
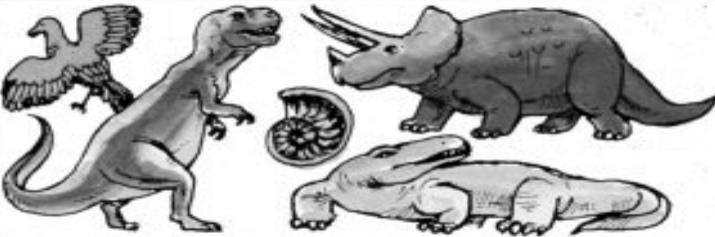
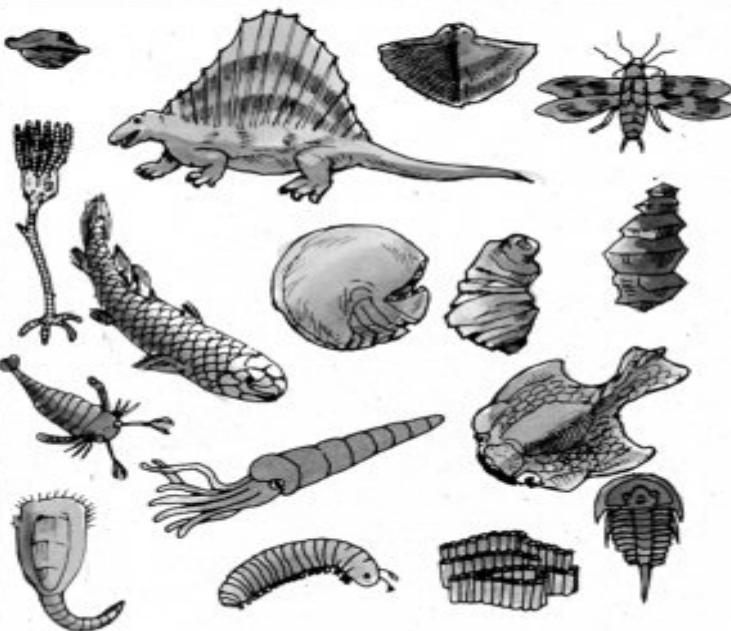


## GEOLOGIC TIME SCALE

ERA	PERIOD	EPOCH	SUCCESION OF LIFE
CENOZOIC <i>recent life</i>	<b>QUATERNARY</b> 0-1 Million Years Rise of Man	Recent Pleistocene	
	<b>TERTIARY</b> 62 Million Years Rise of Mammals	Pliocene Miocene Oligocene Eocene	
MESOZOIC <i>middle life</i>	<b>CRETACEOUS</b> 72 Million Years Modern seed bearing plants. Dinosaurs		
	<b>JURASSIC</b> 46 Million Years First birds		
	<b>TRIASSIC</b> 49 Million Years Cycads, first dinosaurs		
PALEOZOIC <i>ancient life</i>	<b>PERMIAN</b> 50 Million Years First reptiles		
	<i>Carboniferous</i> <b>PENNSYLVANIAN</b> 30 Million Years First insects		
	<b>MISSISSIPPIAN</b> 35 Million Years Many crinoids		
	<b>DEVONIAN</b> 60 Million Years First seed plants, cartilage fish		
	<b>SILURIAN</b> 20 Million Years Earliest land animals		
	<b>ORDOVICIAN</b> 75 Million Years Early bony fish		
	<b>CAMBRIAN</b> 100 Million Years Invertebrate animals, Brachiopods, Trilobites		
	<b>PRECAMBRIAN</b> Very few fossils present (bacteria-algae-pollen?)		