SEPTEMBER ACTIVITY SHEET

Join Eddie at the Academy to earn stamps and win a prize!

**ACTIVITY #1**
Meet our malacology graduate students at Scientist Saturdays, September 15. Find out the names of shells you have found at nearby beaches.

**ACTIVITY #2**
Visit the investigation station near the Moose diorama on Fridays and Saturdays, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., to learn about cells, the “building blocks of life.”

**ACTIVITY #3**
Our diorama renovations will be complete soon! Stop by the Takin and the Gorilla dioramas to take a peek at the progress and see our staff at work.

**I AM NOT A DINOSAUR!**

Join Marty the Moose for story time on Mondays at 11 a.m. in the Auditorium. This month, Marty is reading *I Am NOT a Dinosaur!* by Will Loch. Can you identify the prehistoric animals below that are not dinosaurs? Circle them.

- Pteranodon
- Tyrannosaurus rex
- Hadrosaurus
- Elasmosaurus
- Chasmosaurus
- Tylosaurus

Answer: Pteranodon, elasmosaurus and tylosaurus are not dinosaurs.
SILLY FOR CELLS

You can visit the investigation station near the Moose diorama on Fridays and Saturdays from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. to see cells up close. Cells are important biological units that make up every living thing!

While you’re at the investigation station, explore these interesting questions with our education staff member:

1. What does a plant cell use chloroplast for and why does the animal cell not have one?
2. Why does a plant cell have a cell wall while an animal cell does not?
3. Why is the nucleus called the brain of the plant cell? Why is it so important?

UPCOMING EXHIBITS AND EVENTS

Xtreme Bugs
Open through January 21, 2019

Scientist Saturday
September 15

Members’ Night
Friday, October 12
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