

Guided Reading

LEARNING LADDER AND SKILLS:

Responder Page 4

Step 3 I can recognise the difference between fiction and non-fiction

Step 2 I can answer straight forward, text retrieval questions from a non-fiction text

Language Lover Page 10

Step 3 I can discuss what new words mean, linking their meanings to words I already know

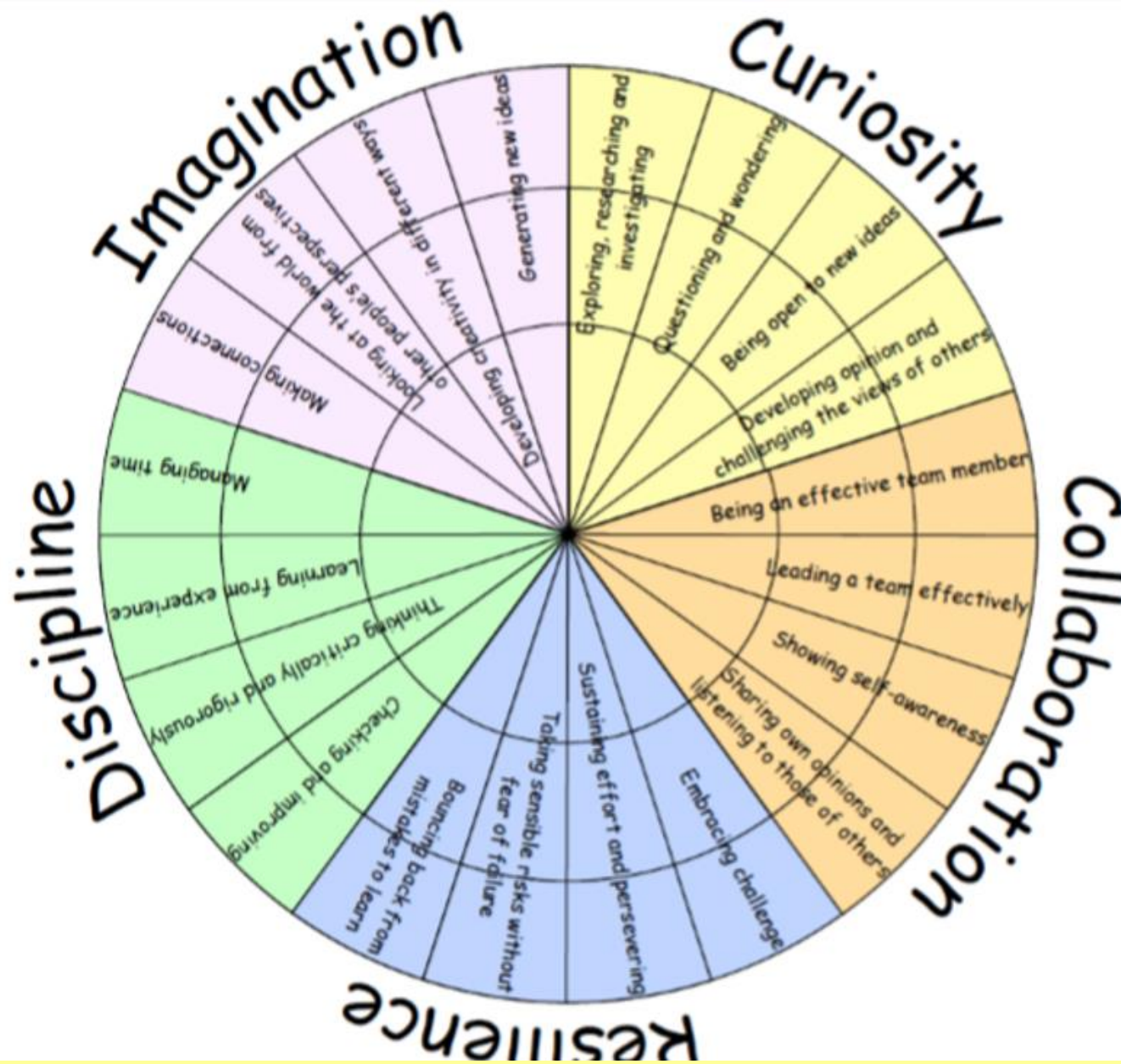
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Step 2 I can participate in discussions about what is read to me, taking turns and listening to what others say

SKILLS:

- Reading
- Thinking
- Collaborating





LEARNING HABITS:

Which learning habits do you think we will need to use today?



