

## Year 3- Spring Term 2- Who first lived in Britain?



Why are archaeologists so important in helping us find out about history?  Why did people use materials such as stones and animal bones to make tools and weapons rather than iron?	Why did Stone Age people move around so often?  How were the stones which were used to make Stonehenge transported from the place where they were quarried to the site?	Where is the Skara Brae settlement?  What are houses like today compared to those in the Stone Age?  Are there any Stone Age camps or villages remaining in Britain?  What was it like to live in a Bronze Age settlement?  What was it like to live in an Iron Age hillfort?	Why was life in the Stone Age very peaceful compared to other times in history?
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Where did Stone Age people live in Britain and why?	How and where did Stone Age people hunt for and gather their food?	What were some key events which took place in the Stone Age?  Where in the historical timeline does the Stone Age sit?  What were the three Stone Age time periods?	How did Stone Age people communicate with each other?  How was Stone Age art created and why is it so significant?	Why did Stone Age people build tombs for their ancestors?  What is Stonehenge and why was it built?	What was a Stone Age diet like? How is it different to what we eat today?  When did Stone Age children learn how to hunt for animals and gather their food?
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### 3 things I would like to know about our topic:

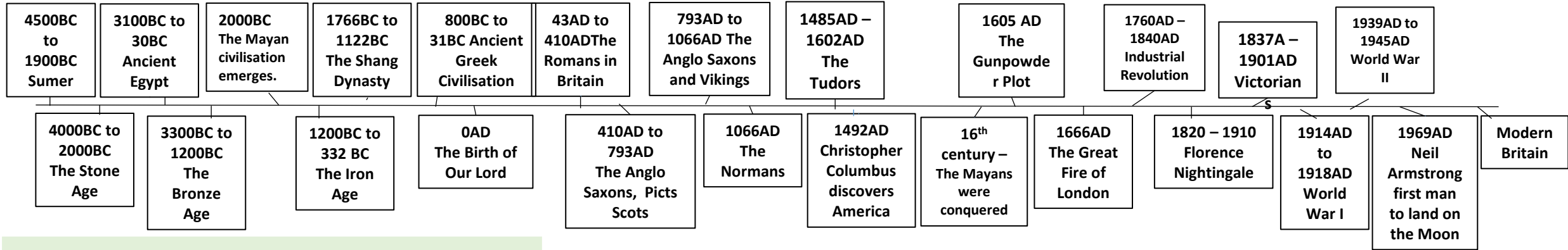
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<b>Computing:</b>  Can you use a search engine to gather information about Stone Age food.	<b>Music:</b>  Can you compose a short piece of music using percussion instruments.	<b>Geography</b>  Can you use a map to identify the location of Skara Brae.  Can you plot the route the stones used at Stonehenge took from Wales to the Salisbury Plain, using rivers for transport.  Can you find the location of some famous Stone Age Stone Circles.	<b>Art and Design:</b>  Can you create Stone Age cave drawings.	<b>Science</b>  Where did hunter gatherers get their food? (Pattern seeking)  How do habitats and what they provide to hunter gatherers change over the seasons? (Observation over time)
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### KEY VOCABULARY

Archaeologist	A person who studies human history by finding and studying artefacts.
Stone Age	A prehistoric period when weapons and tools were made of stone or of organic materials such as bone or wood.
Paleolithic Period	The 'old' Stone Age which began around 80,000 BC and ended in 10,000 BC.
Mesolithic Period	The 'middle' Stone Age which began in 10,000 BC and ended in 8,000 BC.
Neolithic Period	The 'new' Stone Age which began in 8,000 BC and ended in 3,000 BC.
Hunter-gatherer	A lifestyle where humans get their food by foraging and hunting for it.
Petroglyph	Symbols and images which prehistoric people carved into rock.
Bronze Age	Began in 2,100 BC and ended in 750 BC. Humans started making tools from bronze.
Iron Age	Began in 750BC when humans started making tools from iron. Ended in 43 AD with the Roman invasion of Britain.

