



Descripto™ Dinos

14 Game Boards

The Game of Vocabulary Fun!

Materials included in this kit:

- 14 colorful jumbo DINOSAUR-sized game boards each containing 74 pictures for a total of 1036 words! (7 game boards printed front and back).
- 90 ROARingly bright Dino tokens in assorted colors.
- One die.
- An Instruction Book with an easy-to-use alphabetical index of the words on each game board, plus a master index of all 1036 words!

Game Boards Included:

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| 1. Tyrannosaurus | 8. Corythosaurus |
| 2. Brachiosaurus | 9. Plateosaurus |
| 3. Stegosaurus | 10. Parasaurolophus |
| 4. Hadrosaurid | 11. Edmontosaurus |
| 5. Triceratops | 12. Oviraptor |
| 6. Ankylosaurus | 13. Velociraptor |
| 7. Apatosaurus | 14. Compsognathus |



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The dinosaurs are back! They've been gone a long time and need your help to describe the world they see! With a game this fun, your good describing skills will never go extinct!
2-5 Players • Grades PreK-5

Object of the game:

For all players to use up all of their tokens.

Getting ready to play:

- Distribute 10 tokens to each player so that every player has his/her own color.
- Choose a game board and place it in the middle of the table.

How to play:

1. The first player places a token on a game board square and rolls the die.
2. The number on the die determines how many defining characteristics the player must say about the picture on the square. For example, if the player chooses the square with the apple and the die lands on the number three, a student would first say, "apple" and then provide three characteristics of an apple: "It is red, has a stem, and has a core."
3. Play then passes to the next player who picks from the remaining open spaces available on the game board.
4. Play continues until all players have used all their tokens.

Variations:

- The first player rolls the die and gets to place that number of tokens on whichever game space picture he/she chooses. After placing each token, the player must name the picture and describe it using defining characteristics. Vary the number of defining characteristics required to increase or decrease the level of difficulty. Play then passes to the next player.
- The therapist provides a category to the player. The player rolls the die to determine how many objects in that category the player is to find on the board. As the player identifies the items within that category, he/she places tokens on that game space. Tip: Have the student brainstorm a list of members of the category not visible on the board for extra practice.
- The therapist provides characteristics related to a target word. The first player to guess the correct answer places a token on that picture. Tip: Have the players take turns providing characteristics and guessing the correct answer.
- The first player identifies a category from one of the squares on the board (i.e. animals). The next player must find an object from the board that belongs in that category (i.e. puppy). If the player is able to identify a member of the category, he/she places a token on the corresponding board space and chooses another category for the next player. The game continues within the group so each player has a turn to select a category.
- Teach vocabulary and naming skills by having students just name the pictures on which they place their tokens.
- Have the players create a sentence or story using the chosen words.
- If space permits, let each student have their own game board and spread out on the floor.

Cueing Strategies: Below you will find strategies that may assist players in providing game answers:

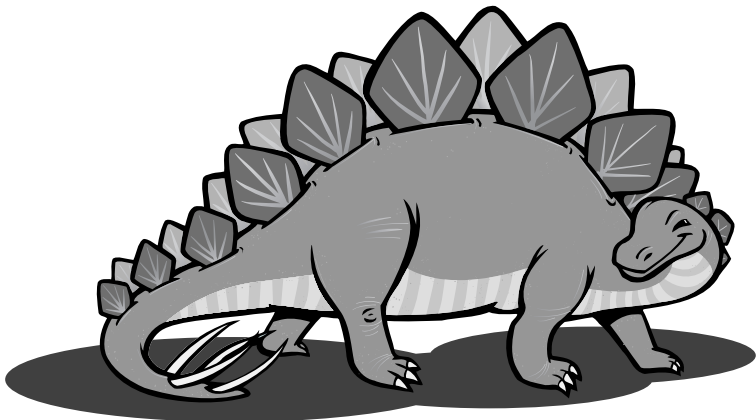
Function Cue: Ask the student to think about the function the object has. “What do we use it for? When do we use it (or see it)?”

