



INSTRUCTIONS

GUIDANCE POINTS FOR THE FOSSIL KITS

There are 2 designs for each size of fossil - small, medium and large (see below). Once fossils have been taken out of the packaging you can identify them with a code which is underneath each fossil. The codes are as follows:-

Small Fossil

- C1. Trilobite
- C2. Prehistoric Shark Tooth

Medium Fossil

- B1. Ammonite
- B2. Raptor Claw

Large Fossil

- A1. Allosaurus Skull
- A2. Triceratops Skull

HOW ACTIVITY WORKS

1. The parent /child choose the size of fossil to excavate, small, medium or large.
2. Place fossil onto the tray to hold it in place.
3. Child then using scratch tool can scratch at the crust bit by bit. (Do not do a stabbing action with the scratch tool as this will break off large chunks too quickly). Child simply scratches gently forwards and backwards to remove crust and can brush off any excess debris.
4. Once child has removed all the crust his fossil will be revealed to take home.
5. After child has finished activity all excess crust/debris from tray can be tipped into a container/bucket, ready for the next child to have a go.