

What is a fossil?



Fossils are the remains of a living thing. This could be a plant or an animal.

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Has a dinosaur walked on Scarborough beach?



Answer:
Yes!
Many fossils have been found there.

Who was Mary Anning?

Answer: Mary Anning was a palaeontologist. She found fossils that helped us to learn about dinosaurs.

Key Vocabulary

fossil	The remains of plants and animals that lived long ago
fossil hunter	Someone who looks for fossils
skeleton	The bones of an animal or human
ichthyosaur	A large extinct marine reptile
extinct	No longer exists
prehistoric	A time millions of years ago
Jurassic Coast	An area of coast in southern England
Lyme Regis	A town in southern England where Mary Anning lived