

Fossils Worksheet 6: Extinction of Dinosaurs

Name That Dinosaur

Write the dinosaur name that goes with each clue.

1. I am one of the longest dinosaurs.

2. I am the fiercest dinosaur.

3. I am a spike-tailed dinosaur.

4. I am a three-horned dinosaur.

5. I am a duck-billed dinosaur.



Trachodon



Brachiosaurus



Tyrannosaurus
rex



Triceratops



Stegosaurus

Use the letters above to finish the rhyme.

Dinosaurs were amazing creatures, I think
But I'll never see a real one because they are ...

6. ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ !

1 2 3 4 5 6 7



7. About how long ago did dinosaurs become extinct?

- a) 1 million years ago b) 1,000 years ago c) 66 million years ago

8. What was a probable cause of the extinction of dinosaurs?

- a) a giant asteroid impact b) a virus c) bad digestion

9. Where was the impact zone of this giant asteroid?

- a) Dinosaur National Monument b) The Yucatan Peninsula at Gulf of Mexico

10. What did the asteroid impact cause?

- a) strong tornadoes b) intense heat & fire c) rain