

History

Changes in Britain from the Stone Age

The children will be focussing on:

- The period of history before written records began is called 'prehistory'.
- How to organise historical events in timelines.
- Who are hunter gatherers and how did they survive?
- What is archaeology and how does it help us know about the past.
- When farming was introduced and what life was like in Stone Age Britain
- Why is Stonehenge so significant?



Art and Design

The children will be exploring original art by investigating prehistoric art dating back to the Stone Age

The children will be focussing on:

- Exploring and creating our own natural paints
- Investigating original prehistoric art and cave paintings
- Experimenting with texture, mark making
- Creating their own prehistoric inspired cave paintings.

Geography

You can't learn about the significance of the Stone Age without looking at settlements, land use and focussing on Skara Brae.

- Where is Skara Brae?
- What is a settlement and how did Stone Age people choose to live and why?
- Where in the UK is Stonehenge?

Hard Rocking Stone Age Autumn 1



Key Vocabulary

prehistory	agriculture
settlement	archaeology
Skara Brae	archaeologist
Stonehenge	BC and AD
tribe	crop
land	era / period
woolly	flint
mammoth	hunter – gatherer
nomadic	

Extra-Curricular Activities

At home: Create a potting shed together, where vegetables and flowers can be planted; Draw your own cave paintings with chalks, or mud; try foraging or making a recipe out of only seasonal produce.

Places to visit: Stonehenge, Science museum, Local allotment, Local farms – comparisons to how farming has changed over time.

Useful websites: <https://www.theschoolrun.com/homework-help/the-stone-age>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z34dix> <https://www.funkidslive.com/learn/top-10-facts-about-the-stone-age/#>