The Dog That Dug for Dinosaurs

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How can you learn about animals that lived long ago?
exact

What Does It Mean?
Something that is exact is completely correct.

Sentence:
The map showed the exact place to dig for old bones.

Think About It:
Why is it important to be exact when you measure a string that you are going to cut?
discovered

What Does It Mean?
If you discovered something, you found out something that you did not know before.

Sentence:
This old shark’s tooth was discovered on a beach. It was found by a scientist.

Think About It:
What is the most surprising thing you have discovered?
remove

What Does It Mean?
If you remove something from a place, you take it out or take it away.

Sentence:
This scientist uses a brush to gently remove, or take away, sand.

Think About It:
What words mean the opposite of remove?
growled

What Does It Mean?
If an animal growled, it made a deep, low noise because it was angry, afraid, or excited.

Sentence:
The dog **growled** and barked as it dug up the old bone.

Think About It:
When someone is hungry, why do we say his or her tummy growled?
amazed

What Does It Mean?
When a person is amazed, he or she is very surprised.

Sentence:
The girl was amazed at the size of the dinosaur teeth in the museum.

Think About It:
When people are amazed, how do they look? What might they say?
What Does It Mean?
If someone explained something, he or she described it in a simple way so that others could understand.

Sentence:
The man explained, or told, about the dinosaur.

Think About It:
What are some things that your teacher has explained to you?
guard

What Does It Mean?
A guard is someone who carefully watches or protects something.

Sentence:
A guard makes sure no one touches anything in the museum.

Think About It:
A guard usually wears a uniform. Why is this so?
souvenirs

What Does It Mean?
Souvenirs are things you buy or find to remind you of a place or an event.

Sentence:
He bought souvenirs to remember his day at the museum.

Think About It:
What souvenirs have you collected? What do they remind you of?