

This is the actual comparative size of the dinosaurs to the presenter.



Unearthing the palaeontologist in us all.

With lashings of humour, loads of audience participation and huge scale models, Dinosaur Science is designed to 'wow' even the most cynical students.

Meet Microceratus. He's small, about 70cm. He's a relative of triceratops and he doesn't think of himself as tiny and doesn't like being called micro.

With heaps of eager volunteers, a two metre high, five metre long, plesiosaurus is brought to life. She tells of her life in the ocean years ago, until she discovers that not all the assembled bones are hers. She is not impressed. As she is dismantled Jared explains how often only partial skeletons are found and when reconstructing the skeleton scientists haven't always got it right the first time. Next an ancient brachiosaurus is brought to life and when the head and long neck of one of its friends appears, it becomes obvious that brachiosaurus travelled in herds. These two are only babies. To appreciate how big these herbivores grew, a teacher is invited up to hold aloft the huge head of a fully grown brachiosaurus.

Throughout the show, problems are solved and assumptions are made, some are dismissed while others are shown to be plausible, even probable.

What schools have said: Fantastic engaging show. Information presented clearly and simply making it easy for students to understand and retain. Involving students and teachers was great and kept students control and ensured enjoyment for all. *Kristen Joyce. K to Year 4. Our Lady of the Southern Cross College. Dalby. QLD.*

Students loved it. Fun, humour and interesting facts about dinosaurs. Jared was passionate & enthusiastic. Great student participation - engaged throughout the entire show. *Susan Baskell. K to year 6. Andrews Ck P.S. Wesley Vale. TAS.*

Curriculum Relevance. Science & Technology: Thinking, investigating & problem solving skills. Investigating through planning, conducting, processing & evaluating. Conceptual Strands - Life and Living. Creative Arts.

Price: \$6.00 per student (GST incl.). **Minimum Audience Size:** 130 students. **Suitable:** P, K to Yr 7. **Times:** Show: 55 mins. Set up: 60 mins. Pack up: 50 mins. **Requires** an indoor performing area 4m deep x 5m wide x 2.8m high.

