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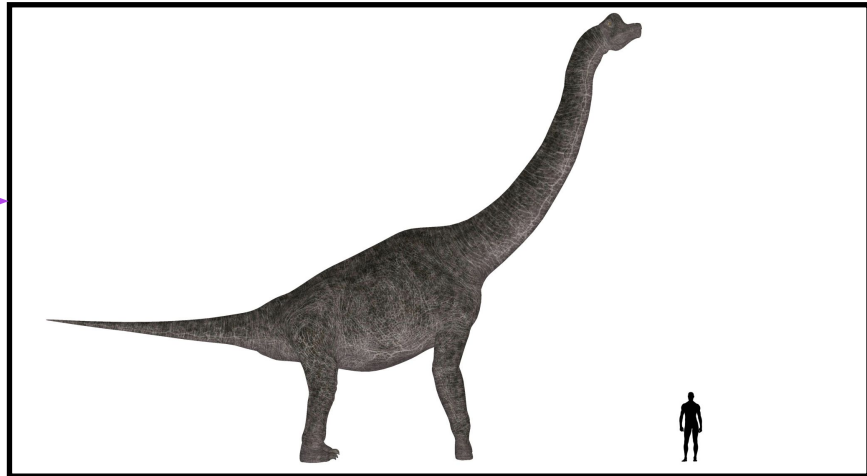
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Dino-who?

Dinosaurs were the main animals on Earth for more than 150 million years. They were lizard-like reptiles. Some of them were the largest and scariest creatures that ever walked on land. The word dinosaur comes from the Greek words meaning "terrible lizard."

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Comparison of size of an average human and Brachiosaurus

Having existed for 165 million years, why did dinosaurs die out?

Fun Fact

The longest dinosaur name is Micropachycephalosaurus.

Scientists have come up with many possible reasons. Most scientists believe that a massive space rock hit the earth at Chicxulub on the Yucatan Peninsula in Mexico about 65 million years ago.



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If dinosaurs died out long before humans existed, how do we know about them?

Fossils are dinosaur remains that help us understand what these amazing creatures were like back in the time when they roamed the planet. Information can be gathered from sources such as old bones, footprints, stomach stones, and eggs.

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Dinosaur bones found in Argentina

Where have the most dinosaur fossils been found?

Dinosaur fossils have been found on every continent of Earth, including Antarctica, but most of the dinosaur fossils and the greatest variety have been found high in the deserts and badlands of North America, China, and Argentina.

So, are the dinosaurs gone forever?

Although dinosaurs are extinct, there are still animals around today that come from the dinosaur family. These are lizards, turtles, snakes, and crocodiles