

# Stone Age to Iron Age | History theme | Years 3 & 4 | Autumn 1

Vocabulary (Goldilocks words)			Other blocks of info		Important dates or time line	
	prehistoric	A long, long time ago, before people began writing about it	Hunter-gatherers	People who survived by hunting animals and finding food to eat	Stone Age (500,000 – 2500 BC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early Stone Age – Palaeolithic 500,000 – 8000 BC - End of Ice Age</li> <li>• Middle Stone Age – Mesolithic – 8000BC – 4000 BC – Britain became an Island.</li> <li>• Late Stone Age – 4000 BC – 2500 BC. People began to settle down in one place instead of being nomads. Stonehenge begins</li> </ul>
	archaeologist	Someone who finds out about life in the past by looking at things that have been left behind	Flint	A type of stone used to make tools during prehistoric times		
	artefact	An object made by people a long time ago	Settlement	A place where people decided to live if no one lived there before		
	nomads	People who do not stay in one place to live	Bronze	A metal that is a combination of copper and tin		
	skilled	Someone who is skilled knows how to and is able to do something really well	Iron	A metal found by mining		
	advantage	Something that makes things better	Roundhouse	A house with walls made from wood and wattle and daub		
	disadvantage	Something that makes things difficult	Hill fort	Buildings built on a hill surrounded by ditches and walls	Stonehenge	Built between 3100BC – 2600BC
	efficient	Working in a way that does not waste too much time or energy			Skara Brae	Neolithic Settlement occupied from 3180 BC – 250BC

## Significant achievements

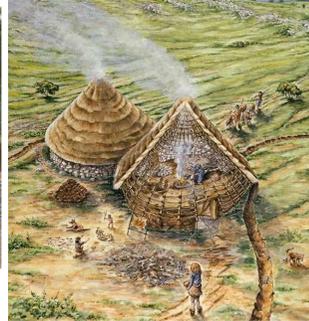
Stone Age	Fire, tools, permanent housing, farming, settlements
Bronze Age	Weapons, Mining, housing, farming tools
Iron Age	Weapons, housing, mining, farming tools, hill forts, war



Stone age housing



Bronze Age Roundhouse



Iron Age Hill Fort

