



All There Is To Know About The Giant Reptile, T-Rex

Tyrannosaurus Rex, also known as the 'king of dinosaurs' was one of the most giant reptiles of all time. The name T-Rex formally came in 1905 by Henry F. Osborne. The name means something similar to tyrant lizard king.

The dinosaur has also been featured in the movie 'Jurassic Park' as the star and as hence gained more media coverage than any other extinct giant reptiles. The [Tyrannosaurus bones](#), claws and teeth have been displayed in museums as showpieces and are also available for sale online.

While there are some dinosaurs who were known from their teeth, there are others who did not have teeth at all. Here we bring you a few facts about the biggest carnivorous dinosaur ever discovered:

- The Tyrannosaurus Rex had the longest teeth of all dinosaurs. The tooth's length was 12 inches long along with the root. The exposed part was about 6 inches long.
- Findings have suggested that he is from the cannibal category as some T-Rex bones have been found with T-Rex tooth gauges.
- All dinosaurs including the Tyrannosaurus Rex grew new replacement teeth. More specifically, the plant eating dinosaurs grow new teeth more frequently so that their chompers are not worn down from all the vegetation.
- The T-Rex teeth were nowhere near being smooth. They were actually very serrated just like sharp knives. It helped the dinosaur to crush and mangle its prey better.
- The teeth of the giant T-Rex have also been referred to as 'banana teeth' which ranged 50-60 numbers and could rip around 100kg of flesh.

The giant mammal is believed to be both, a predator and a scavenger which means that it hunted for his food himself and he also stole food from other predators. All in all, he ate meat of other animals and dinosaurs.

Tyrannosaurus Rex had a life span of about 30 years and lived in North America from Canada to Texas. The length of this dinosaur reached about 40' and weights were touching about 7 tons. The dinosaur also had excellent eye vision, even better than humans.

The T-Rex is also believed to have been super smart with a brain twice as big as what the other giant carnivores had. Not only was the body of the dinosaur furry when it was hatched

out the egg but there was at least some fur on its body throughout his life span.

You could get the fossils and teeth for yourself or choose to gift them to someone who is interested in mammal fossils. Other than dinosaur fossils, there are other mammals too whose remains are showcased and sold online.

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