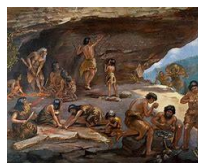


Year 3 – The Stone Age

Key concepts in history which run through all topics: parliament, civilisation, empire, peasantry

Subject Specific Vocabulary	
civilisation	Societies achieve an advanced stage of development and organisation
chronology	The ordering of events. For example, the Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age
B.C	Before Christ
Neolithic	The later part of the Stone Age following the Palaeolithic Age and the Mesolithic Age
shelter	A type of house where families and animals lived in the Stone Age
hunter-gatherer	People who mainly lived by hunting animals, fishing and gathering fruit and vegetables
settlement	A place where there were several shelters forming a small village
tribal	Groups of people who lived together and protected each other
archaeologist	A person who discovers history by looking at artefacts and working on sites of significance

Key people, facts and sticky knowledge
The Stone Age started about 2.6 million years ago. In the early stone age, people were hunter-gatherers. Later in the stone age they created communities and started farming animals and crops.
Skara Brae is an archaeological site found on the Orkney Islands in Scotland. It is a Stone Age village which has been very well preserved.
Stone Henge is a set of stones in a circular pattern in Amesbury, Wiltshire. It is a famous monument shrouded in mystery.
The Bronze Age followed the Stone Age and this is when people started to use metal. The Iron Age followed the Bronze Age and this is when tools and weapons became more advanced in farming.
<i>By the end of this period of learning</i> , pupils should be able to describe civilisation in the Stone Age, explain the historical significance of Stone Henge and use vocabulary specific to the Stone Age.



Stone Age artefacts:



Historical Timeline

Ancient Egypt (3100BC – 332BC) Bronze Age (2500BC – 800BC) Stone Age (8700BC – 2000BC)	Bronze Age (2500BC – 800BC) Mayans (800BC) Ancient Greece (2900BC – 336BC) Ancient Egypt (3100BC – 332BC)	Roman Britain (27BC – 476AD) Celts (275BC – 43AD) Iron Age (800BC – 332BC) Mayans (800BC – 250AD) Ancient Egypt (3100BC – 332BC)	0AD	Vikings (700 -1100AD) Anglo Saxons (410 – 793AD) Roman Britain (27BC – 476AD)	Moon landing 1969 WW2 (1939 – 1945) WW1 (1914 – 1918) The Victorians (1837 – 1903) Industrial Revolution Tudors (1485 – 1603) Great Fire of London 1666
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