

Pachycephalosaurus

(PACK-I-SEF-uh-luh-SAW-rus)

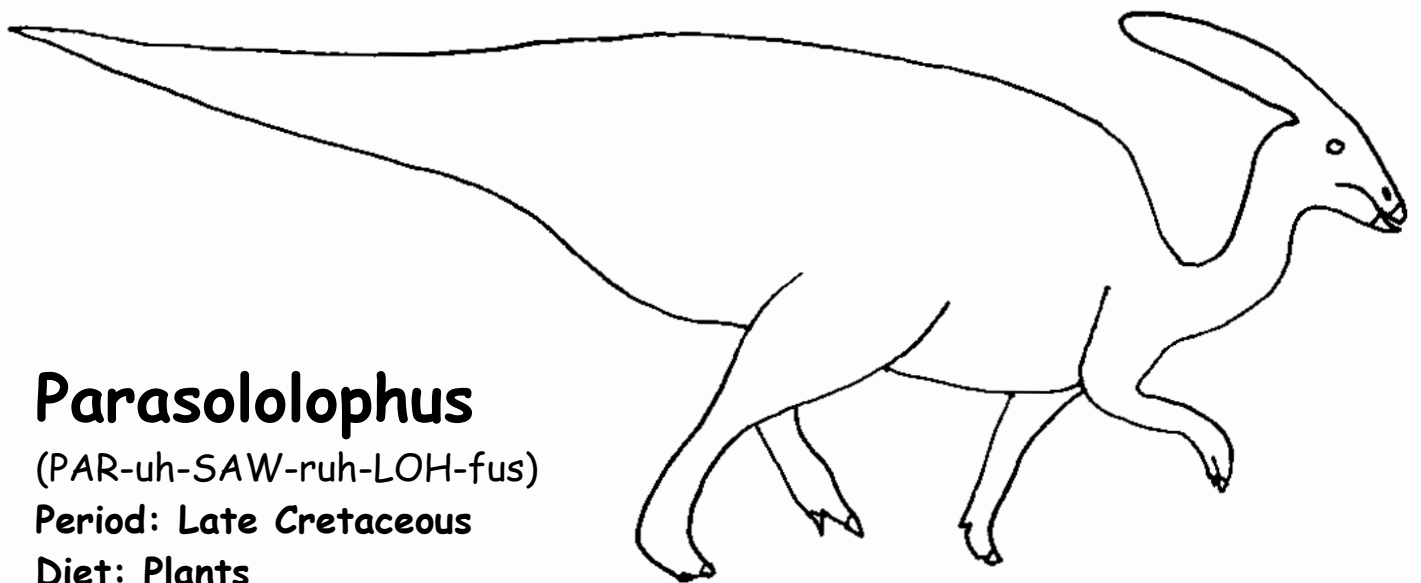
Period: Late Cretaceous

Diet: Plants

Pachycephalosaurus was the largest and most advanced of the bone headed dinosaurs. It had an extremely thickened skull roof with studded bumps and various-sized spikes.

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Parasololophus

(PAR-uh-SAW-ruh-LOH-fus)

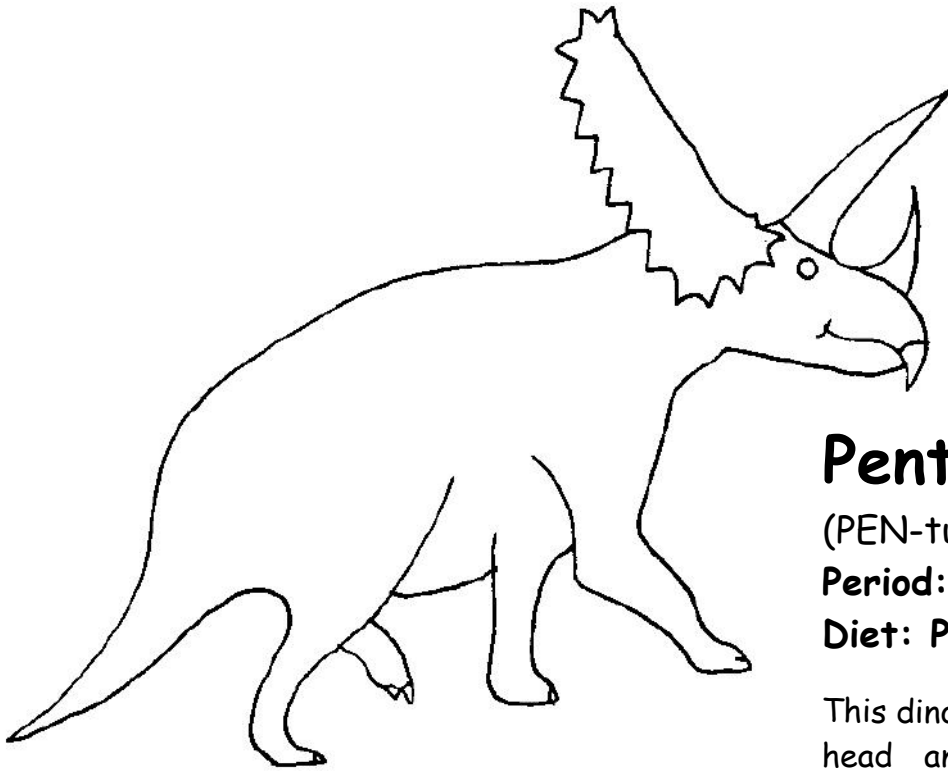
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Parasololophus was a unique dinosaur with large hollow skull crest that was longer than the skull itself. Scientists speculate this was used to create low frequency sounds that could travel long distances and be heard by other Parasololophuses. It may have also been used to aid in the sense of smell. This dinosaur had the ability to walk on two feet as well as four.

