

The Mini Page Quiz

Roaming North America - **Land of Dinosaurs**

For the week of 1/26/2015

CCSS: reading informational text

Before the Asteroid Hit

The Mini Page explores the final years of the non-avian dinosaurs in North America before a giant asteroid hit and wiped out all dinosaurs except the ancestors of birds. The Mini Page teamed up with the Smithsonian's National Museum of Natural History to learn from their new exhibit, "The Last American Dinosaurs."

1. Which best describes the rate of dinosaurs' decline 66 million years ago?

- A over millions of years
- B all at once
- C quickly
- D slowly

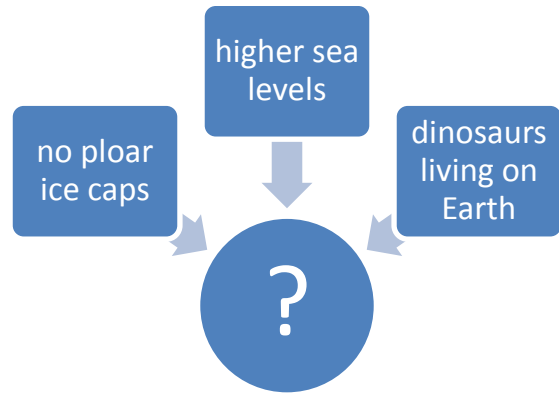
2. What is the source of the information about dinosaurs?

- A asteroids
- B fossils
- C jungles
- D volcanos

3. Read the caption about Edmontosaurus. What does being a 'herd animal' mean?

- A animals that live alone
- B animals that live in groups
- C animals that fly
- D animals that swim

4. Which best completes the graphic organizer?



- A why dinosaurs only ate plants
- B why dinosaurs lived near volcanoes
- C Earth's geography before dinosaurs
- D Earth's climate 66 million years ago

5. Which is most like the relationship below?

Triceratops : plant- eating dinosaurs

- A triceratops : skeleton
- B triceratops : fossil
- C T. rex : meat - eating dinosaurs
- D T. rex : crocodile's brain

Ans: 1c/2b/3b/4c/5c