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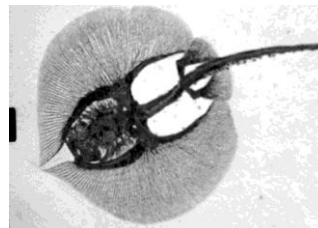
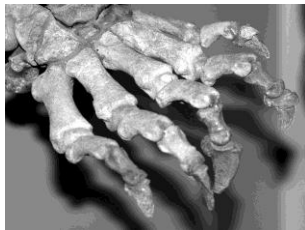
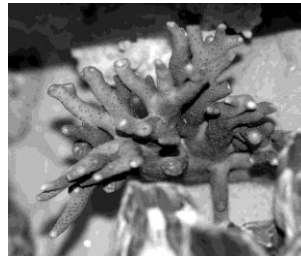
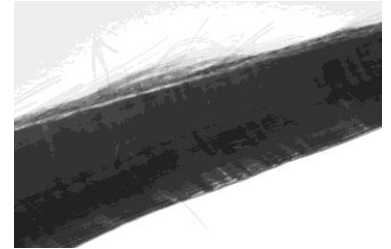
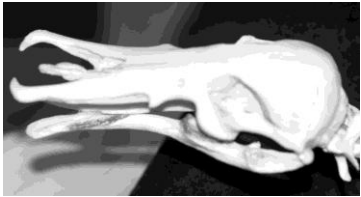
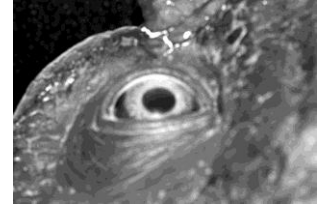
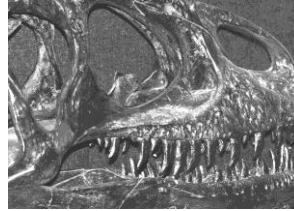
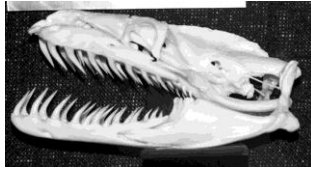
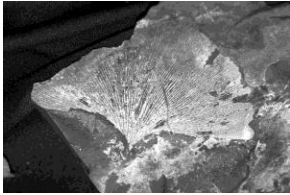
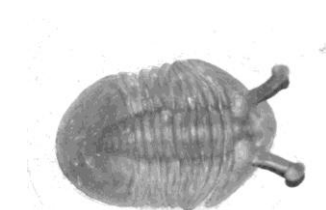
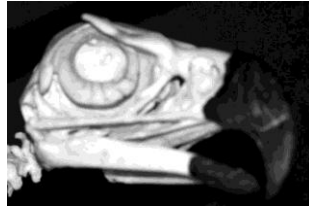
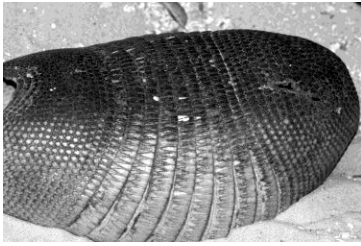
Objective: Students will connect with the exhibits in the Natural History Museum and Planetarium by searching for specimens or related terms found in the pictures on the following pages. Further objectives may include locating the states and or countries that specimens are from on a map.

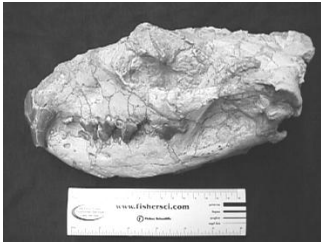
Pre-visit activities: Students will better understand and learn from this activity by being exposed to the following topics *before* their trip to the Natural History Museum and Planetarium.
- fossils, geologic time scale, animal classification, United States map, World map

Post-visit activities: Students will more likely connect and retain information from the resources in the Natural History Museum and Planetarium by doing post-visit activities that requires use of the information to complete certain tasks. These tasks may include:
- Connect the terms using a word search activity.
- Encouraging the students to do a research project on one of the terms of their choice.
- Have students elaborate on their drawing. Students may make their own 'museum exhibit' as a further project to connect museums and/ or diagrams.

Notes:

Did you see any of these items in the museum today?
Can you find and name each one?





Use the space below to draw your own pictures of what you experienced in the museum. Be sure to label your works of art.