



SCOPE & SEQUENCE
GR. 12 – ENGLISH 33

Student Task

GRADE 12: English 33

NOVEL: Jurassic Park









TASK: Jurassic Park, Dinosaur Research Report

PRODUCTIVITY TOOL: Internet Research and Word Processor

TIMELINE: 1 Class for Introduction; 1 Week for Preparation; 1 Class for Presentations

DIFFICULTY: ~ ~ ~ Project

As an introductory activity to reading the novel, students will create a list of species of dinosaurs (also listed on pp. 127-128 of the novel). Individually or in pairs, students will research one species of dinosaur and present their findings on their most current knowledge about the species, along with a sketch or some visual representation of the extinct reptile. The reports should include the following:

-  name
-  size
-  physical characteristics
-  habitats
-  breeding
-  feeding habits
-  disposition
-  other interesting information



ICT Outcomes

The learner will:

- C1** 4.1 plan and perform complex searches, using more than one electronic source
- 4.4 communicate in a persuasive and engaging manner, through appropriate forms, such as speeches, letters, reports and multimedia presentations, applying information technologies for context, audience and purpose that extend and communicate understanding of complex issues
- C2** 4.1 consult a wide variety of sources that reflect varied viewpoints on particular topics
- C3** 4.1 assess the authority, reliability and validity of electronically accessed information
- 4.2 demonstrate discriminatory selection of electronically accessed information that is relevant to a particular topic
- C7** 4.1 use appropriate strategies to locate information to meet personal needs
- F2** 4.1 use technology outside formal classroom settings
- F3** 4.2 record relevant data for acknowledging sources of information, and cite sources correctly
- 4.3 respect ownership and integrity of information





Curriculum Outcomes

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Concept 1, Bullet 2

- ✎ limit his subject quite independently and provide sufficient materials for his purpose

Concept 5, Bullet 3

- ✎ write, for a specific purpose and audience, an acceptable report which includes appropriate material located through research

Concept 8, Bullet 1

- ✎ read literature for enjoyment, understanding and appreciation

Concept 10, Bullet 1

- ✎ assess the validity of the theme in relation to life in general and in relation to his own experience

Concept 11, Bullet 4

- ✎ assess and evaluate information in terms of projected use

