1

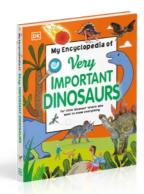


Dinosaur Club

Travel back in time to the world of the dinosaurs in this exciting prehistoric fiction series for children.

Escaping the Liopleurodon 9780241559192 NEW MAY
Dinosaur Club: Collection One 9780241635278 NEW JULY
Avoiding the Allosaurus 9780241559208 NEW SEPTEMBER

See the complete series listing on p.10



My Encyclopedia of Very Important Dinosaurs

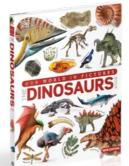
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Learn everything there is to know about dinosaurs through hundreds of fun facts about the prehistoric world in this new edition, bursting with up-to-date information and discoveries.

NEW EDITION NOVEMBER



Key Stage 2

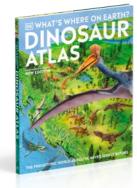


Our World in Pictures The Dinosaur Book

9780241601655

Come face-to-face with some of the most incredible creatures ever to exist in this incredible book of dinosaurs and other prehistoric life.

NEW JUNE



What's Where on Earth? Dinosaur Atlas New Edition

9780241488515

Using specially commissioned maps and incredible artworks based on the latest scientific research, this atlas brings to life the world of dinosaurs and other prehistoric creatures.

NEW AUGUST





1,000 AMAZING DINOSAUR FACTS

1000 Amazing Dinosaur Facts

9780241569931

A jaw-dropping collection of incredible facts and visual comparisons about dinosaurs and prehistoric life.

NEW JUNE

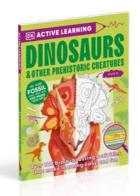


Everything You Need To Know About Dinosaurs

9780241614884

Everything you need to know about the most remarkable animals ever to roam the prehistoric landscape.

NEW AUGUST



Active Learning Dinosaurs and Other Prehistoric Creatures

9780241617960

Learn essential facts about dinosaurs and other prehistoric creatures through 100 brain-boosting activities, puzzles, and exercises.

NEW JULY



Dinosaurs and Other Prehistoric Life

9780241620090

This jaw-dropping spectrum of dinosaurs – from stealthy hunters to plant-loving giants – provides a learning experience like no other!

NEW NOVEMBER

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DK DINOSAUR BESTSELLERS

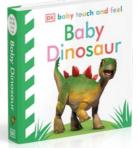




Pop-Up Peekaboo! Baby Dinosaur

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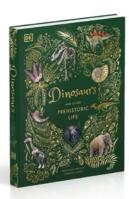
Discover a world of adorable baby dinosaurs hiding in the pages of this interactive pop-up baby book.



Baby Touch and Feel Baby Dinosaur

9780241316344

An interactive touch and feel book for babies packed full of dinosaurs and Jurassic sized fun.



Dinosaurs and Other Prehistoric Life

9780241491621

Travel back in time to when dinosaurs roamed the Earth and marvel at more than 90 amazing plants, animals, and fossils along the way.



Eyewitness Dinosaur

9780241507193

Dig into the past and bring dinosaurs back to life with this book from the bestselling Eyewitness series!



Dinosaur Activity Lab

978024153626

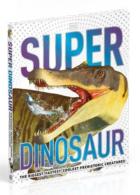
A dynamic dinosaur book packed full of fun and easy-to-make projects that will bring the prehistoric world to life.



Dinosaur Ultimate Handbook

9780241519622

From the Stegosaurus to the Tyrannosaurus-rex, get ready to dig into the past and bring dinosaurs to life with this dino-mite encyclopaedia for children!



SuperDinosaur

9780241412862

Prepare to be amazed as more than 40 incredible prehistoric creatures come roaring back to life in stunning CGI reconstructions.



The Fact-Packed Activity Book: Dinosaurs

9780241538418

A fun, fact-filled activity book about dinosaurs, jam-packed with exciting activities, puzzles, quizzes and more!

MEET OUR PALAEONTOLOGISTS



Here are just some of the brilliant palaeontologists who work with us on our DK books...

Professor Anusuya Chinsamy-Turan

Anusuya Chinsamy-Turan is a South African palaeobiologist based in the Department of Biological Sciences at the University of Cape Town. She is known for her expertise and developments in the study of the microstructure of fossil teeth and bones of extinct and extant vertebrates.

BOOK: Dinosaurs and Other Prehistoric Life



Dr Dean Lomax

Dr Dean Lomax is an internationally recognised multi-award-winning palaeontologist, author and presenter. He travels across the world excavating and researching dinosaurs and other ancient animals, discovering and naming new species, and regularly appears on TV as an expert and presenter, notably co-hosting the primetime TV series Dinosaur Britain.

BOOKS: The Bedtime Book of Dinosaurs and Other Prehistoric Life Everything You Need to Know About Dinosaurs



Darren Naish

Darren Naish has worked for BBC's Natural History unit and is a science communicator and dinosaur expert. As a part of his work, he's named fossil animals, dinosaurs and flying reptiles.

BOOK: What's Where on Earth? Dinosaur Atlas



Emily Keeble

Emily is a vertebrate palaeontologist and science communicator, currently studying for a PhD at Virginia Tech University.

BOOKS: The Secret Explorers and the Jurassic Rescue
Dinosaur Club: The T-Rex Attack
Dinosaur Club: A Triceratops Charge
The Fact-Packed Activity Book: Dinosaurs



Learning ACTIVITIES

Activities for KS1

Dino Bingo!

Print and hand out the bingo grids and read out the list of super tricky dinosaur names with your class. Encourage pupils to look carefully at the words on their grids. Support pupils by emphasising the initial letter and sound of each dinosaur name or keyword.



