

These activities and ideas are based around the books "The Dinosaur that Pooped a Planet" and "The Dinosaur that Pooped the Past" By Tom Fletcher and Dougie Poynter.

All activities could be done without the book!





Off we Go!

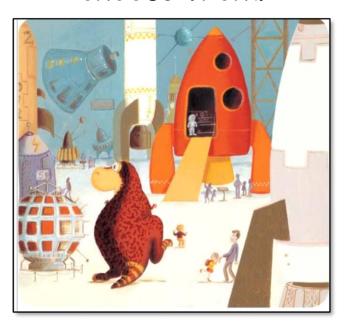
First things first we need a rocket to help Danny and Dinosaur get into space.

Design your own space rocket and get ready for count down!



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Gather things from around your house to make your own rocket. Tubes, cups, cereal boxes and think about the shapes you would want to create. (You could use any objects around your house like before.) Danny has a lot of different shaped rockets to choose from!



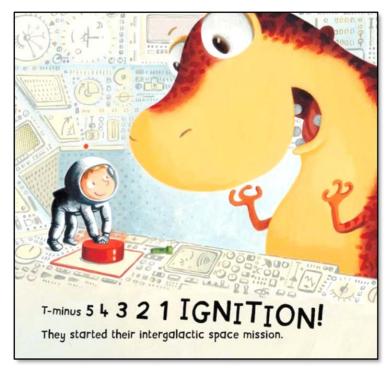


Create your own rocket command station!

Take a cardboard box or cereal box and design your buttons!

What shapes will your buttons be? Will you have a big red circle one like Danny?

Remember to count down from 20 to blast off!







Danny's Dinner

Danny forgets to take his
dinner for him and
Dinosaur!
Help Danny pack his
lunchbox with some healthy
choices so he doesn't go
hungry!



Lunchbox! Challenge

How many different combinations of healthy lunchboxes can you create for Danny?









Lunchbox! Challenge

What large amounts of food could you suggest to feed a Dinosaur?

Can you think of 20 things he could eat? (It doesn't matter how silly!)











Dino Stacking!

In "The Dinosaur that Pooped the past" A, B and C get themselves into all sorts of stacking patterns! Can you arrange your 3 dinosaurs in 5 different ways?







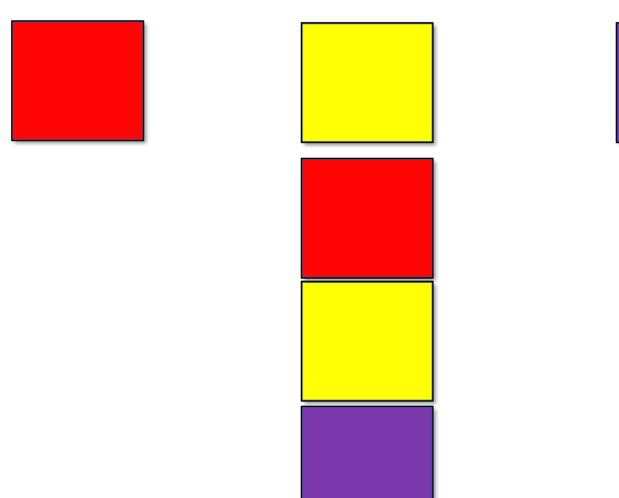








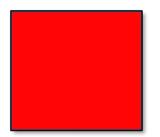
Can you make your shapes stack like the dinosaurs? Start with the first one. We have 3 colours.

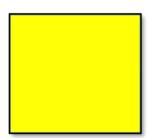


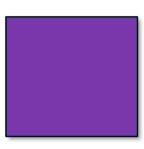


Use the ABC dinosaurs to help you.

Can you do another 4 different stacks?



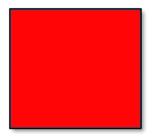


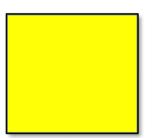


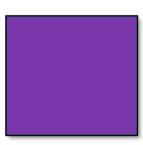


Use the ABC dinosaurs to help you.

Can you do another 3 different stacks?



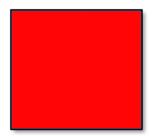


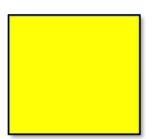


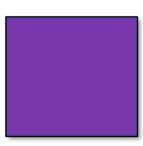


Use the ABC dinosaurs to help you.

