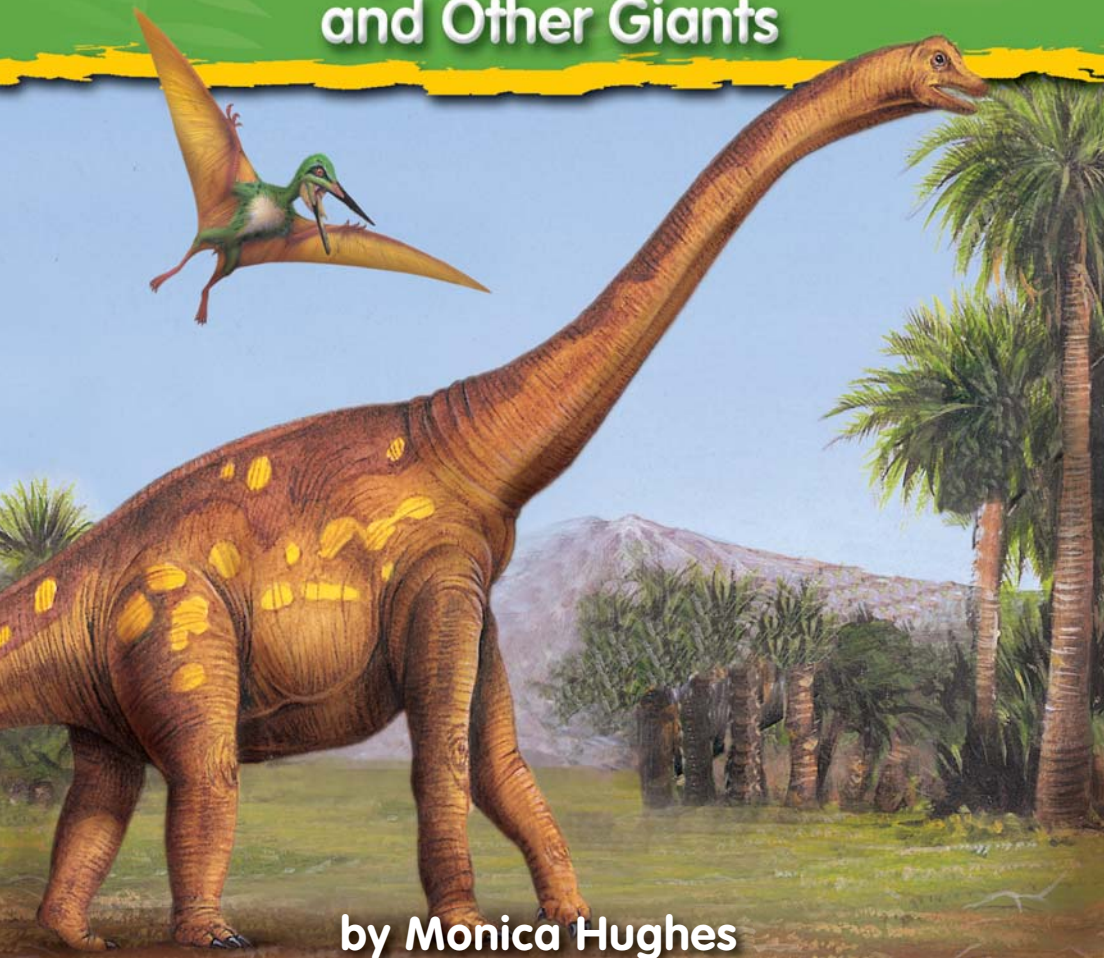


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Really big!

Long ago, huge dinosaurs lived on land.

Other big animals lived at the same time.

Some of them flew through the air.


Others swam in the sea.

