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Create Your Own Dinosaur

Materials

construction paper; paint; crayons

Directions

This is your chance to invent your own dinosaur. First, you will need to decide some things about your dinosaur. Answer the questions in complete sentences.

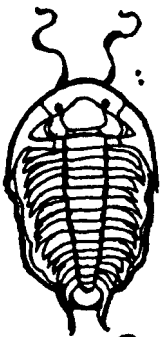
1. How will your dinosaur move? _____

2. What color is your dinosaur? _____

3. What does your dinosaur eat? _____

4. Tell about your dinosaur's body. What is special? _____

5. Give your dinosaur a name. _____
6. Use construction paper, paint, and crayons to create your dinosaur. Be sure you use texture on his body (for example: hair, fur, armor, or scales). Don't forget how you answered the questions when you make your dinosaur.
7. Make up an adventure story for your dinosaur. Be sure that your story includes the following:
 - an introduction to set the scene and characters
 - a body—problem
 - a conclusion—solve the problem



Vocabulary Match

The language of poetry is often more difficult than the language used in prose. Words found in *The Dragons Are Singing Tonight* and their definitions are found below.

1. lairs—where wild animals live
2. cacophonous—a harsh, unpleasant sound
3. chorus—a group of singers
4. exploits—a brave heroic act
5. caches of gold—a hiding place for valuable things
6. treble voice—very high singing voices

Now, using the information above, write the number of the word in the correct place in the picture.

