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| **Key Vocabulary** | | **Core Knowledge** | **Book Links** |
| Fossil | remains of a living thing or plant embedded in rock | * To know that fossils are impressions in rocks of plants and animals that lived a long time ago * To know and identify the names of some large dinosaurs * To know and identify the names of some small dinosaurs * To know that some animals no longer exist * To know that species that no longer exist are classed as being extinct | Dinosaur Roar - Paul Strickland  Ice Age Animals: Dodos - Melissa Higgins  Cave Baby by Julia Donaldson  Tyrannosaurus Drip by Julia Donaldson |
| Palaeontologist | a person who studies animal and plant fossils |
| Dinosaur | a group of extinct animals (Dinosaur means ‘terrible lizard’ in Greek) |
| Extinct | something that no longer exists |
| Prehistoric | belonging to a time before writing history |
| Skeleton | the inner framework of bones in some animals |
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