At the Museum

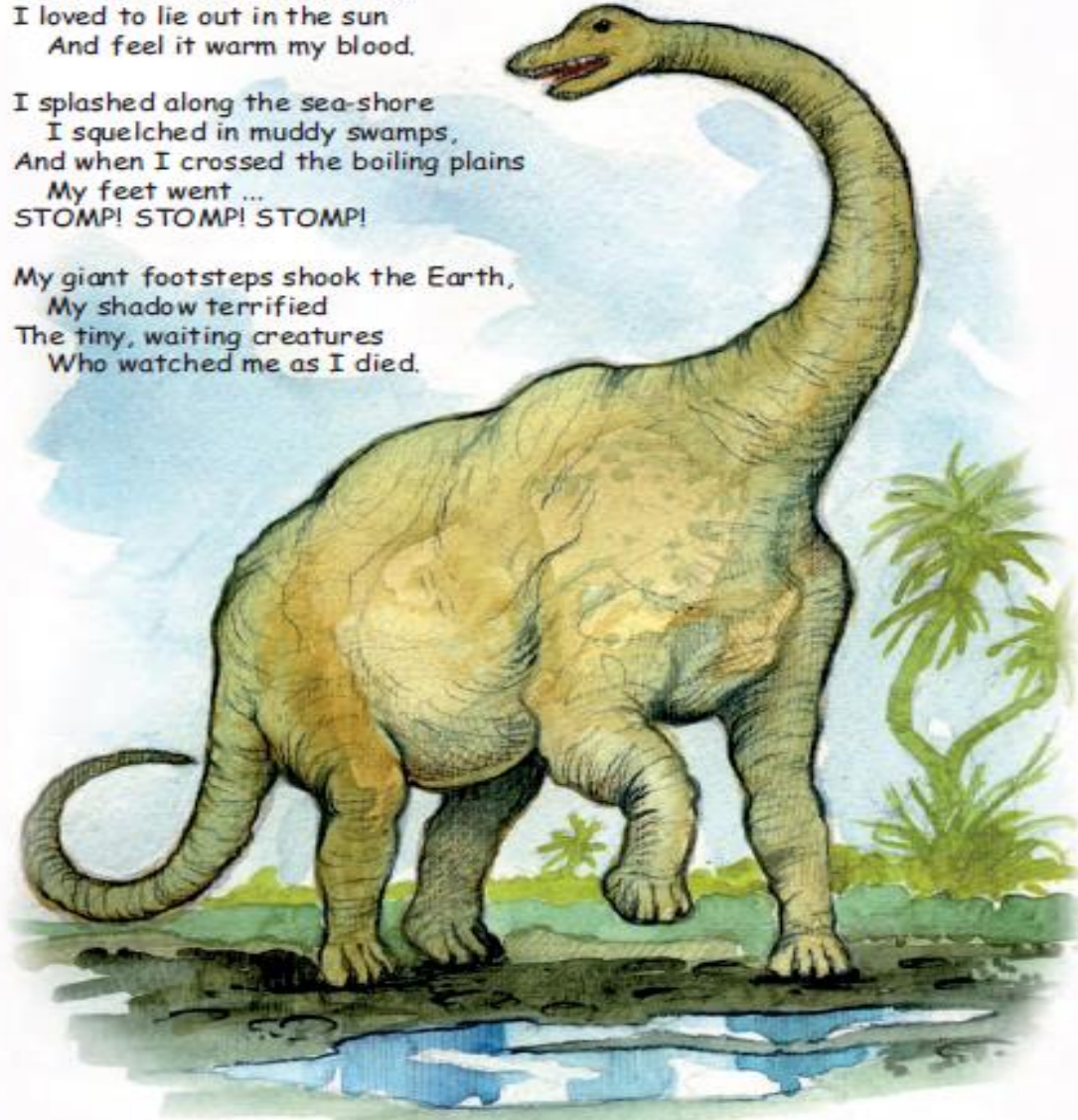
I was an ancient dinosaur
I lived so long ago;
I walked through steaming jungles
And my gait was very slow.

I ate the juicy fern plants
And I wallowed in the mud;
I loved to lie out in the sun
And feel it warm my blood.

I splashed along the sea-shore
I squelched in muddy swamps,
And when I crossed the boiling plains
My feet went ...
STOMP! STOMP! STOMP!

