

MISSION FILES
Discover the Dinosaurs

AGE LEVEL: 9 +

SPECIFICATIONS:

175 x 250 mm (P); Extent: 54pp including 6 card dividers and 6 “model” pages with scored dielines (so model pieces can be pressed out of these pages). Spiral bound with a round spine; hardcover; 10,000 words approx.

Text material: 200 gsm (apart from fold out page which is 150 gsm)

Card dividers with tabs: 300 gsm (tabs to be at right hand side)

Model pages: 300 gsm

There are 5 gatefolds (each is one page width and height), two that are 4 pages wide (folds out as concertina), two that are 2 pages wide, and a fold-out page which is 3 page widths wide and 2 page heights tall (525 mm wide x 500 mm tall)

DESCRIPTION:

The latest title in the innovative Mission File series, *Discover the Dinosaurs* provides all you need to know to carry out your latest task, set in the present day: using the knowledge gained from the study of dinosaur fossils and the behaviour of modern animals, you can piece together exactly how the dinosaurs lived.

And ... you get to make a very impressive model of a T.rex!

Your file is a mine of information and advice, as well as an essential provider of plans and charts.

Each comes in a handy-size, spiral-bound format and includes six sections separated by card dividers with tab identifiers. Superb, detailed illustrations and comprehensive text combine to guide you through your mission. Concertinas, fold-out charts and model parts are all bound in to give the authentic feel of a working “file”.

CONTENTS:

THE EVIDENCE

fossils, evolution, shifting continents, geological time, past discoveries,
Timeline (on concertinas)

TOOLS AND TECHNIQUES

Where to find fossils, excavation site, dinosaur laboratory

DINOSAUR STUDIES

Locomotion, feeding, attack and defence, raising young, display and herd behaviour,

FOLD-OUT CHART: DISCOVER T. REX

How scientific analysis of skull etc. tells us so much about how it lived

SOLVE A MYSTERY

How did dinosaurs go extinct? KT boundary, meteorite collision, post-impact, survivors

MODEL

Build a T. rex

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