



WHO IS READY TO BECOME A PALEONTOLOGIST?

Link to our exhibit: "Allosaurus"

MACROPALEONTOLOGY AND DINOSAURS

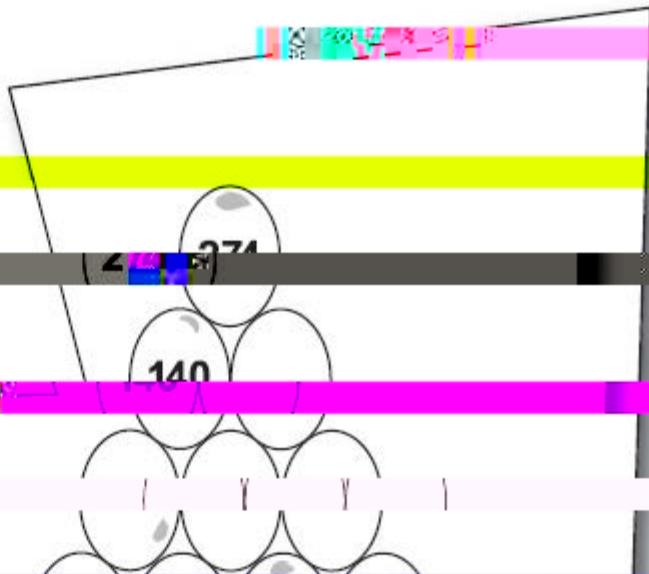
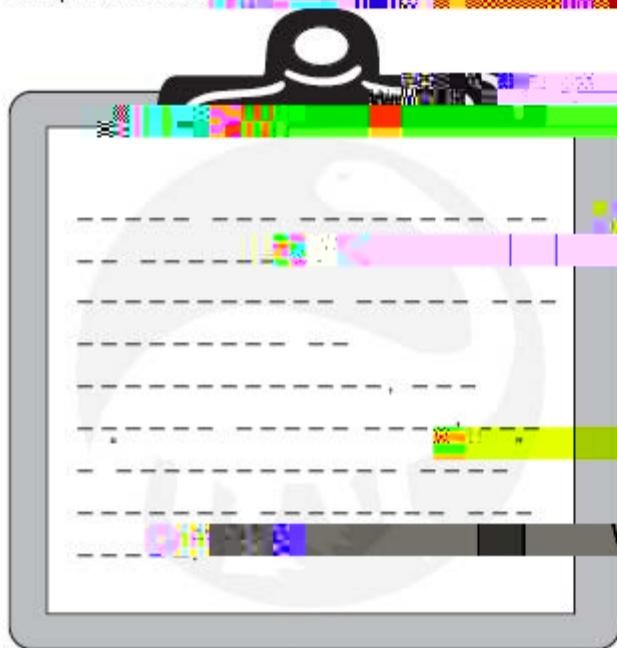
GAME 1: Do you know which animal is the ancestor of dinosaurs?
Take the letters that corresponds to the animal's name.

QUESTIONS	TRUE	FALSE
1 Dinosaur means terrible lizard.	DIE	LEB
2 Velociraptor was a dinosaur that could fly.	LEB	LEB
3 Dinosaurs appeared approximately 225 million years ago.	NEB	LIL
4 Allosaurus was the biggest meat-eater of the Jurassic period.	LEB	IBB
5 Dinosaurs had two or four legs.	APB	EVEVE
6 All dinosaurs were bipedal, which means they walked on two legs.	FOU	DUOTO
7 The word "saurishing" means having a lizard-type hip structure.	DEB	NEB
8 All dinosaurs were meat eaters, or carnivorous.	LES	INO
9 Dinosaurs lived during the Mesozoic era.	SAI	DUO
10 Dinosaurs belong to the group of reptiles.	ROB	LEB
11 Tyrannosaurus rex was one of the most dangerous predators.	ESC	VDS
12 All dinosaurs were plant eaters.	WHEB	ENB
13 Dinosaurs were found on every continent on Earth, even on Antarctica.	NTSS	RYE
14 All the dinosaurs were bigger than a chicken.	CEB	NEB
15 Pangaea was the name of a super-continent that included all the continents.	OWU	LEB
16 The Earth's climate was much colder when the dinosaurs lived.	OVER	LOU
17 Some dinosaurs were as small as a chicken.	TOFA	WEMN
18 The climate was different in the Mesozoic, there was no ice at the poles.	ROFA	ODER
19 There are more than 3500 different kinds of dinosaurs known.	EOPI	WE
20 The oldest known bird is Archeopteryx.	TREO	FOUR
21 We know dinosaurs because they were found in fossils.	DIRE	LDES
22 Paleontologists are scientists who study fossils.	TKNO	NOTW
23 Theropods were bipedal herbivorous dinosaurs.	RDAN	DWEE
24 Some scientists think that some dinosaurs might have been warm-blooded like birds.	ANSI	ASWE
25 Theropods were dinosaurs that could fly.	OTWE	LEB
26 The dinosaurs' extinction was caused by the impact of a huge meteorite on Earth.	RMB	LEB
27 Cavemen were very afraid of the dinosaurs.	VOUR	LEB
28 Brachiosaurus did not have sharp teeth because they were plant eaters.	NREP	DOIW
29 Pterosaurs were dinosaurs that could fly.	TILCC	TILES
30 The super-continent Pangaea can split into 2 continents in the middle of the Mesozoic.	ANB	LEB
31 Most dinosaurs hatched from eggs.	FORE	IRDS
32 Plesiosaurs were dinosaurs that could swim.		
33 Brachiosaurus was one of the tallest dinosaurs (85 feet long and 40 feet tall).		
34 Most fossils are found in volcanic rocks.		
35 Velociraptor was one of the smartest dinosaurs.		
36 Triceratops is characterized by its 4 horns.		





Write the letters from the correct answers in this note pad to find out the



GAME 2: DO YOU KNOW HOW MANY MILLIONS YEARS AGO THE DINOSAURS BECAME EXTINCT?

To find out, do our math game with the number indicated on the eggs on the nest equal the sum of the number written on the two eggs below. Following the same logic, you will find out how many millions years ago the dinosaurs became extinct. Start at the top and work your way down to the bottom.

