

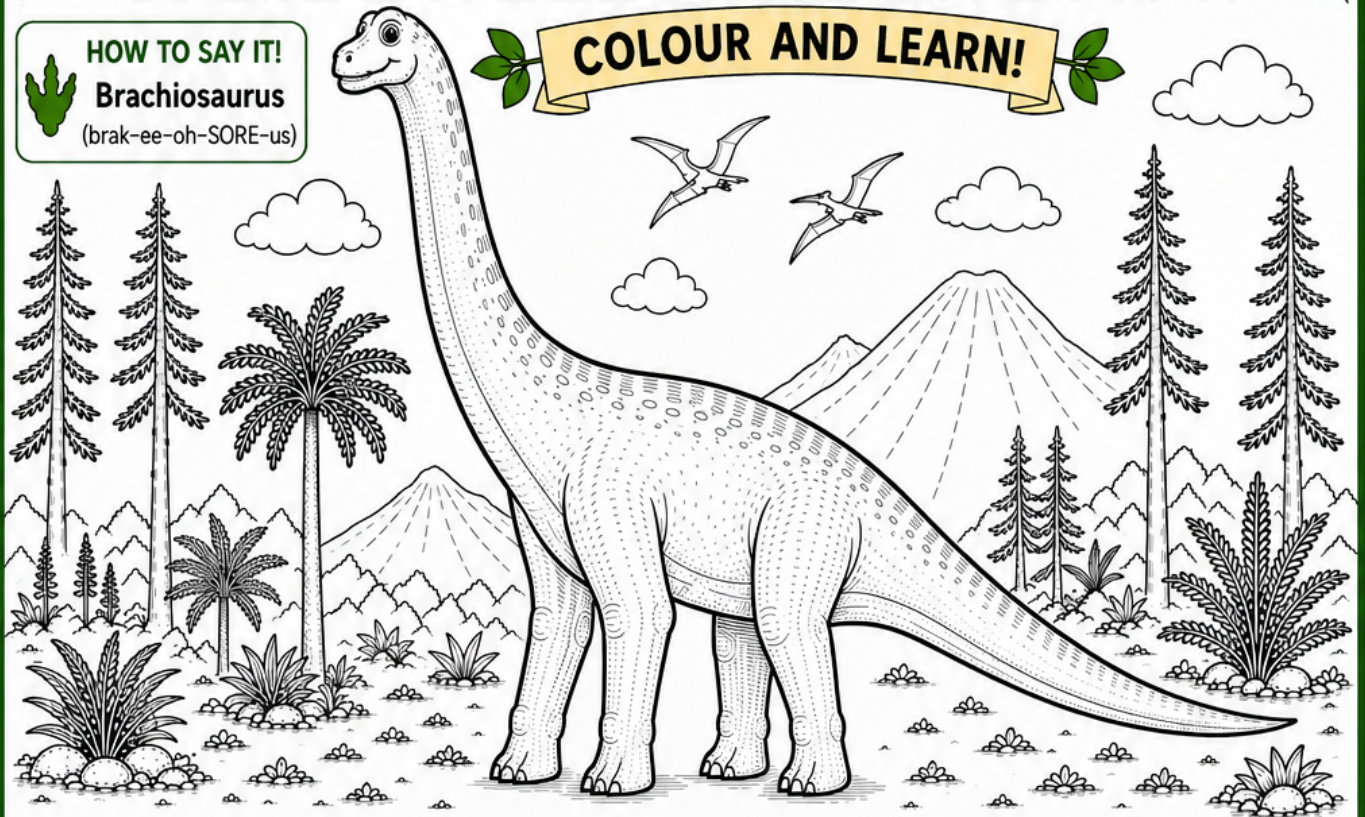
BRACHIOSAURUS

HOW TO SAY IT!

Brachiosaurus

(brak-ee-oh-SORE-us)

COLOUR AND LEARN!



ABOUT BRACHIOSAURUS

Brachiosaurus was a giant, plant-eating dinosaur.

It lived during the Late Jurassic Period, about 154 to 150 million years ago.

Its name means "arm lizard".



AMAZING FACTS



Brachiosaurus had a very long neck, which it lifted high to reach leaves in tall trees.



Its front legs were longer than its back legs, giving it a tall, giraffe-like posture.



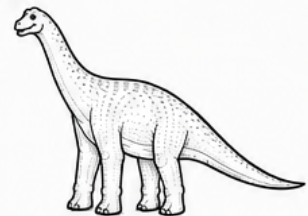
Its head could reach about the height of a four-storey building – one of the tallest dinosaurs!



It could grow up to 26 metres long and weighed around 30–50 tonnes.

SIZE COMPARISON

Brachiosaurus



up to 26 metres long

Human



about 1.8 metres tall (at the shoulder)

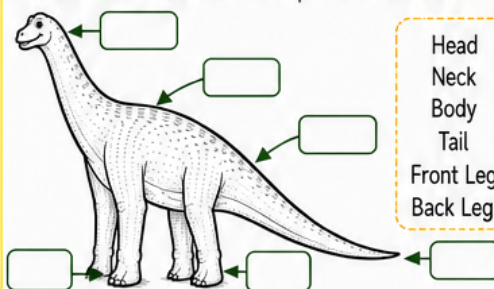
LATE JURASSIC (154–150 MILLION YEARS AGO)



Triassic	Jurassic	Cretaceous	Paleogene
252–201 million years ago	201–145 million years ago	145–66 million years ago	66–23 million years ago

LABEL THE BRACHIOSAURUS

Use the words in the box to label the parts of Brachiosaurus.



Head
Neck
Body
Tail
Front Leg
Back Leg

WHERE DID IT LIVE?

Fossils of Brachiosaurus have been found in North America.



DID YOU KNOW?



Scientists think Brachiosaurus may have eaten hundreds of kilograms of leaves each day!