Tyrannosaurus rex
(ti-ran-uh-SOR-uhss REKS)





Quetzalcoatlus
(kwet-zal-koh-AHT-lus)



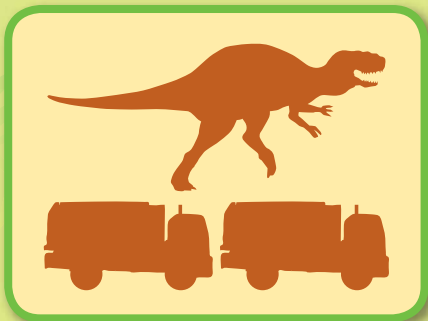
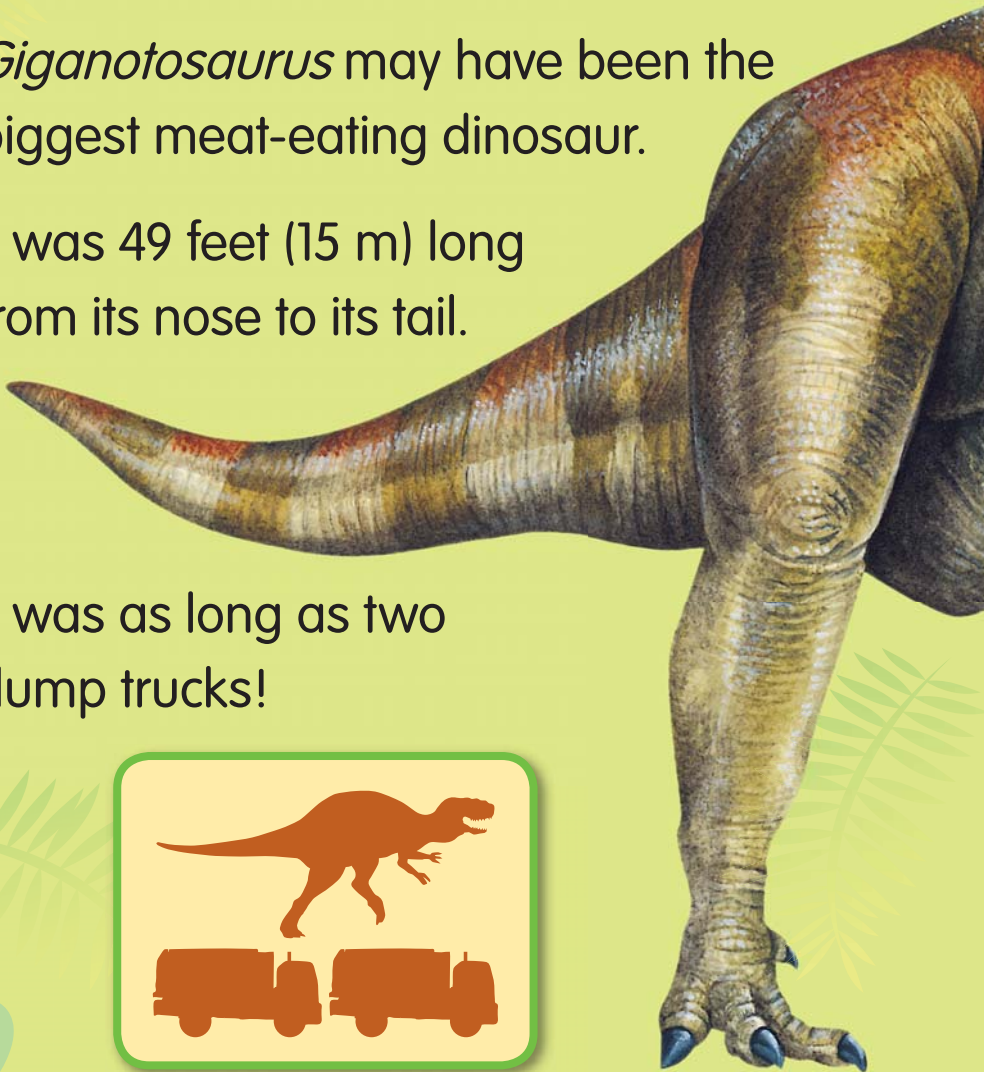
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(eh-lazz-moh-SOR-uhss)

