

### Super starter

The class will watch a news bulletin about a dinosaur that has broken into their school. They will think about the type of dinosaur they can see and where it has come from.

The class will become paleontologists and go back in time to look at different types of fossils and landscapes.

### Mega middle

Children will listen to the story of the dinosaur department store.

Children will learn about the different types of dinosaurs and their characteristics, including their diet.

They will receive several postcards from different dinosaurs around the world.

### Fabulous finish

We will consolidate our learning by going on a school trip to the National Show Caves of Wales to visit the dinosaur park.

Children will design and write their own postcards about the experience.

### Enquiry Questions

What types of dinosaurs existed?

Why did the majority of dinosaurs become extinct?

How can we stay fit and healthy?

### Local to Global

Children will learn about the different types of fossils found along the Swansea coast.

Children will look at the changes in their coastal landscapes.

A visit to the National Show Caves of Wales located in Swansea.

### Outdoor Learning

Daily outdoor activity

Weekly outdoor learning

Well-being and Mindfulness – appreciating the outdoors.

Weekly outdoor PE sessions

### Enrichment opportunities

The children will be visiting the National Show Caves of Wales to learn about the different types of dinosaurs that lived across the world.

### Pupil Voice

EPIC questions from all pupils

KWL grids (As a class) – revisited throughout the term

Mission Stations – self-directed learning

# A long, long time ago...

## Language, Literacy & Communication

The Dinosaur Department Store  
Sequencing the story  
Re-tell stories, respond and express opinions  
Hot seating  
Writing a postcard about their trip to the Welsh National Caves of Wales  
Join in with, repeat or memorise familiar songs, rhymes, stories and poems  
Handwriting  
Picture books sent home  
Daily phonics practise  
Individual reading  
Group reading including Welsh

## Mathematics & Numeracy

Number bonds within 5 and 10  
Counting in sets of 1s, 2s, 10s forwards and backwards  
Estimates and comparisons with measures  
Recognise and name coins up to £2 and begin adding small amounts of money to make totals to pay for items  
Patterns and sequences  
Simple tally marks to record data  
Explore shapes  
Making and analysing simple pictograms

## Science & Technology

The human body – eating healthy  
Diets – Herbivores, Carnivores, Omnivores etc.  
Volcano – Chemical reactions, science investigation  
Coding using the Bee-Bots  
Sequencing  
DCF

## Expressive Arts

Fossil printing  
Instruments  
Singing rhymes and songs  
Creative mission area to be used weekly  
Drama – Walk like a dinosaur

## Humanities

Coastal features  
Volcanoes  
Animals past and present – Dinosaurs  
Animal adaptation  
Healthy eating – carnivores etc  
Human / animal anatomy  
World past and present  
Chinese New Year

## Health & Wellbeing

PE - Dinosaur dance  
Daily Move your Body sessions  
Daily Mindfulness sessions  
Daily Assemblies  
SEAL  
Good to be me  
Circle of life