

# How did the dinosaurs become extinct?

## Theories:

- Their eggs were eaten, either by their natural enemies or by other dinosaurs.
- Gondwanaland broke up separating the continents. This caused major weather patterns to change and thus plant life was not able to thrive causing the herbivores to die out.
- A large star caused an explosion of cosmic rays that wiped out most life on earth.
- A storm of meteors collided on earth, this caused many fires and the smoke clouds were so dense that they blocked out the sun. With no sun the plants were unable to continue to survive and so the animals died out.