My giant footsteps shook the Earth,
My shadow terrified
The tiny, waiting creatures
Who watched me as I died.

gait means the way
something walks
remnant means something
that is left behind



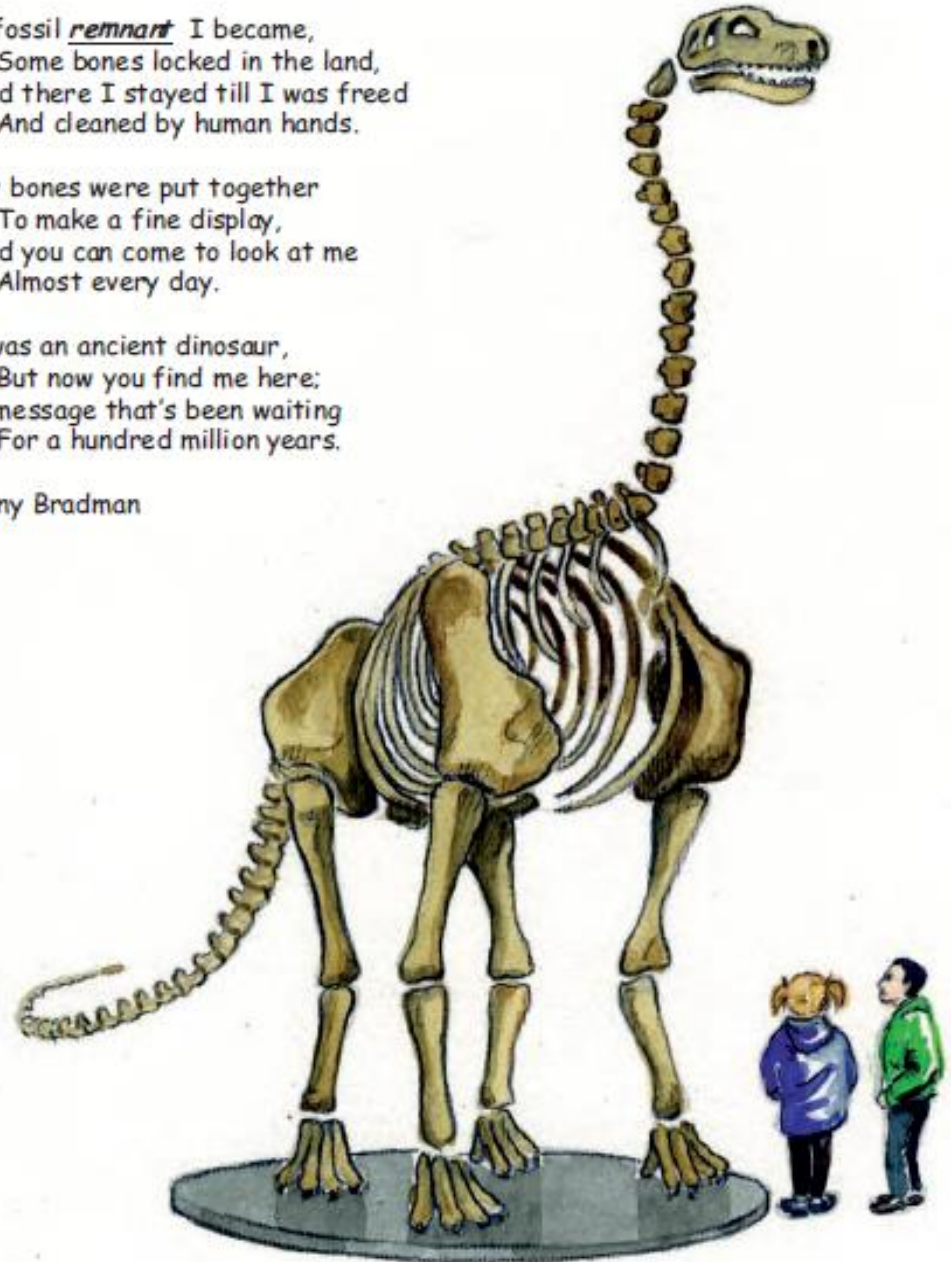
I was a meal for others
As the skin fell from my bones ...
A hundred million years went by.
My bones turned into stone.

A fossil remnant I became,
Some bones locked in the land,
And there I stayed till I was freed
And cleaned by human hands.

My bones were put together
To make a fine display,
And you can come to look at me
Almost every day.

I was an ancient dinosaur,
But now you find me here;
A message that's been waiting
For a hundred million years.

Tony Bradman



Questions:

1. What did the other creatures do after the dinosaur died?
2. What does the word 'gait' mean?
3. What does the word 'remnant' mean?
4. Why do you think the author used Capital Letters for the word STOMP?



Questions:

1. Look at verse 6.
Which word tells you the dinosaur had felt trapped?

☐

cleaned

☐

locked

☐

remnant

☐

human

2. Where is the dinosaur when it says *now you find me here*?

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3. There are two lines in each verse which rhyme with each other. Which two lines are they?

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lines 1 and 2

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lines 2 and 3

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lines 2 and 4

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lines 3 and 4

