

### **WHAT to expect with *Neighborhood Fossils*?**

Students work with hand-painted 3D prints of fossils local to them during this activity. Students identify the fossils using ID cards with the name of the bone and the species from which it came. With this knowledge the students then explore either comparative anatomy of the fossils or the ecology.

#### **Prices**

\$70 for the first session

\$60 for each subsequent session

#### **Activities in *Neighborhood Fossils* include:**

**Comparative anatomy:** Students look more closely at the fossils to see how similar the bones are between the different groups of animals. Recommended for Grades 3 – 10

**Ecology:** Students think about modern equivalents to the Ice Age animals to envision what the region was like to support the animals and how it has changed since the Ice Age. Recommended for Grades 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>

***Neighborhood Fossils program can help to fulfill Next Generation Science Standards for grades 3-10.***

#### **TIME**

Plan on spending about 40 minutes *plus a* 5 minute introduction time, and 5 minute cleanup for a total of 50 minutes per session.

#### **CLASSROOM SETUP**

Students will work in four or five groups, it will save time to have the students already assigned to a group before the labs start.

All Visit Request Forms must be submitted at least **THREE WEEKS** prior to your requested date.

#### **SPECIAL NEEDS**

If you have a student with specific needs, please contact us in advance. We will do our best to accommodate requests, if possible.