

Ankylosaurus

20 Cool Facts about The Ankylosaurus!



1. Ankylosaurus was a dinosaur that lived during the Cretaceous period 68-66 million years ago.
2. Ankylosaurus was an herbivore, which means it ate plants.
3. Ankylosaurus was a large dinosaur, its length could be up to 27ft (8 meters) and its weight was about 15000 lbs. (8000 kilograms).
4. Ankylosaurus had a very large and heavy skull that was about 2 feet long and about 2 and a half feet wide
5. Ankylosaurus had a club-like tail that it could use as a weapon. This bony club could be 2 ft long, 1.5 feet wide and 8 inches tall..
6. It is thought that the club would have been swung with enough force to break the legs of even large dinosaurs like T-rex

7. Ankylosaurus armor was made of bony plates and spikes that protected it from predators. These bony plates, called scutes, covered nearly all the
8. Crocodiles have similar scutes on their bodies as well.
9. these bony plates and pikes were from half an inch (1cm) to 14 inches in length (35cm)
10. Ankylosaurus had about 72 teeth in its mouth. these were shaped like leaves and could be replaced when they were worn out
11. The ankylosaurus was likely to need about 130 lbs (60kg) of food every day
12. Ankylosaurus was a quadruped, which means it walked on four legs
13. Its skull was fused together, which is where it gets its name "fused lizard" as its skull was very solid and inflexible

15. Ankylosaurus was a slow-moving dinosaur but was likely able to run for short distances if needed
16. Ankylosaurus seemed to live together when younger but there is no evidence that they lived in groups when they are adults.
17. Ankylosaurus has been discovered in North America
18. The Ankylosaurus lived at the same time, and in the same area as the most famous predator. T-Rex.
19. The first Ankylosaurus found was in the Hell Creek Fossil Formation in 1906
- 20 it stood about 5 feet 7 inches at the hip and maybe 6-7 feet at the back
21. You say it like this. 'ANK-ee-low-SORE-us'

