

### **Communication & Language**

- \*Role play opportunities
- \*Listening to dinosaur stories.
- \*Linking statements when we talk.
- \*Expressing our selves effectively with an awareness of the listeners needs.
- \*Use past, present and future forms accurately when talking about events.

### **Physical Development**

- \*Team games focusing on object control.
- \*PE: Static Balance. Ball skills.
- \*Dinosaur dance (responding to music).
- \*Handwriting – correct orientation and size. Writing letters on the line with correct ascenders and descenders.

### **Expressive Arts and Design**

- \*Papier mache –dinosaur world model.
- \*Large paper for drawing dinosaur habitats and role play.
- \*Salt dough fossils prints.
- \*Make and bake dinosaur eggs.
- \*Dinosaur sound tracks – making our own musical sound effects.
- \*Dinosaur models using paper plates.

### **Personal, Social & Emotional Development**

- \*To show care and concern for living things.
- \*Looking after a ‘dinosaur’ egg.
- \*Learning to negotiate to avoid conflict with others.
- \*How and why do we care for our friends when they are sad?
- \* PSED – Relationships: families & friends.

## **Dastardly Dinosaurs**

*What were dinosaurs and how did they live?*

*How do we know that dinosaurs existed?*

*What happened to the dinosaurs?*

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### **Understanding the World**

- \*Collecting fossils
- \*Grouping and sorting dinosaurs.
- \*Walking with Giants – TV clips
- \*Meteors – impact on the earth and dinosaurs.
- \*Habitats with natural objects.
- \*Visit to Bristol Museum to look at Dinosaur artefacts.
- \*Following our own ideas and interests about dinosaurs and the world.

### **Literacy**

- \*Revise all Phase 3 letter sounds and keywords (& spell from memory).
- \*Letters and Sounds Phase 4 keywords and blending adjacent consonants.
- \*Write information books about dinosaurs.
- \*Instructions for keeping a dinosaur egg.
- \*Lists of pro and cons for keeping a dinosaur as a pet!
- \*Writing stories about a pet dinosaur.
- \*Exploring non-fiction books & how to use them.
- \*Design and label own dinosaurs for display.
- \*Message in a bottle writing.

### **Maths**

- \*Measuring dinosaur footprints and estimating size. Ordering footprints by size.
- \*Weighing dinosaurs – ordering and comparing.
- \*Explore volume and capacity.
- \*Sequencing and timelines of events.
- \*Addition and subtraction to 20
- \*One more/less numbers to 20
- \*Counting in 2's, 5's and 10's.
- \*Exploring odd and even numbers.
- \*Data Handling – favourite dinosaurs

Visit to Bristol City Museum to look at the Dinosaur Exhibition.

