

MESOZOIC ERA TIMELINE

A Printable Visual Guide to the Age of Reptiles

TRIASSIC

The Dawn

252 - 201 Million Years Ago

Earth consists of the supercontinent Pangea. First dinosaurs and mammals appear.

- • Coelophysis
- • Herrerasaurus
- • Plateosaurus
- • Eoraptor

JURASSIC

- • Brachiosaurus
- • Stegosaurus
- • Allosaurus
- • Diplodocus

Golden Age

201 - 145 Million Years Ago

Warm, humid climate with lush jungles. Giant sauropods dominate the landscape.

CRETACEOUS

Diversification

145 - 66 Million Years Ago

Continents drift apart. Flowering plants evolve alongside iconic predators.

- • Tyrannosaurus Rex
- • Triceratops
- • Velociraptor

- • Spinosaurus

K-Pg Boundary Extinction Event - 66 MYA