## Flying Fterodactyly

## Gather:

- Cardboard or thick paper (for the body)
- Desired medium to decorate with
- Small hole punch (or something pointy to create a hole I used one of my craft tools)
- Paper
- String
- Glue



## Create:

There is a set of instructions on the body PDF for this one.

(ter-oh-DAK-til-us)

Name meaning: Winged Finger (Greek)

- Lived during the late Jurassic period, approximately 150-148 Million years ago.
- The first pterodactylus fossil was discovered in Bavaria, Germany. It was identified by Italian scientist Cosimo Alessandro Collini in 1794.
- Other pterodactylus fossils have been found elsewhere in Europe and Africa.
- The pterodactylus was the first Pterosaurus known to science.
- Carnivore most likely fed on fish and other small animals.
- · Was a flying reptile, not a dinosaur.
- Had a long beak filled with around 90 short, sharp teeth.
- Had wings formed by a skin and muscle membrane stretching from its elongated fourth finger to its hind limbs. Its wingspan was just over 1 metre (3.28ft).
- Named by Paleontologist Georges Cuvier in 1809.

## FLYING PTERODACTYLUS

- COLOUR IN YOUR PTERODACTYLUS.
  - COLOUR IN THE WINGS.



