

Parent Guide: Dinosaurs - Fossils

Jello Fossil Dig, Sand Dough Fossils, Fossil Freeze And Trace

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Jello Fossil Dig

This one's a plan-ahead activity to allow the jello to set-up... but let your kiddo help you make the jello and it becomes two activities in one, plus it teaches liquids and solids!

Supplies Needed:

- 2 boxes of jello (flavors of your choice)
- plastic dinosaurs (washed well with soap and water)
- shallow pan

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Sand Dough Fossils

Simple ingredients, fun outcome. Teach about imprints and fossils through this sensory activity. Create an artistic touch by making patterns!

Supplies Needed:

- 2 cups flour
- 2 cups sand
- 3/4 cup water
- 1 tablespoon glue
- 1 tablespoon paint (optional)

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Fossil Freeze And Trace

Have your kiddos lay down outside on the sidewalk or driveway. Have them wiggle around in crazy ways until you say "freeze". Once they're frozen trace around them with chalk. Have them draw "bones" inside the outline for some interesting fossil-like illustrations!