

# Meet the Theorists

Schools outreach session  
for Key Stage 2

Using artefacts from our museum collections, find out about the work of Mary Anning, Charles Darwin and Henry Bates and how the evidence they collected helped develop their theories of evolution.

Look at real fossils to gather evidence which supports Mary Anning's evolutionary theories.

Study our set of real finches to see how Darwin used these to explain his ideas of adaptation to the environment.

## Curriculum Links

KS2 (Year 6) Science:  
Evolution and Inheritance

Find out about 'Batesian Mimicry' using real insect and bird specimens from our natural history collections.

Examine our set of amazing replica skulls to help understand how the human race has evolved.

**Session length: 1 hour**