

Alligators: Dragons in Paradise



Alligators: Dragons in Paradise is a potpourri of fact and fantasy that explores our enduring fascination with the alligator and the alligator's symbolic and sociological role in Florida history. The exhibit includes artifacts such as alligator bags, shoes, and purses; cast reproductions of alligator and crocodile skulls; and a variety of other alligator souvenirs and memorabilia. There are 22 text and photo panels, a photo-op, and a large freestanding photo mural. A tabletop interactive quiz, a tanned alligator hide, and a four-and-one-half-foot mounted alligator provide hands-on experiences for visitors. A simulated nest, complete with eggs, and an alligator growth chart trace the development of an alligator from birth to maturity. Discover a unique part of Florida history in *Alligators: Dragons in Paradise*.

General Description: 8 freestanding units, 22 graphic panels.

Space Required: 1200 square feet of floor space.

Shipping Crates (5 crates total)

- 1 @ 72"l x 44" w x 56" h 545 lbs.
- 1 @ 37"l x 63" w x 56" h 513 lbs.
- 1 @ 52"l x 39" w x 40" h 333 lbs.
- 1 @ 59"l x 28" w x 46" h 840 lbs.
- 1 @ 69"l x 21" w x 47" h 348 lbs.
- 1 @ 87"l x 25" w x 59" h 550 lbs.

Shipping Weight: 3129 lbs.

Security Requirements: High



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