Place Cue: Ask the student to think about where we might find the object. “Is it found inside or outside? Which room of the house might we find it?”

Appearance Cue: Ask the child to think about the most important characteristics of the physical appearance of the item pictured. “What does it look like? What shape is it? How heavy is it? How big is it? What color is it (if that is important to the object, i.e. banana)?”

Brainstorming: If the player is having difficulty thinking of characteristics, make suggestions and brainstorm with the player such as: “We could talk about what a car does, when we ride in a car, who drives a car, what you wear in the car to be safe, or name different parts of a car like the trunk or engine etc.” This strategy will help the player in future turns.

Silly Sentences: If the player is having difficulty identifying characteristics, play a silly game by saying, “Is an apple something you drive in?”





Tyrannosaurus • Game Board 1

baker	eggplant	hood	post office	stereo
basket	eyelid	ice skates	puppet	stream
bicycle	factory	keyboard	puppy	sunglasses
blocks	ferris wheel	kitten	razor	swimming pool
bone	filing cabinet	letter	recliner	swimsuit
bowl	fortune cookie	milk	satellite	tambourine
broccoli	frost	money	scarf	thumb
cash register	funnel	monster	screws	train
castle	gloves	museum	sea horse	triangle
cliff	gold	newspaper	seesaw	tricycle
clothespin	gorilla	pencil	shorts	vase
curtain	grapefruit	picture	skateboard	video
daisy	harp	pit	snow	visor
dishes	heart	placemat	spider	windmill
drinking fountain	helicopter	plum	starfish	



Brachiosaurus • Game Board 2

axe	crab	golf club	matches	sausage
beads	crutches	grandfather clock	mechanic	school house
bedspread	cupcake	curling iron	mouse	shoelace
buckle	deodorant	green beans	nail	skyscraper
bus driver	diamond	guitar	opossum	soup
button hole	dice	ham	orchard	spaghetti
calendar	dirt	harmonica	oven mitt	star
cantaloupe	doll house	hole	paint can	teacher
cap	ear	iguana	peanut	teddy bear
cart	exit	inner tube	peanut butter	tomato
cereal	fire hydrant	jelly	photograph	traffic light
cherry	foot	kite	poster	watch
chest (body)	fork	leash	radish	waves
clock	fudge	lunch box	rake	wheelbarrow
cookie sheet		mail carrier	salami	worm



Stegosaurus • Game Board 3

back	dental floss	make-up	rope	target
bathtub	dish towel	mat	rug	tea kettle
beehive	doll	nest	sandwich	teeter totter
boat	dolphin	nightgown	scale	television
bow tie	drum	notebook	shopping basket	tiger
bowling ball	dryer	orange	shower	toe
brownie	elbow	paddle	sidewalk	top hat
butcher	feathers	pancakes	snowmobile	turtle
cactus	fireworks	pilot	spider web	tweezers
cheek	flowerpot	pineapple	sponge	vine
chimpanzee	gas pump	pizza	stroller	wedding
cockroach	hot chocolate	police car	submarine	wind chimes
coconut	jeep	pumpkin	sugar	window shade
crocodile	judge	roller blades	sweater	witch
curlers	knee	rolls	tape	



Hadrosaurid • Game Board 4

artist
band-aid
baseball
basketball
bat
bell
birdhouse
blimp
boy
bread
bulldozer
bumper cars
cake
canoe
chalk

chalkboard
compact disc
cushion
dollar bill
eagle
 earmuffs
fan
farmer
fireplace
fog
football
fountain
french fries
garbage truck
grocery sack

groom
gym
headphones
helmet
jelly beans
jellyfish
kayak
lamp
lion
lizard
marbles
measuring cup
menorah
oatmeal
ostrich

otter
painter
pants
pear
peas
pie
plant
porch swing
pot holder
potato chips
puzzle
rhinoceros
rooster
saucer
scissors

smoke
snail
spoon
stool
tadpole
tortoise
tow truck
towel
trapeze
tray
water-skier
whale
wolf
zipper



