

# Pachyrhinosaurus



Pronounced:	pack-ee-RINE-oh-SAWR-us
AKA:	"Thick-nosed lizard"
Time period:	Late Cretaceous (75 million years ago)
Size:	24 feet long, 4 tons
Locomotion:	Quadruped
Diet:	Herbivore
Location:	North America (Alberta, Alaska)
Taxonomy:	<i>Ornithischia</i> , <i>Ceratopsidae</i> , <i>Pachyrhinosaurini</i> , <i>Pachyrhinosaurus</i>
Named by:	Charles Mortram Sternberg 1950



## Fast Facts

Their skull has massive flattened growths (a large one over the nose and a smaller one over the eyes).

The bony mass may have been used as a battering ram when sparring, or as the base of a massive horn built of keratin that has not fossilized.

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