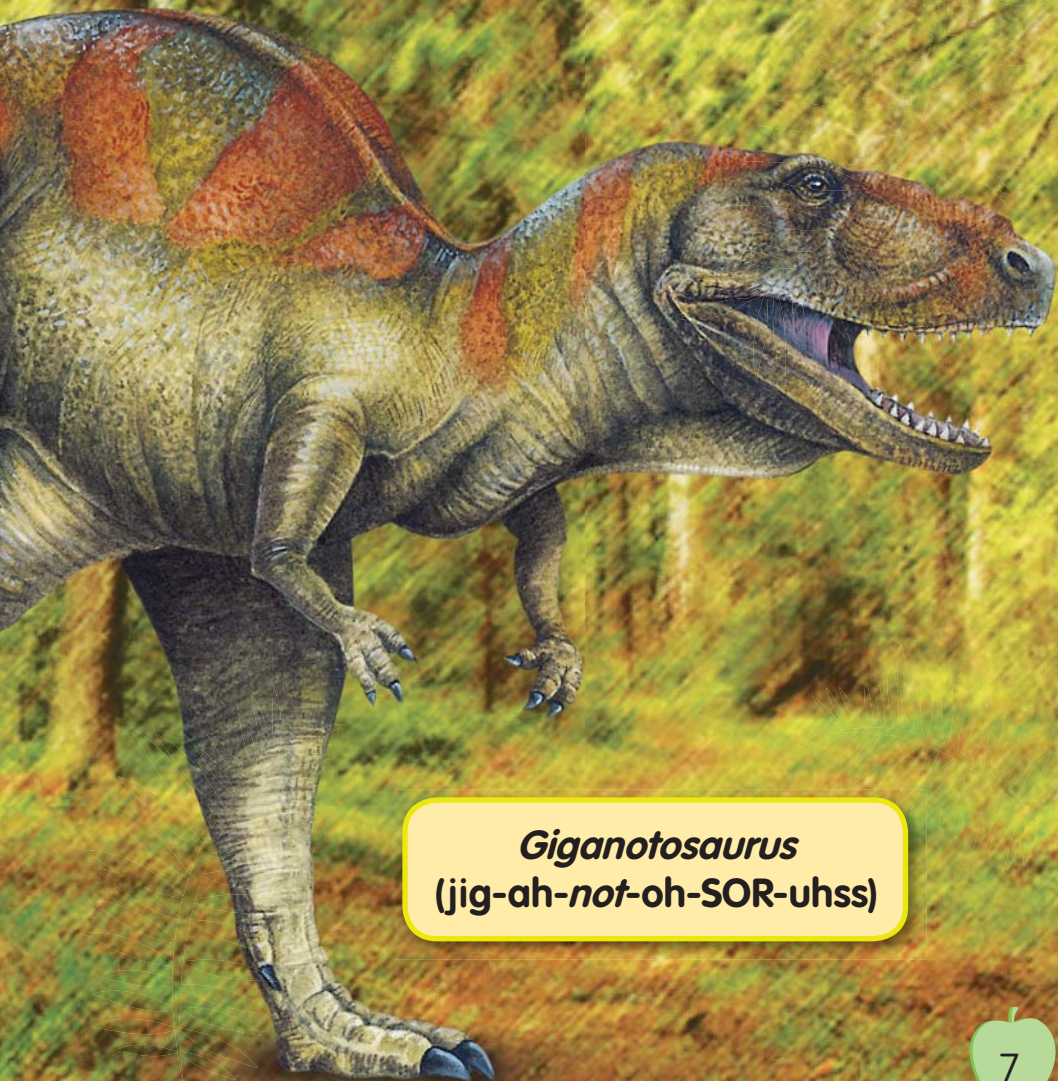
A big meat-eater

Giganotosaurus may have been the biggest meat-eating dinosaur.

It was 49 feet (15 m) long from its nose to its tail.

It was as long as two dump trucks!





Giganotosaurus
(jig-ah-not-oh-SOR-uhss)

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