

The Dinosaur climber's kit

This task is about reading to find information and make inferences.

Read the poem *The Dinosaur Climber's Kit* by Stephen Whiteside (*School Journal, Part 2, No 3, 1994*) and answer the following questions.

a) What do you need to stop holes being cut into your feet?

b) How long could it take to climb a dinosaur?

c) What do the words "stuff to munch" mean?

d) What two things will happen if you look down?

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e) From where is the best view?

f) What do the words "... if you run into strife ... " mean?

g) What will save you if you have to jump?

h) Select **two** words from below which are **not** part of the 'Dinosaur Climber's Kit'.

<input type="radio"/> boots	<input type="radio"/> drink	<input type="radio"/> parachute	<input type="radio"/> jacket
<input type="radio"/> pack	<input type="radio"/> stick	<input type="radio"/> binoculars	<input type="radio"/> toffee

i) Look at the last word of each line in the poem and describe the pattern.