Can you do another 2 different stacks?



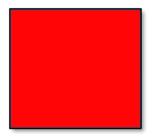


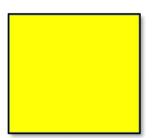


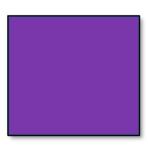


Use the ABC dinosaurs to help you.

Can you do one final different stack?











Create your own Dinosaur.

You will have developed a lot of pattern and shape skills by now. Create your own ABC Dinosaurs or just one big one to poop a planet!



Make your own A, B and C Dinosaurs.

All you need is your hands and some paint! Dip your full hand in the paint and make your dino shape. Can you label your dino with how many scales, eyes, spots they have? Can you give your dinosaur a name?







Pooping Planets

That Dinosaur just keeps on pooping! Keep an eye on him! Can you tell us how many that would be?



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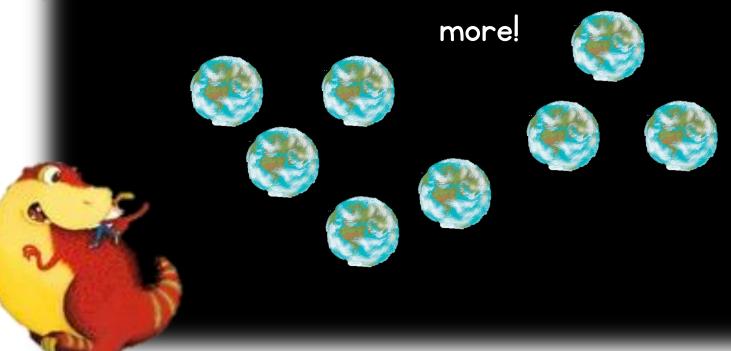






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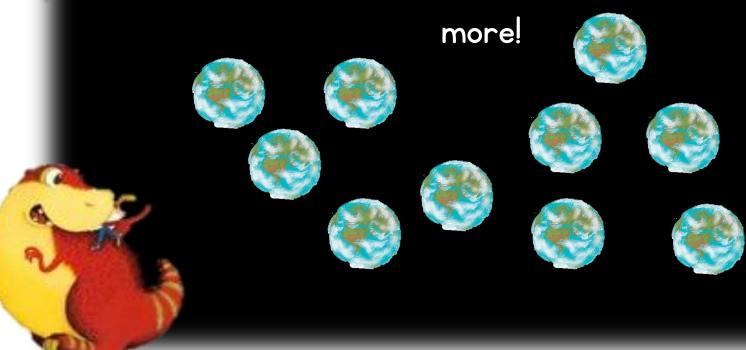






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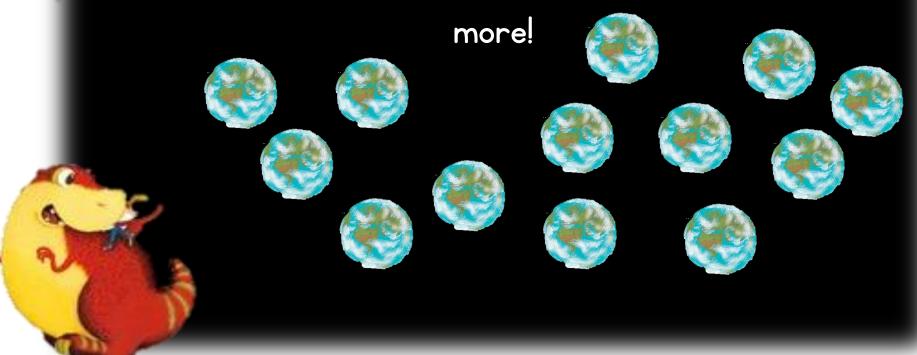