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Dinosaur Name Cards

Pupils can develop their knowledge of alphabetical order by sorting the Dinosaur Cards and these cards will also help with their phonics and reading skills. All dinosaur names are in the DK book, *Dinosaur A to Z*, so pupils can also practise looking them up.

Discovering Dinosaurs Lesson Plan

Year 1 and year 2 pupils will love this lesson all about dinosaurs. Cover national curriculum science and history objectives on this excellent Jurassic journey. KS1 pupils will develop scientific skills as they identify, describe, compare and

group dinosaurs and other prehistoric animals.



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Activities for KS2

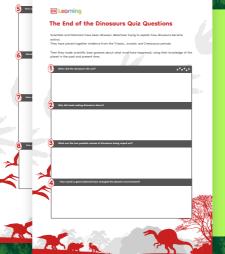
Dinosaur Detectives Lesson Plan

Year 3 and year 4 pupils, and teachers alike, will love this lesson all about dinosaurs. Cover national curriculum objectives in science and history and develop pupils' critical thinking skills as they become dinosaur detectives.









The End of the Dinosaurs Quiz Questions

Take all your learnings about the Triassic,
Jurassic and Cretaceous periods from our
Dinosaur Detectives lesson plan and put your
new-found knowledge to the test by answering
the greatest dino mystery of all time: why did
the dinosaurs die out?

Mesozoic Monsters

Lesson Plan

Year 5 and year 6 pupils will develop their non-fiction reading and writing skills in this English lesson with a dinosaur theme.

National curriculum objectives in reading are covered through the popular topic of the Mesozoic Era.



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DK DINOSAUR TITLES LIST

TITLE	RRP	ISBN	PUB DATE
FOR CHILDREN 0-3 YEARS			
Pop-Up Peekaboo! Baby Dinosaur	£7.99	9780241342077	Jun-18
100 First Dinosaur Words	£9.99	9780241375587	Oct-19
Roar! Roar! Baby Dinosaur	£12.99	9780241225295	Oct-16
Baby Dinosaur on the Farm	£6.99	9780241533475	Mar-21
Baby Dinosaur Under the Sea	£6.99	9780241609866	May-23
Baby Touch and Feel Baby Dinosaur	£5.99	9780241316344	May-18
My First Dinosaur	£4.99	9780241237588	Feb-16
My First Dinosaur Flashcards	£9.99	9780241491591	Oct-21
Pick Me Up! Dinosaur	£5.99	9780241274477	Mar-17
3-5 YEARS			
A Dinosaur's Day: Diplodocus Finds Its Family	£6.99	9780241538494	Sep-22
A Dinosaur's Day: Deinonychus Goes Hunting	£7.99	9780241538562	Feb-23
Bedtime Book of Dinosaurs	£12.99	9780241585108	Apr-23
My Terrific Dinosaur Book	£9.99	9780241474136	Jun-21
First Facts Dinosaurs	£6.99	9781409375753	Aug-12
I Love My Dinosaur	£7.99	9780241439388	Aug-20
5-7 YEARS			
Dinosaur Club: The T-Rex Attack	£6.99	9780241533406	Feb-22
Dinosaur Club: A Triceratops Charge	£6.99	9780241533413	Feb-22
Dinosaur Club: Saving the Stegosaurus	£6.99	9780241538500	May-22
Dinosaur Club: Tracking the Diplodocus	£6.99	9780241538708	Aug-22
Dinosaur Club: The Compsognathus Chase	£6.99	9780241559185	Oct-22
Dinosaur Club: Catching the Velociraptor	£6.99	9780241559178	Dec-22
Dinosaur Club: Escaping the Liopleurodon	£6.99	9780241559192	May-23
Dinosaur Club Collection One	£27.99	9780241635278	Jul-23
My Encyclopedia of Very Important Dinosaurs	£14.99	9780241316177	Sep-18
My Encyclopedia of Very Important Dinosaurs (New Edition)	£16.99	9780241656549	Nov-23
The Fact-Packed Activity Book: Dinosaurs	£7.99	9780241538418	Apr-22
The Ultimate Dinosaur Glow in the Dark Sticker Book	£3.99	9780751344387	Jan-02

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The Ultimate Sticker Book Dinosaurs	£4.99	9780241467053	May-21
Sticker Encyclopedia Dinosaurs	£7.99	9780241363256	May-19
Dinosaur A to Z	£16.99	9780241283875	Oct-17
Dinosaur Ultimate Handbook	£9.99	9780241519622	Oct-21
My Book of Dinosaurs and Prehistoric Life	£9.99	9780241459515	Sep-21
The Big Book of Dinosaurs	£9.99	9780241400876	May-19
7-9 YEARS			
Dinosaurs and Other Prehistoric Life	£20	9780241491621	Sep-2021
Does a Dinosaur Roar?	£14.99	9780241411636	Mar-20
First Dinosaur Encyclopedia	£9.99	9780241188767	Jul-16
Utterly Amazing Dinosaur	£14.99	9780241255308	Oct-16
DKfindout! Dinosaurs	£7.99	9780241250266	Mar-17
The Secret Explorers and the Jurassic Rescue	£5.99	9780241442272	Oct-20
How to Build LEGO Dinosaurs	£9.99	9780241544655	Oct-22
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SHARE YOUR DINOSAUR DAY

We can't wait to see what you have planned for Dinosaur Day 2023!

Share your pictures with us **@DK_Learning** and **@DKBooks** on social media using the hashtag **#DKDinoDay**.

And make sure to follow both channels for fun Dinosaur Day content, activities and giveaways in the run up to the day itself.

