



Mary Anning



Ichthyosaurus

- Mary Anning was born in 1799.
- She is a famous fossil hunter.
- In 1811, at age 12, she found an ICHTHYSAURUS fossil.
- Its name means 'Fish lizard'. She sold it for £23.
- In 1823 she found the first ever Plesiosaur. skeleton.
- Mary died in 1847.
- Although she was well-known for her discoveries, she wasn't taken seriously as a scientist in her lifetime because of her gender and poor background.



significant	Great or important enough to be worthy of attention. A person who has or is likely to have influence or effect.
palaeontologist	A scientist who specialises in the study of fossils and dinosaurs
fossil	A fossil is the remains or traces of prehistoric life. Fossils are preserved remains of animals, for example footprints of skeleton.
Lyme Regis	A town on the Jurassic Coast in Dorset, England that is famous for fossils.
scientist	A scientist is a person who studies or has expertise in science. A scientist tries to understand how our world, or other things work.
feminist	The believe that women and men should have equal rights and opportunities.