EXTINCT ANIMALS! (NOT JUST DINOSAURS)

IS THAT AN ELEPHANT?! NOPE--IT'S A WOOLLY MAMMOTH!

THE ASIAN ELEPHANT IS A CLOSE WOOLLY MAMMOTH RELATIVE TO THAT IS STILL ALIVE TODAY!

WOOLLY MAMMOTH'S HAD TWO LAYERS OF FUR AND THREE INCHES OF FAT TO KEEP WARM WHEN LIVING IN COLD PLACES.

FOSSILS HAVE BEEN FOUND EVERYWHERE EXCEPT SOUTH AMERICA AND AUSTRALIA.

"THE WAY OF THE DODO"

DODOS LIVED ON MAURITIUS, AN ISLAND OFF THE COAST OF AFRICA.

WHEN HUMANS LANDED ON THE ISLAND IN 1598, THE DODO BIRDS WERE EXTINCT WITHIN JUST 80 YEARS!

WHEN PEOPLE SAY "THE WAY OF THE DODO," THEY MEAN THAT IT IS GONE OR EXTINCT!

THESE FACTS WERE FOUND IN THE BOOK "MY WEIRD FAST FACTS: DINOSAURS, DODOS, AND WOOLLY MAMMOTHS" BY DAN GUTMAN. FIND COPIES FOR CHECK OUT IN OUR CATALOG AT WWW.TULSALIBRARY.ORG.
WHAT DO YOU WANT TO BE WHEN YOU GROW UP?

PALEONTOLOGY

A PALEONTOLOGIST STUDIES THE HISTORY OF LIFE.

THIS MEANS THEY GET TO SPEND A LOT OF TIME WITH FOSSILS!

WHAT'S A FOSSIL?

FOSSILS ARE THE REMAINS OF PLANTS, ANIMALS AND MORE THAT ARE FOUND IN THE EARTH'S CRUST!

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DINO JOKES!

WHAT DO YOU GET WHEN DINOSAURS CRASH THEIR CARS?
TYRANNOSAURUS WRECKS!

WHAT DO HADROSAURIDS EAT ON CAMPING TRIPS?
DINA-SMORES

WHAT DID DINOSAURS USE TO MAKE THEIR BATHROOM FLOORS?
REP-TCILES!

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