

Eyewitness Dinosaur Video Quiz

Name _____

Use your notes from the video to help you choose the correct answer for each question.

- _____ 1. Scientists who study fossils to learn about the history of the Earth are called:
a. fossilists. b. paleontologists. c. biologists.
- _____ 2. A T-Rex is believed to eat its own weight in meat each week. This would amount to a total of 12 cows, or: a. 7 tons. b. 10 tons. c. 12 tons.
- _____ 3. The first T-Rex find was credited to Barnum Brown, otherwise known as:
a. Mr. Bones. b. Dr. Rex. c. Mr. T.
- _____ 4. In 1820, Gideon Mantel reconstructed the skeleton of an Iguanodon. This skeleton made history because:
a. it was the first true dinosaur find.
b. it was the only complete skeleton ever found.
c. a group of people attended a dinner party inside the skeleton.
- _____ 5. During which era did dinosaurs roam the land?
a. Paleozoic b. Mesozoic c. Cenozoic
- _____ 6. It is believed that the T-Rex could kill its prey with one bite due to the high levels of bacteria in its mouth/saliva. The bacteria would cause infection that would kill the animal. Which animal has this same ability?
a. crocodiles b. pigeons c. Komodo dragons
- _____ 7. To protect bones during transport from the field to a museum, scientists use:
a. large Band-Aids. b. plaster jackets. c. lots of cotton balls.
- _____ 8. The dinosaur named for its spiked tail was the:
a. Brontosaurus. b. Deinonychus. c. Stegosaurus.
- _____ 9. T-Rex was a carnivore, which is another term for a:
a. meat eating dinosaur. b. plant eating dinosaur.
c. meat and plant eating dinosaur. d. dino who liked carnival rides.
- _____ 10. In 1981, a T-Rex skeleton was discovered in North America and named for the color of its fossilized bones. What was this discovery named?
a. Brown Barney b. Black Beauty c. Snow White
- _____ 11. The heavy weight champ of the dinosaur world was the brachiosaurus. Its weight was estimated to be equal to _____ Boeing 737 airplanes. a. 2 b. 4 c. 6
- _____ 12. John Horner found the a T-Rex skeleton (90% complete) that showed the correct skeletal features of its forelimb. This find showed that tyrannosaurus rex had _____ "fingers" on its forelimb. a. 2 b. 3 c. 4

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