

# Y2 Example Text

## Recount: Newspaper Report

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Twinkl  Times

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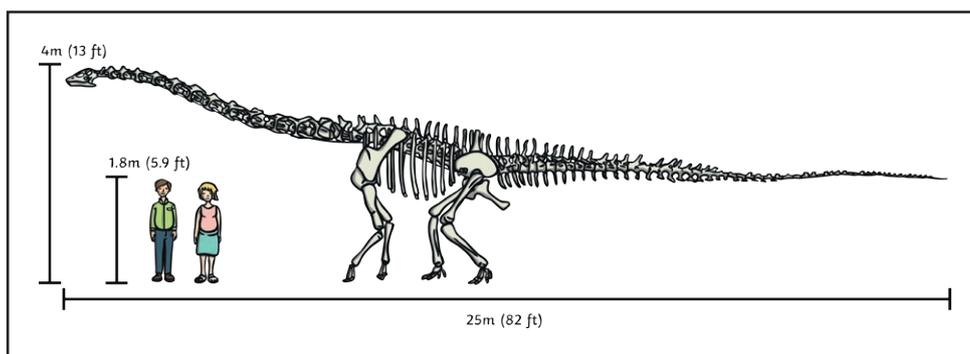
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**Twinkl**  **Times**<sup>1</sup>

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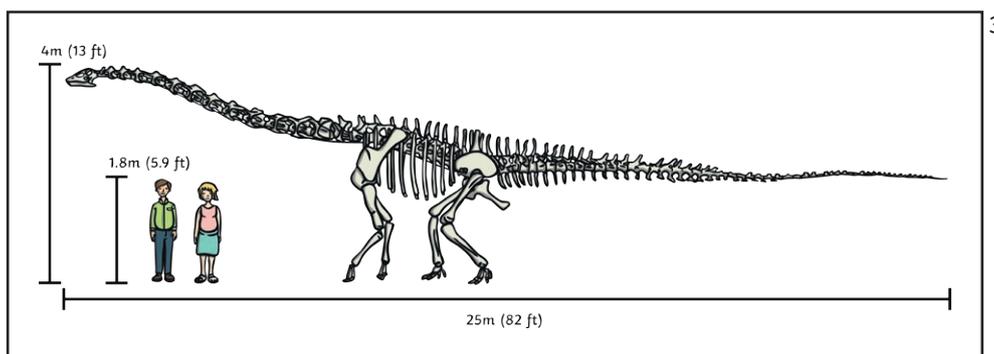
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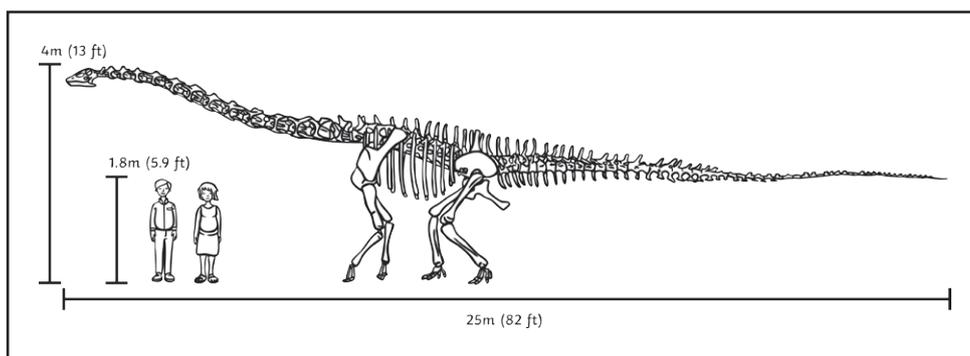
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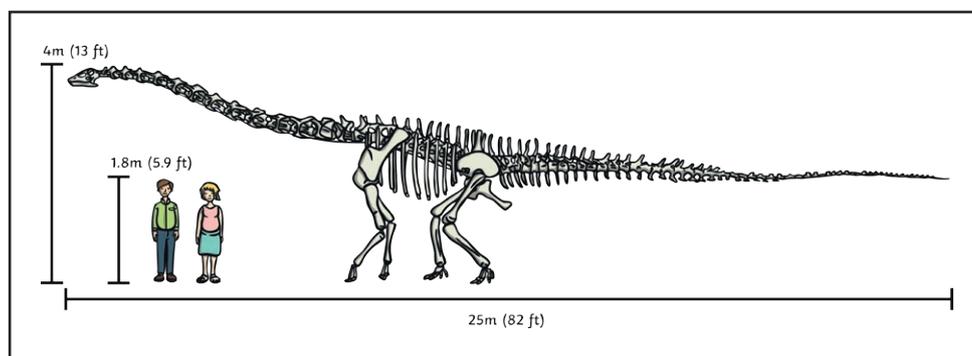
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