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Pentaceratops

(PEN-tuh-SER-uh-tops)

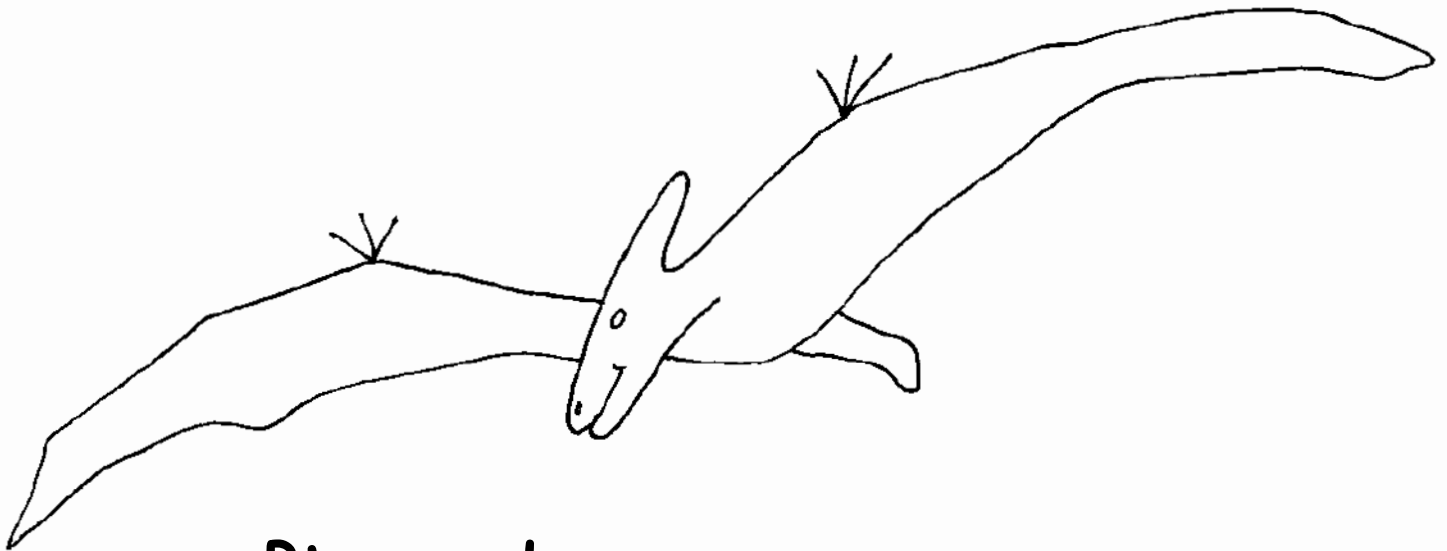
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Diet: Plants

This dinosaur had three horns above its head and giant protuberant cheek bones. It was a very large rhinoceros-like dinosaur.

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Pteranadon

(TER-an-uh-DON)

Period: Cretaceous

Diet: Meat, Fish

This enormous creature of the sky had a body only about the size of a turkey, but a wing-span sometimes reaching 25 feet.

