



# FOSSILIFEROUS

## DESCRIPTION

What is a fossil? How is it made? In this exploration, students learn how a fossil forms, what fossils we find in Georgia, and what we can learn from fossils. Program will run for 90 minutes.

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## HOMESCHOOL

### 30 MINUTES – GALLERY TIME

- Define a fossil
- Learn how fossils form and are dated.
- Learn about the different types of fossils.

### 30 MINUTES - LAB

- Explain what a fossil is and demonstrate how fossils form
- Make molds from fossils while discussing other fossil types
- Learn about fossils found in Georgia

### 30 MINUTES

- Fossil Dig

## TAKE HOME ITEMS

- Keep 3 fossils excavated from the Fossil Dig and a fossil mold

## GEORGIA STANDARDS OF EXCELLENCE

S3E2a,b; SS1; SS11; SS8



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