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Tupuxuara leonardi

Tupuxuara (familiar spirit). This pterosaur has a Skull length of about 1.3m and a Wingspan approximately 5.5m. The Tupuxuara were originally thought to be Tapejarid pterosaurs, but study of their skeletal structure allies them with the Azhdarchids.

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