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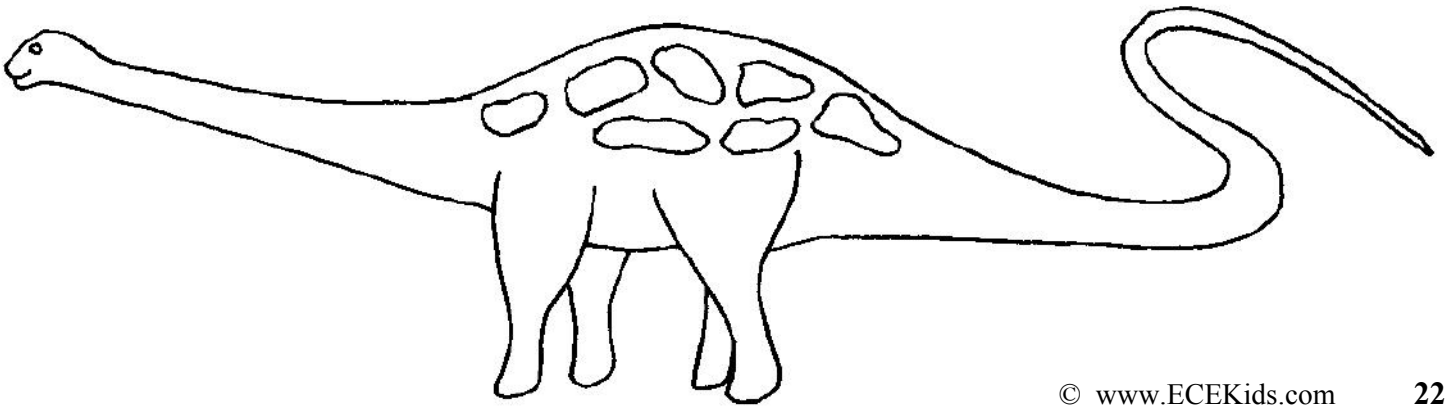
Quaesitosaurus

(kway-SEE-tuh-SAW-rus)

Period: Late Cretaceous

Diet: Plants

This was a large sauropod. Not very well known, it is distinguished from other sauropods by its skull, which had a very large "resonator" chamber that suggests it had sensitive hearing.



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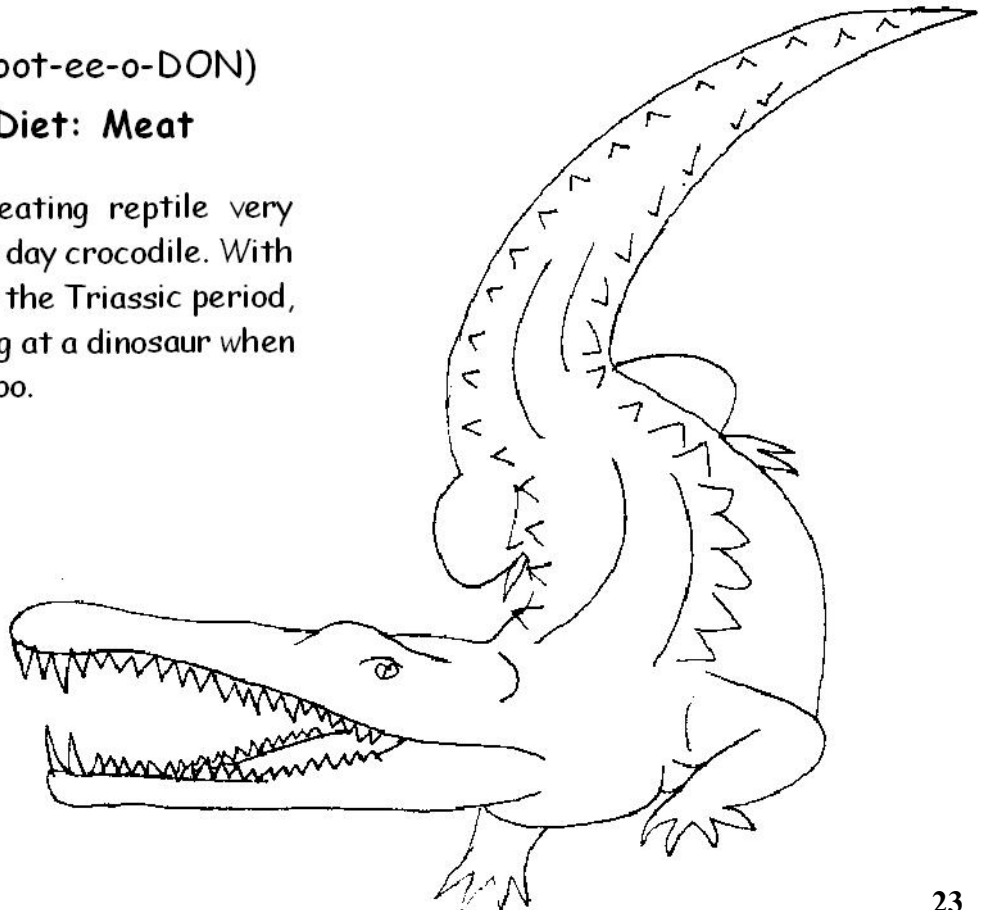
Rutiodon

(Root-ee-o-DON)

Period; Triassic

Diet: Meat

This river dwelling, meat eating reptile very much resembled the modern day crocodile. With this creature dating back to the Triassic period, you could very well be looking at a dinosaur when you see a crocodile at the zoo.



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