

ALLOSAURUS

QUESTION SHEET

1. What period did the Allosaurus live in?
2. How is the Allosaurus different from a T. Rex?
3. What were the bony bumps on the Allosaurus's head possibly used for?
4. How tall was an Allosaurus?
5. What did the Allosaurus eat?
6. How did the Allosaurus hunt its food?
7. Where did the Allosaurus live?
8. Why did the Allosaurus go extinct?
9. What does the name "Allosaurus" mean?
10. How fast could the Allosaurus run?



Answers

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1. The Allosaurus lived during the Jurassic period, around 150 million years ago.
2. The Allosaurus had bony bumps on its head, three large clawed fingers, and was smaller than a T. Rex.
3. Scientists think the bumps may have been used for attracting mates or protecting its eyes.
4. The Allosaurus stood about 10 feet tall, as tall as a two-story house!
5. The Allosaurus was a carnivore, which means it ate meat, mostly other dinosaurs.
6. It hid in trees, used its sharp teeth and claws to catch prey, and might have hunted in packs.
7. The Allosaurus lived in North America, in places like Utah and Colorado.
8. A huge meteor caused changes in the climate, making it hard for dinosaurs to survive.
9. "Allosaurus" means "different lizard" in Greek because it was unique compared to other dinosaurs.
10. The Allosaurus could run up to 25 miles per hour, about as fast as a dog!