Triceratops • Game Board 5

acrobat
answering
machine
anteater
aquarium
asparagus
bacon
beaver
bench
blouse
bow
bride
bulletin board
cage
camper

ceiling
cottage cheese
counter
cowboy hat
crane
cucumber
drinking straw
eraser
forest
freezer
frog
geese
glass
greeting card
hanger

headlights
house
island
jeans
laundry detergent
limousine
log
magazine
microwave
mittens
moth
mouthwash
napkin
necklace
night

nurse
owl
pager
paper clip
parrot
pipes
plunger
rain
ring
road sign
robot
sandpaper
saw
sculpture
sheet

ship
shoes
silverware
sky
snowplow
spatula
taco
tanker truck
teeth
toilet paper
waffles
waiter
waitress
wheel
zebra



Ankylosaurus • Game Board 6

airplane
airport
alarm clock
ant
astronaut
backpack
banana
bib
briefcase
broom
children
chocolate
chopsticks
coat
coat rack

comet
corn on the
cob
cotton ball
cream
dancer
deer
dinosaur
donkey
drill
earrings
electric razor
envelope
eyebrow
grapes

hair
hay
head
hula hoop
ironing board
ladder
ladybug
lake
lawn mower
mantel
meat
medicine
mole
monkey
moon

moose
nose
ocean
oil
park
pirate
puddle
railroad track
rattle
refrigerator
ribs
rocket
scar
sea gull
slippers

snow cone
stick
strawberry
sun
swamp
table
tail
tent
toilet
toothpaste
train engine
trash can
truck
truck driver
VCR



Apatosaurus • Game Board 7

band
beak
bookshelf
boots
bracelet
brick
brush
buffalo
bush
can
cane
cards
carrot
cauliflower
chicken

chipmunk
coloring book
cookie
cracker
crosswalk
crown
dessert
doctor
duck
face
fishing pole
fox
gasoline
goggles
horse

lamppost
leaf
lock
lungs
magic markers
magnet
mask
mixer
mushroom
net
nickel
pajamas
pelican
penguin
pigeon

pillow
pocketknife
potato
rabbit
raccoon
railroad engineer
rat
roller coaster
salad
salad dressing
salt
sewing machine
shampoo
shoulders
skirt

snowsuit
stable
steering wheel
string
swing set
thermometer
tree
tuba
tugboat
van
vest
wall
wind
wrapping paper



Corythosaurus • Game Board 8

almonds
arrow
ball
bandage
bank
barbecue grill
bathrobe
beach
bird feeder
biscuit
blender
bus
camel
candy
chef

chimney
cloud
computer disk
crow
cube
cup
dish rag
dress
dresser
easel
elephant
end table
field
fire
floor

flour
gas station
giraffe
grocery store
heel
hoe
ice cream
leg
lemon
light switch
lobster
needle
outlet
oval
paper towels

parakeet
picnic
pitcher
playpen
pork chops
present
pretzel
printer
rice
roof
shade
snake
spinach
sprinkler
square

steak
stove
sun hat
tank top
taxi
thread
tightrope
toll booth
trumpet
underwear
veterinarian
wheelchair
wrench
wrist



Plateosaurus • Game Board 9

baby
carriage
barrel
belt
blanket
bottle
butter
button
calculator
candle
cashier
ceiling fan
chin
coffee
coffee table

comic book
computer
crayons
crib
dog house
eye
faucet
ferry boat
fin
goat
guinea pig
hair bow
hair dryer
handkerchief
kangaroo

ketchup
knight
knot
lamp
lighthouse
lightning
lily pad
lips
lotion
milkshake
monkey bars
mouth
onion
pacifier
panda

parachute
party hat
path
pig
plow
purse
rattlesnake
road
rowboat
seeds
shin
shopping mall
sink
ski pole
slide

spade
tablecloth
tangerine
tea
tight
tights
tongue
tortilla chips
typewriter
umbrella
unicycle
volcano
washcloth
wasp
windshield wipers



