

Year 3 and 4 sticky facts The Stone Age to Iron Age

Key Vocabulary	
Archaeologist	A person who studies human history through looking at artefacts and other remains.
flint	A very hard stone that can produce a spark when struck by another stone.
hunter-gatherer	Someone who hunts animals and gathers wild food to eat.
prehistoric	Before written records began.

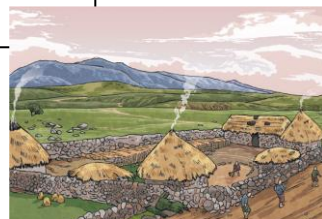
What did Stone Age people do?
Hunt and gather food
Find water and shelter
Skin animals and make clothes
Collect firewood for making fires and to keep warm
Make tools and weapons



The Bronze Age
<p>Bronze was used for tools, weapons, armour and building materials.</p> <p>Farming was a big part of life.</p> <p>People moved from the hills to the valleys where it was easier to grow food.</p>



What was the Iron Age like?
<p>People used Iron to make tools and weapons because it was stronger than bronze.</p> <p>The Iron Age people lived in farming communities in hillforts. Groups of people lived together in villages and farmed the land to survive.</p>



When was the Stone Age?	<p>The old stone age - Paleolithic 3,000,000BC</p> <p>Early humans used stone tools with sharp edges</p>
	<p>The middle stone age - Mesolithic 10,000 BC - around.</p> <p>Humans were hunter-gatherers and constantly on the move in order to stay safe and warm.</p>
	<p>The new stone age - Neolithic 4500 - 2,400BC Farming developed and villages were built</p>
When was the Bronze Age?	<p>The use of bronze was brought to Britain around 2100 BC.</p> <p>The Bronze Age in Britain lasted around 1500 years.</p> <p>The Bronze Age started at different times in different countries. People travelled to other countries and brought skills, tools and knowledge with them.</p>
When was the Iron Age?	<p>After the Bronze Age in 800BC until 43 AD when the Romans invaded</p>