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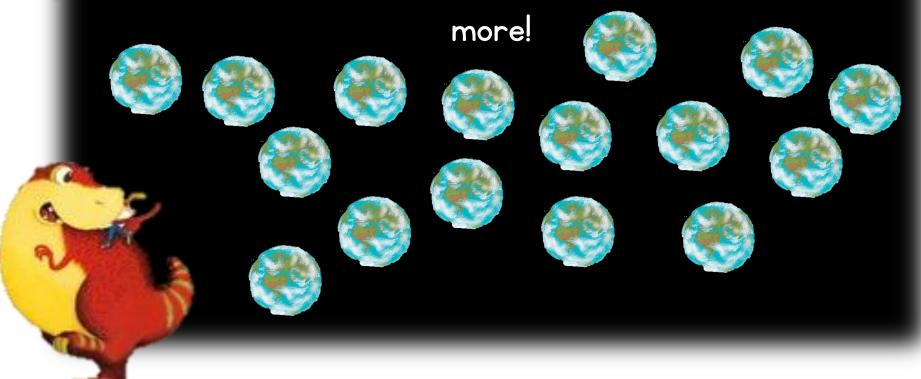






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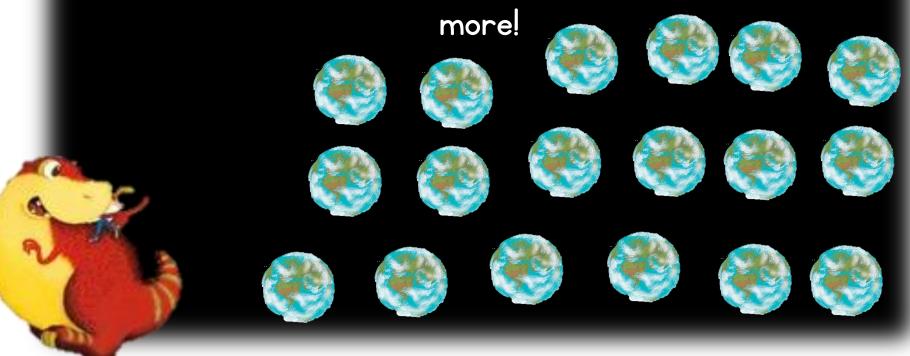






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Oh no what else has he pooped!

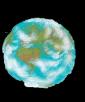
How many things

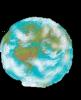
now?









































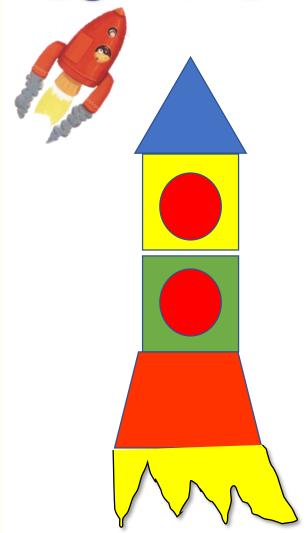






Rocket Doubles Game
Solve the double problems
to make your
rocket and get all the
parts ready to set off!





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You will need 2 dice.

Roll the dice. See your double number.

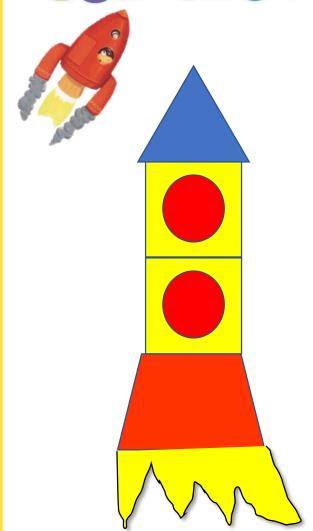
Look at which part of the rocket you can draw. The winner is the first person to draw a complete rocket.

You will need to roll a six to start.

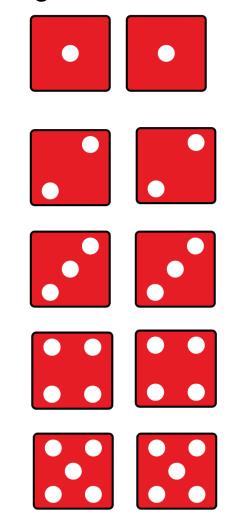
(On either of your dice.)

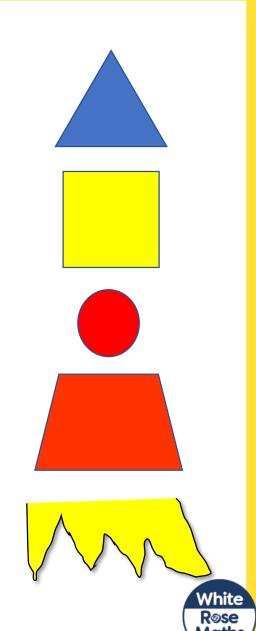






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Rocket Ride!