Parasaurolophus • Game Board 10

angel	dime	iron	pickle	soap
arm	dishwasher	jacket	pine cone	socks
baby	dog dish	leopard	polar bear	soldier
bagel	drawing	man	quarter	sweatshirt
ballerina	dust pan	map	race car	T-shirt
barge	eyelashes	mirror	radio	thumbtack
bear	finger	mobile	rolling pin	toad
bunk beds	firefighter	motorcycle	ruler	toothbrush
cast	flying saucer	mountain	saddle	trailer
chicks	gate	mug	sandals	train set
circle	hamburger	night stand	seal	trunk (car)
costume	highway	octopus	shark	trunk (elephant)
cough syrup	hippopotamus	pencil sharpener	sheep	tunnel
desk	hips	penny	skis	xylophone
dictionary	hornet	pepper	sneakers	



Edmontosaurus • Game Board 11

air conditioner	diving board	hot dog	oven	stop sign
ambulance	door knob	hyena	peach	strawberry
bald	drain	jack-in-the-box	peeler	shortcake
barber	dump truck	jet	petal	streamers
bucket	engine	life jacket	pill	tarantula
buns	fire extinguisher	macaroni	pottery	tennis ball
butterfly	firefly	medicine cabinet	reindeer	thief
cabbage	fist	melon	safe	tiles
canister	flip flops	mixing bowls	safety helmet	timer
cheesecake	flute	mop	snowshoes	tongs
chocolate chips	ghost	mosquito	spice rack	tornado
coffee maker	hail	muscles	sprout	trombone
croissant	hill	night light	star (shape)	volleyball
cROUTONS	hockey stick	noise makers	stem	whistle
cutting board	hoof	note pad	stomach	White House



Oviraptor • Game Board 12

actress	cat	glasses (sight)	mustard	soda
antenna	celery	glue	overalls	sofa
apple	chair	goldfish	palm tree	stamp
apron	chairlift	grass	pen	suit
beetle	chest (treasure)	grasshopper	plate	tire
book	diaper	hamster	playground	tractor
box	fire engine	hat	porcupine	undershirt
brain	flag	hose	rainbow	wagon
branch	flashlight	hospital	river	watercolor
cabinet	flight attendant	juice	rock	paints
calf	fly	knuckles	rock climber	watering can
camera	frame	lasagna	rocker	window
canary	garage	lime	root	wing
carpet	garbage	long johns	scarecrow	yarn
cassette tape	garden	movie theater	shovel	zoo



Velociraptor • Game Board 13

ankle	eel	lamp shade	sandbox	telephone
barn	eggs	library	saxophone	tennis racket
birdbath	elevator	merry-go-round	shaving cream	thorn
bridge	fence	mitt	shower cap	throne
bubble gum	fingernail	oar	shrimp	tie
bubbles	fisherman	paintbrush	soccer ball	toast
can opener	flippers	paper	space shuttle	toolbox
car	gutter	piñata	stairs	toy box
caterpillar	hammock	pitchfork	steamroller	turkey
catfish	hand	popcorn	sticker	walrus
cello	hang glider	popsicle	sugar bowl	washing
closet	horn	rectangle	suitcase	machine
cow	ice	ribbon	swan	wood
cub	jet ski	rose	syrup	wreath
drawer	karate	sailboat	tee pee	yogurt



Compsognathus • Game Board 14

actor	cone	kazoo	perfume	stapler
alligator	cotton candy	key	piano	tape measure
apricot	dog	knife	pocket	tissues
bait	door	lettuce	police officer	toys
balloon	doughnut	light bulb	raincoat	tuxedo
battery	farm	llama	raspberry	vacuum cleaner
bird	fire station	mashed potatoes	rocking horse	violin
board	girl	mermaid	screwdriver	waist
cafe	globe	mud	seashell	waterfall
carpenter	hammer	muffin	shed	watermelon
carwash	hot air balloon	neck	shirt	whisk
Christmas tree	hotel	ottoman	singer	woman
clown	iceberg	pan	skunk	woodpecker
comb	jar	paw	soap dish	yo-yo
computer mouse	jump rope	peacock	squirrel	

