

Expressive Art and Design

- Make some playdough and use it to make playdough dinosaurs. Add some dried pasta for spikes and googly eyes if you have them. Recipe here.

[Playdough Recipe](#)

- Can you make a dinosaur land? What will you use? Maybe you could add a volcano and make it erupt using coloured vinegar and a pinch of bicarbonate of soda. Instructions here.

[Homemade Volcano](#)



Book Recommendation

Tyrannosaurus Drip by Julia Donaldson

[Tyrannosaurus Drip](#)

Dinosaurs

Understanding the World

- Find out about your favourite dinosaur. Where can you find out about your dinosaur? Books or the internet! How big was it? What did it eat? What colour was it. Draw a picture.
- If you have dinosaurs at home, you could freeze them in water. Talk about the changes. How can you rescue them? What could you use? How quickly does the ice melt?
- Make a dinosaur land volcano. Instructions here.

[Bottle Volcano](#)

Phonics

- Watch Twinkl live lessons: letter 'a'
[Letter /a/ lesson](#)
- Play 'Pick a Picture' on Phonics Play. Please sound out the words for your child.
[Pick a Picture](#)
- Listen carefully to the animal sounds by playing 'Welcome to the Zoo' on Phonics Play.

[Welcome to the Zoo](#)

Maths

- Cut out dinosaur footprints from card or paper. You could ask your child to decorate them before you use them.
- Ask your child to place a footprint in different positions around your home e.g. in, on, inside, under, next to etc.
- Go on a hunt around your home looking for the dinosaur footprints. Can your child tell you where they are hiding using positional language. 'The footprint is ...'

Literacy

- Design your own dinosaur and help your child to use descriptive language to describe it e.g. scary, spiky, big, enormous, spotty, stripy etc. Have a go at copying or tracing the words you think of.
- Make a dinosaur swamp. You could use green paint, flour, glitter, grass on a baking tray and use it to practise writing your name and letters you are learning.