

# Dinosaurs of Alaska



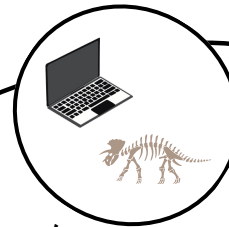
## Event Guide



Gathering Time



Movement & Music



Watch & Play



Explore the Room

## Let's Read



**Thunderfeet**  
by Shelley Gill  
(TSG- 18a)

*\*Do not read the entire book, rather highlight pages of interest*

### Early Literacy Skill

**Clapping Words in a Sentence**  
(TSG- 15)



I can stomp.



I can chomp.

I hear them roar.

We can run.

I see the dinosaurs.

Let's Move!

### Create Patterns of Movement

*Stomp, Roar, Stomp, Roar*

*Flap, Chomp, Flap, Chomp*

*Jump, Crouch, Jump, Crouch*

What else can dinosaurs do?

Let's Sing!

**Choose Your Favorite**  
*\*Click an image for the link\**



**Video 1:** Mother Goose Club



**Video 2:** Kiboombers



**Video 3**  
Super Simple Songs  
10 Little Dinosaurs

### Transition

Ask children to stomp like a dinosaur to table activities.

# Explore the Room

Create each station for families to engage in a variety of activities together!

Copy this page and cut to separate each section to place instructions at each station.

## Extra Activities

- Dino Yoga- Free Printables
- Create both stations

### Station #1: Play Dough & Dinosaurs (TSG- 7)

#### Option 1- Build Dinosaurs

- Use the variety of play doughs, geometry shapes, and google eyes to build dinosaurs and use the geometric shapes, like triangles or rhombi, for the spikes or scales.

#### Option 2- Create “Fossils”

- Create “fossils” by pressing objects into the dough and discuss the markings left when items are removed.

Materials: Play dough, geometry shapes, google eyes, dinosaur figurines or skeletons, shells



### Station #2: Dinosaur Art (TSG- 7, 8b)

#### Option 1- Handprint Dinosaurs

- Use the paints, brushes, and paper to create a hand-print dino. Help your child paint one hand to press onto the paper. Wash hand and then decorate to create a unique handprint dinosaur in its habitat.

#### Option 2- Paper Dinosaurs

- Utilize a variety of colorful pieces of paper and rip into strips and glue onto paper to create a background. Then, select a silhouette dinosaur to complete your piece. Add elements from the dinosaur's habitat as well!

Materials: Paper, paint, brushes, dinosaur templates-black, construction paper, glue



### Station #3: Culture Clip & Play (TSG- 11a, 11d, )

- Explore the sensory play station and pretend to be paleontologists and you dig up the skeletons. Compare the dinosaurs and discuss their different features. Which ones would have been larger or smaller?

Use the QR code:

- Option 1- Set up the ipad near the sensory bin station.
- Option 2- Families can scan the QR code and watch from their device.

Materials: Fossil collection kit, Sand table, brushes



*Dinosaur's in Denali  
CHILD Culture Clip*



*\*Make a copy for families to take home.*

## Watch Clips & Play

Scan the QR code.  
Enjoy the clips again!



*The Denali Pterosaur  
Molly of Denali*



## Dinosaur Silhouettes

