

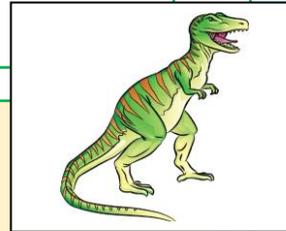
Reception Monday 1<sup>st</sup> October to 19<sup>th</sup> October 2018  
*Home Learning for 'Dinosaur Stomp'*

**In Maths:** We will practise counting forwards and back to 10 using various objects and our fingers. We will learn about shapes and that 3D shapes are different. We will also learn the names of some 3D shapes.

**In UW:** Children will use their historical enquiry skills to think about what they have found out about older generations and compare this against their own experiences, interests and daily activities.

**In CLL/ Literacy:** We will write a letter to the Natural History Museum, making a prediction about what dinosaur the missing bone might belong to.

After finding some strange, enormous footprints around the school, the children decided to follow them... they led to a dinosaur egg! The children will become scientists and archaeologists. They will find out about many different types of dinosaurs- what they ate, what their names were and how to identify them. When the children receive a letter from the Natural History Museum explaining that a dinosaur bone has gone missing, they must use their investigating skills to figure out which dinosaur the bone belongs to. Finally, they will use their measuring skills to draw this mystery dinosaur on the playground.



Learning Value: **Creativity**

- Use their imagination and through play, explore a range of ideas.
- Come up with their own ideas.
- Use different tools and materials appropriately so they can try out their ideas.

**Project Vocabulary**

*Please ensure your child learns what these words mean and encourage them to use them.*

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| dinosaur    | diplodocus    |
| carnivore   | pterosaur     |
| omnivore    | triceratops   |
| herbivore   | brachiosaurus |
| T-Rex       | archaeologist |
| stegosaurus | bones         |

**Key information:**

Home Learning is undertaken week by week and the dates are written on the children's home learning leaflet.

We will be going on a dinosaur hunt in school and we will need the children to bring in wellies as it may get messy! Please bring these on 10<sup>th</sup> October 2017.

Please see the attached Home Learning that has been written and explained to your child. We really value the support you show to your child with their home learning but please allow them to be as independent as possible.