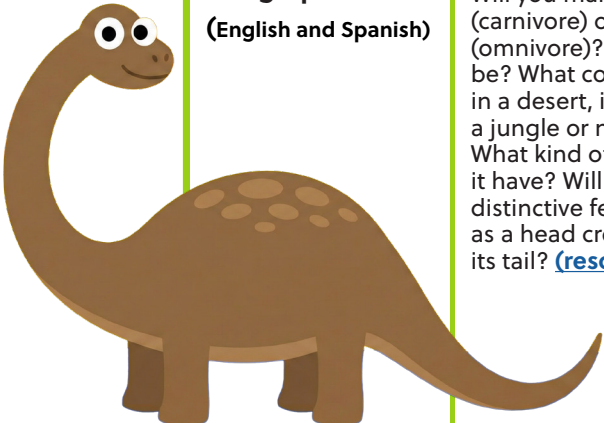





# Summer Reading Calendar

Unearth a story, create a learning adventure



Week	Theme	Read Aloud Book	Hands-on Activity	Play Together	Digital Media
1	Dinosaurs: What is a dinosaur? 	<i>Dinosaurs</i> by National Geographic Kids (English and Spanish)	<b>Create your own dinosaur.</b> Will you make a meat-eater (carnivore) or a plant-eater (omnivore)? How big will it be? What color? Will it live in a desert, in the arctic, in a jungle or near an ocean? What kind of teeth will it have? Will it have any distinctive features — such as a head crest or spikes on its tail? ( <a href="#">resource</a> )	<a href="#">Dinosaur fact cards</a> (English and Spanish)  <a href="#">Move Like a Dinosaur</a> (English and Spanish)	<a href="#">Dinosaurs A to Z!   Dinosaur Train</a>  <a href="#">Morrill Hall Virtual Tour</a>  <a href="#">Expedition Nebraska</a>
2	Fossils and paleontologists	<i>Dinosaur Bones</i> by Bob Barner	<b>Press leaves, shells, or even your handprint into air dry clay to make your own fossils.</b> Pretend you are a paleontologist and just discovered this dinosaur! Introduce your amazing discovery during an imaginary news interview. Film your interview or perform it live.	<a href="#">Fossil Finder Game</a>  <a href="#">Nature Cat   Hal's Big Dig</a>	<a href="#">Paleontology   Let's Go Luna</a>  <a href="#">Ashfall Fossil Beds   Virtual Tour</a>  <a href="#">Paleo Sleuths</a>
3	Volcanoes	<i>Volcanoes (Smithsonian Little Explorer)</i> by Martha E. H. Rustad	<a href="#">Build Your Own Volcanoes</a>	<a href="#">Ruff Ruffman's Ring of Fire Travel Guide</a>  <a href="#">Molly's Epic Mystery</a>	<a href="#">Dino Train</a>  <a href="#">Lava Flow</a>
4	Habitats 	<i>Dinosaurs A to Z: For Kids Who Really Love Dinosaurs</i> by Roger Priddy	<b>Create a dinosaur diorama in a shoe box or other small box.</b> Create a background with paper. Add elements such as paper trees, rocks, plants and dinosaurs to build a prehistoric landscape.	<a href="#">Cyber Chase   Habitat Mapping Game</a> (English and Spanish)	<a href="#">Habitats   Dinosaur Train</a>  <a href="#">Habitat Basics   Science Trek</a>



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