



# Fossil Find



L	I	F	E	P	B	P	S	A	L	E	O	P	N	S	T	O	T	E	L
O	G	I	S	U	I	N	T	E	S	A	R	R	D	E	S	C	N	R	I
D	E	N	R	T	O	G	I	S	D	O	T	N	S	W	H	O	O	E	S
T	E	I	U	I	D	Y	F	O	T	I	A	S	S	I	L	S	D	H	Q
E	E	C	L	F	I	T	T	E	X	L	M	E	R	Y	R	R	O	T	A
D	B	L	O	I	E	U	C	Y	D	I	K	E	T	G	U	U	E	O	C
T	I	N	R	M	Q	T	T	A	G	Y	X	T	N	A	E	P	R	N	S
M	U	T	P	C	P	U	B	D	J	X	E	J	S	T	X	A	O	A	Y
C	L	U	E	S	T	O	I	B	S	C	H	A	S	M	A	L	F	T	M
A	N	C	I	E	N	T	S	C	H	V	S	S	R	O	W	R	C	I	E
A	V	C	V	U	N	Y	O	E	K	O	Z	C	E	A	B	M	Y	T	L
W	G	E	D	I	W	Q	W	U	M	L	T	N	Y	B	E	W	J	E	Y
E	C	D	R	M	F	C	D	I	E	Y	Y	R	A	M	O	K	O	E	T
N	U	E	N	N	A	Y	Z	W	V	A	J	C	L	G	S	T	T	F	S
M	X	J	O	Z	T	U	J	P	K	T	C	X	A	K	R	T	H	R	C

**ANCIENT  
BADLANDS  
BURIED  
CLUES  
DECOMPOSE  
LAYERS**

**LIFE  
MILLIONS  
MOSASAUR  
OREODONT  
PIG  
PROTECT**

**QUICKLY  
SEDIMENTARY  
STYLEMYS  
TITANOTHER**

All of these words are related to fossils. Can you find them in the puzzle above?

There is a hidden message waiting for you after you have found all the words. Look for it in the first four lines of the puzzle.

**Hint:** Use the letters you have not circled to decode the message.



# Fossil Find Solutions

L	I	F	E	P	B	P	S	A	L	E	O	P	N	S	T	O	T	E	L
O	G	I	S	U	I	N	T	E	S	A	R	R	D	E	S	C	N	R	I
D	E	N	R	T	O	G	I	S	D	O	T	N	S	W	H	O	O	E	S
T	E	I	U	I	D	Y	F	O	T	I	A	S	S	I	L	S	D	H	Q
E	E	C	L	F	I	T	T	E	X	L	M	E	R	Y	R	R	O	T	A
D	B	L	O	I	E	U	C	Y	D	I	K	E	T	G	U	U	E	O	C
T	I	N	R	M	Q	T	T	A	G	Y	X	T	N	A	E	P	R	N	S
M	U	T	P	C	P	U	B	D	J	X	E	J	S	T	X	A	O	A	Y
C	L	U	E	S	T	O	I	B	S	C	H	A	S	M	A	L	F	T	M
A	N	C	I	E	N	T	S	C	H	V	S	S	R	O	W	R	C	I	E
A	V	C	V	U	N	Y	O	E	K	O	Z	C	E	A	B	M	Y	T	L
W	G	E	D	I	W	Q	W	U	M	L	T	N	Y	B	E	W	J	E	Y
E	C	D	R	M	F	C	D	I	E	Y	Y	R	A	M	O	K	O	E	T
N	U	E	N	N	A	Y	Z	W	V	A	J	C	L	G	S	T	T	F	S
M	X	J	O	Z	T	U	J	P	K	T	C	X	A	K	R	T	H	R	C

Hidden Message: Paleontologists are scientists who study fossils.