

Hand print Dinosaurs

You can use any colour or even make multi-coloured Dinosaurs by just painting your child's hand and pressing it onto paper. Using a paintbrush, add on a tail and then your child can draw on eyes, nose and mouth once it has dried.



Playdough Dinosaurs

Use playdough to create Dinosaurs, use pasta to decorate your Dinosaur and make it look really interesting. What other curious objects can you find?



Easy Playdough recipe

You need:

2 cups plain flour
2 tablespoons vegetable oil
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of salt
2 tablespoons of cream of tartar
1 to 1.5 cups of boiling water
A few drops of food colouring

Method:

*Mix the flour, salt, cream of tartar and oil in a large mixing bowl
*Add food colouring to the boiling water then into the dry ingredients
*Stir continuously until it becomes a sticky, combined dough
*Allow it to cool down then take it out of the bowl and knead it vigorously for a couple of minutes until all of the stickiness has gone. (This is the most important part of the process, so keep at it until it's the perfect consistency!)
*If it remains a little sticky, then add a touch more flour until just right

Our Babies home learning topic this week is all about:

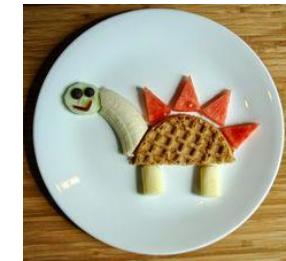
Dinosaurs



Here are some suggested activities for you to carry out at home. Feel free to add or make changes to suit your child's needs. We would love to find out how you get on, please email photos to oakengates.admin@taw.org.uk

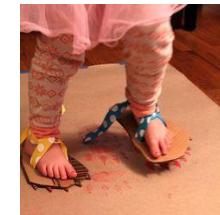
Snack time Herbivores

Use a selection of healthy fruits and snacks to create a tasty Dinosaur.



Dinosaur Footprints

Using card, make a dinosaur footprint that you can tie over your child's feet. Then pressing them in paint to stomp over card or paper and make amazing Dinosaur tracks



Salt Dough Fossils

Ingredients

4 Cups of flour

1 Cup of Salt

1-2 Cups of Water

Instructions

Measure dry ingredients in a large bowl.

Gradually add water to dry mixture.

Mix with hands (it's just more fun that way) and it assures the perfect consistency. When it feels slightly moist (not dry) and not too sticky you're good to go.

Once you have made your dough, press in natural objects from the garden to leave an impression, once dry you can decorate or simply enjoy feeling the marks in the dough.



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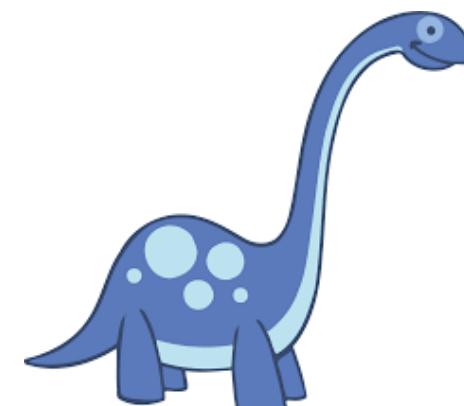
"The Ants go Marching"

The dinosaurs go marching one by one,
hurrah, hooray

The dinosaurs go marching one by one,
hurrah, hooray

The dinosaurs go marching one by one,
the little one stopped to stand in the
sun,

And they all go marching round and
round and up and down.



Please remember to send us photos of your child's learning to our email: Oakengates.admin@taw.org.uk