Danny's friends have found out about his adventures into space.

They want a rocket ride but which one to choose?



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Danny's friends want to go on a rocket ride. How many different ways can you share the children onto the 2 rockets? It doesn't



















Talking Together

Danny's friends want to go on a rocket ride. How many different ways can you share the children onto the 3 rockets? It doesn't



















Talking Together

More friends want to go on a rocket ride. How many different ways can you share the children onto the 2 rockets? It doesn't





















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Making Volcanos

There is a volcano that needs putting out by pooping! Make your own volcano by combining some special ingredients.



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You will need a grown up to help you with this. When you are ready to make your volcano explode, make sure you go somewhere where it's safe to make a mess!

You will need:

Glue, Vinegar, Paper

A piece of cardboard, Tape,

Small plastic container,

Food colouring, Paint

Baking soda, Flour.



Assemble your volcano!



Glue the small container onto a square of cardboard

- Crumple up paper and place around the container so they begin to form a cone shape. Tape the paper into place.
- Mix half a cup of flour and half a cup of water together until it forms a glue like consistency - You can add more water if it is too thick.
- Rip some newspaper into strips. Dip each strip into the glue and wipe off any really gungy bits. Then start placing the strips onto the volcano shape.
- Keep on sticking strips all around until it forms the shape of a volcano.
 Leave it to dry overnight.

(If you are really too excited about your volcano you can always just scrunch some paper around it!)



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Paint it so it looks like a volcano.

Now take it outside to make it explode!

- · Half fill the container at the centre of the volcano with baking soda.
 - · Mix a little red food colouring with some vinegar.
 - · Now pour the vinegar into the container at the centre of the volcano!

Stand back!

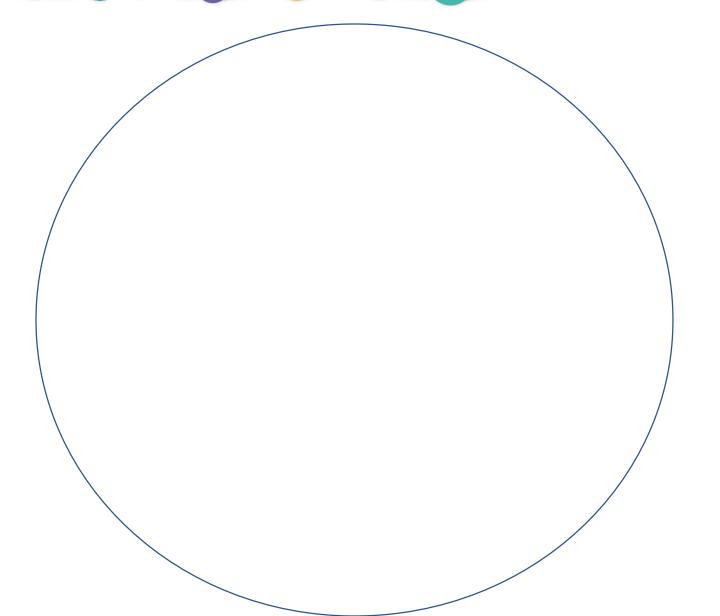




Create your own planet The lost world

What will your planet look like?
Will it be one that has been looked after or has it been eaten by a dinosaur? Will it have rivers or seas? Will it have islands? This is like a large scale map!











Guess my rule



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Look at the following dinosaurs features. Why might some have been picked out to make a set? What is the rule?



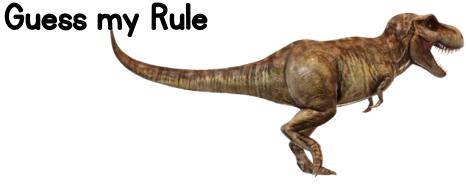




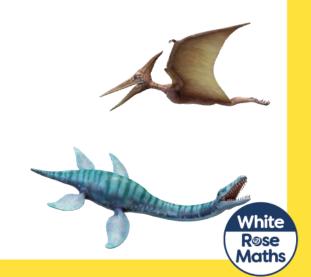


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Musical McFly!

Tom and Dougie who wrote these books are part of a band. To end the week think about listening to your favourite music. Do you like McFly?

If you were in a band what would you play? Sing along to your favourite songs and tap the rhythms. This keeps your maths brains going!